

Answers

1. Which war does VE Day mark the end of? Tick one.

- ☐ The First World War
- ☒ **The Second World War**
- ☐ The Cold War
- ☐ The Gulf War

2. Who was the king of England in 1945? Tick one.

- ☐ King Charles II
- ☒ **King George VI**
- ☐ King Henry VIII
- ☐ King George IV

3. For how many years did the Second World War last? Tick one.

- ☐ four years
- ☐ five years
- ☒ **six years**
- ☐ seven years

4. Draw **four** lines and complete the sentences.

The Prime Minister of Britain, Winston Churchill, ...	who gave their lives or were badly injured during the war.
It is a day to remember ...	around Britain and shared food.
There are lots of things that you can do to celebrate ...	announced the end of the war over the radio.
People danced in the streets ...	while at home with your family.

5. Fill in the missing words.

Decorate your home with Britain-themed **bunting** and **flags**. Don't forget to use red, white and blue!

6. Name **two** of the people who came out on the balcony at Buckingham Palace to greet the crowds.

Accept any two of the following answers: King George VI; Princess Elizabeth (Queen Elizabeth); Princess Margaret.

7. Summarise what happened on the first VE Day.

Pupils' own responses, such as: The end of the Second World War was announced on the first VE Day. People celebrated with street parties and dancing in the street. Lots of people went to Buckingham Palace to see the King.