

WW2 - Important Dates and Events to Remember

September 1938	Prime Minister <u>N..... C.....</u> meets with Hitler in Munich and declares there will be 'Peace in our time'.	February – March 1942	Soap is rationed. Petrol no longer available for private cars.
March 1939	Britain sets up Air Raid Precautions	November 1942	Only <u>Utility style furniture</u> allowed to be made.
April 1939	<u>Conscription</u> begins.	July 1943	Conscription age for women is raised to 51.
1 September 1939	German troops move into <u>P.....</u> . <u>The Black Out</u> begins.	May-June 1944	<u>Allied forces</u> mass in Southern England for <u>D-Day Landings</u>
3 September 1939	Britain's ultimatum to Germany to remove troops from <u>P.....</u> expires. At 11am Britain and <u>F.....</u> declare war on Germany.	6 June 1944	Allied forces land on the coast of <u>F.....</u>
January 1940	<u>Food Rationing</u> begins. <u>H....., B....., S....., and B.....</u> are rationed.	September 1944	The Black Out ends
10 May 1940	<u>W..... C.....</u> becomes Prime Minister. He heads a <u>Coalition Government</u> .	25 April 1945	Allied forces surround Berlin.
27 May-4 June 1940	Evacuation of Allied troops from <u>Dunkirk</u> .	29 April 1945	German forces in Italy surrender.
10 June 1940	<u>I.....</u> declares war on Britain and France.	30 April 1945	<u>A..... H.....</u> commits suicide.
July 1940	Food Rationing is extended, more items are added to the list: <u>T....., M....., C....., L.....</u>	8 May 1945	<u>VE Day</u>
July-September 1940	<u>Battle of Britain</u> takes place. Churchill declares that ' <u>Never in the</u> '	6 August 1945	<u>Atomic bomb dropped on H.....</u> by American forces.
June 1941	Eggs and clothes become rationed.	14 August 1945	<u>J.....</u> surrenders.
July 1941	Male conscription age raised from 18-41 to 18-51.	15 August 1945	<u>VJ Day</u>
December 1941	Japanese attack American port of <u>P..... H.....</u> on the island of <u>H.....</u> UK women aged between 20-30 become liable for conscription	November 1945	Trials of Nazi war criminals begin – lasting until October <u>19.....</u>
January 1942	First American <u>GIs</u> arrive in Britain.	June 1954	Rationing finally ends

What can you find out about the events etc that are underlined / in bold?