

**** Ashton First School News ****

Thursday 7th May 2020



I hope you have all had a good week and that some of you will be able to take the time tomorrow to join in the VE Day celebrations. Please send us any pictures of you and we'll put some in next week's newsletter.



News from the school

This week we have been finding out more about VE day in 1945 and today we had our own celebration. We made jam tarts, flapjacks and lemonade and decorated the outside of the school with bunting. During the week we found out about the celebrations 75 years ago in Ashton and throughout the country. Mr Archer found some old photographs of the celebrations for VJ day in Ashton and we have put these and some other photographs taken in Ashton during the 1940s on the front door of the school. At the end of the party the children were given small presents just like in 1945 along with the decimal equivalent of two shillings and sixpence. Below are some of the photos from today. Thank you to Mrs Tulley, Mrs Chamberlain, Miss Davies, Mrs Cooke, Mrs Stephenson and Mrs Barnett who during the weeks they have been in school contributed to this learning and made it interesting for the children working here.



ADVANCE WARNING OF ROAD CLOSURE 26th - 30th May Parts of Elmley Road will be closed from just past St Barbaras Church to Bredon Hill Academy.