The Machine Gunners

Find out as much as you can about life in Britain during World War Two. You could ask people about their memories of the war or look through some history books in the library.

1. When was the second world war?

2. Britain was one of the Allied Forces. Who were the other Allies?

3. Who were they fighting against?

4. Who were the Nazis?

5. Who was Adolf Hitler?

6. What was the symbol of the Nazis? What did it look like?

7. What was the Blitz?

8. Where did people go during air raids? Why?

9. How did people know when an air-raid was beginning and ending?

10. What is shrapnel? Why might it be dangerous?

11. What was the Home Guard? What did they do?

12. What was rationing? Why were food and clothes rationed during the Blitz?