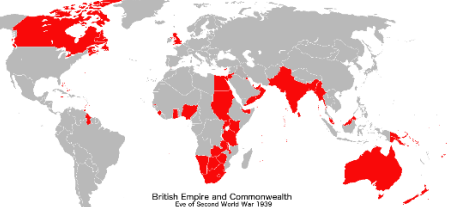







World War 2 Year 6 Knowledge Organiser

Big Question	Subject Specific Vocabulary		Cross Curricular Links
<p>Is the world a safer place because of WW2?</p>	Atomic Bomb	Weapon first used in 1945 when two bombs were dropped on Japan, killing more than 100,000 people.	<p>Geography</p>  <p>British Empire and Commonwealth End of Second World War 1939</p>
	Colony	a country or area under the full or partial political control of another country	
<p>Prior Knowledge</p>	Evacuation	Moving people from dangerous areas to safer places e.g. from big cities to the countryside to avoid bombing.	<p>Design and Technology</p>  <p>Colonial rule in Africa, 1939</p> 
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WW1 (Year 6) • Countries of World • Different Political systems • Empires of 18th and 19th Centuries 	Fascism	A political system where the strength of the country is more important than the well-being of the people. Often ruled by dictators with unlimited power through suppression of any opposition and strict control of society.	
<p>Significant people</p>	Genocide	deliberate action to destroy a people (usually defined as an ethnic, national, racial, or religious group).	
  	Holocaust	the mass murder of around six million Jewish people by the Nazis, as well as other persecuted groups.	
<p>Anne Frank</p> <p>J. Robert Oppenheimer</p> <p>Odette Sansom</p>	Persecution	Systematic mistreatment of an individual or group, especially because of race, religion or political beliefs.	
	Propaganda	information, especially of a biased nature, used to promote a political cause or point of view.	
	Revolution	a forcible overthrow of a government or social order, in favour of a new system.	

 <p>Marco Polo Bridge Incident, Beijing 7th July 1937</p>	 <p>Britain declares war on Germany 3rd September 1939</p>	 <p>Blitz 7th Sept 1940 to 11 May 1941</p>	 <p>Operation Barbarossa 22nd June 1941</p>	 <p>Attack on Pearl Harbor 7th December 1941</p>	 <p>D-Day 6th June 1944</p>	 <p>Liberation of Auschwitz 27th January 1945</p>	 <p>V-E Day 8th May 1945</p>	 <p>Dropping of nuclear bomb on Nagasaki 9th August 1945</p>	 <p>V-J Day 15th August 1945</p>
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