

## Knowledge Organiser- The Rise of Hitler and WWII (History- Year 6)

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Encryption	A practice that involves codes and systems for changing messages so they cannot be read by other people.
Blitz	The name given to Hitler's bombing campaign against the United Kingdom that lasted for eight months in 1940 and 1941. Blitz is the German word for lightning.
Evacuation	In World War Two many children were required to leave their homes, or evacuate, and move to safer places, often in the countryside.
Holocaust	The name given to the mass killing of European Jews during World War Two.
Genocide	The deliberate killing, or murder, of a large number of people, especially from the same ethnic group or religion.
Enigma Machine	A machine used by Nazi Germany during World War Two to code messages so they couldn't be read by the Allies. Alan Turing and his team cracked the Enigma Machine and the messages could be intercepted.
Operation Sealion	Nazi Germany's code name for their plan to attack and invade the United Kingdom during the Battle of Britain.
Propaganda	Information, of a biased or misleading nature, used to promote a political cause or point of view.

<u>Allied Powers</u>	<u>Axis Powers</u>
 <b>United Kingdom</b> Leader: Winston Churchill	 <b>Germany</b> Leader: Adolf Hitler
 <b>France</b> Leader: Charles De Gaulle	 <b>Italy</b> Leader: Benito Mussolini
 <b>Russia</b> Leader: Joseph Stalin	 <b>Japan</b> Leader: Hideki Tojo
 <b>USA</b> Leader: Franklin D Roosevelt	

<u>English Codebreakers</u>	
<u>Alan Turing</u>	<u>Mavis Batey</u>
	



