

# World War 2 Day

Below: Anne Frank

On the 9<sup>th</sup> May, a Friday, our school had a World War 2 Day. We had to dress up as some one from the war, such as soldiers, evacuees, RAF pilots, Anne Frank etc. We came in as usual; there were decorations all over the walls. I came as an evacuee. When we were all settled we had assembly, people had brought in medals and items that their grandparents got in WW2 (World War Two). We then had a fun maths lesson. After break we watched half of Anne Frank. Eloise came as Anne Frank. We had indoor break, then went for lunch. We had to pay for lunch with our ration books, which some of the girls had made before. We had registration and then went down to the hall for a WW2 talk with Mr. Bartlett (Author of the book "Little Boy's War").



Some of the parents came in to see what was happening while Mr. Bartlett talked about when he was a boy living in Ealing, being evacuated to the countryside. He and his friend were the last two boys to be picked to be taken to their new home for the war. Some one from the Ealing Gazette had come in to take pictures of us in our costumes so some people went out into the playground so he could take a few photos of us. When Mr. Bartlett had finished we walked out into the playground to see a little production that Drama Club had made up. When it was finished (Which was not very long) we had cakes and lemonade with the parents. We wore newspaper hats which Stefan and I had made with Miss Jory the day before. After that we went back up stairs and some of us got ready to go home (I say some of us because it was actually a bit early and not everyone's parents had come in to see). The people who were going home packed their bags and went home.