



You are going to research specific areas for our World War 2 topic. You will need this as you are going to write a persuasive article about two of the following topics in your group.

Use the internet to help you. In addition to your own internet research you can use the websites below. Bring in your research for Thursday this week.

## **Group 1**

- Why were windows covered to blackout the light at night? What were the consequences if they were not?
- Why was it important that children ate all the food on their plate? What happened to the any food that wasn't eaten? Where was it used?

## **Group 2**

- Why did children have to take a gas mask around with them at all times ready to wear?
- What was meant by "Make do and Mend"? Think of examples of this and why was it important to not to waste anything? Go through

## **Group 3**

- Why did people grow their own vegetables?
- What was rationing?

## Websites

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/world\_war2/

http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/Britain.html

http://atschool.eduweb.co.uk/nettsch/time/war.html