

## Lower 3 fight the Battle of Britain



Lower 3 took an interactive trip back to the Summer of 1940 in this week's humanities lesson. They were tasked with defending southern England and had to co-operate to defend their cities and airfields with limited resources. Through this exercise the children were able to appreciate the dilemmas faced by RAF Fighter Command and how inventions such as radar were able to tip the balance.

This was followed by a thoughtful and spirited discussion about why the RAF won the Battle of Britain, with the children forming opinions based on their study of a range of primary and secondary sources.

The level of enthusiasm, engagement and analytical thinking was genuinely impressive and Lower 3 have glittering futures as historians or, indeed, as RAF ground controllers.

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