

Key term	Definition
Appeasement	Policy of giving someone what they want to prevent conflict.
Evacuation	Leaving a dangerous area or situation
Operation Dynamo	The plan to evacuate soldiers of Dunkirk beach to avoid surrendering WW2.
Blitzkrieg	Tactic used by the Nazis of constant bombing for a quick surrender.
The Blitz	A period in 1941 where London and other major cities experienced bombing from the skies.
Luftwaffe	German air force
Wehrmacht	German army.
Incendiary	Weapons that set targets on fire.
Munitions	Weapons and ammo, usually made by women in factories during WW2.
Turning Point	A big reason for a change in history e.g. D-Day


# World War 2 - Autumn

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## Appeasement

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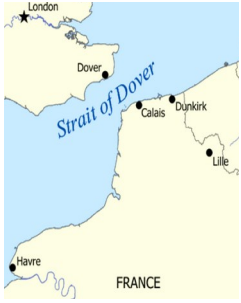
- Memory of WW1
- Longer to re-arm Britain
- Could not control Hitler



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- Freedom of people taken away.
- Gave Hitler confidence
- Made Britain



## Dunkirk



- Germany had pushed back allied forces to Dunkirk.
- 600 thousand troops were stuck on the beach.
- Operation Dynamo was used to evacuate to the UK. - 300k saved.

## Battle of Britain

### RAF vs Luftwaffe

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Built 563 planes a month.</li> <li>• Used radar - 20 min warning.</li> <li>• Part time pilots.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Made 156 planes a month.</li> <li>• Could only fly for 30 minutes.</li> <li>• Experienced, full-time pilots.</li> </ul>
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## Dresden



- 25,000 civilians killed in bombing.
- 50% of the city set on fire.
- Targeted due to industry and soldiers present

## D-Day

Operation Overlord- The liberation of France, starting to push Nazis out of Germany.

Significant in finally getting Germany out of France.

Britain assisted by USA, Canada, New Zealand.

## Evacuation to Oswestry

- Big cities were dangerous - kids were sent to Oswestry to get away from bombing.
- They were met with a mixed response.
- Some enjoyed it, others were met with hostility

Needed a lot of preparation and planning.

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