

VE Day



# VE Day 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary activity pack



What is VE Day?



VE Day is an event during World War 2.

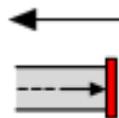
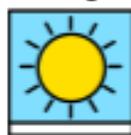


VE Day means Victory in Europe.



This is the day fighting in Europe ended.

8<sup>th</sup>



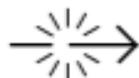
It is celebrated on the 8th May.



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VE Day happened on the 8th May 1945.

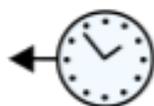


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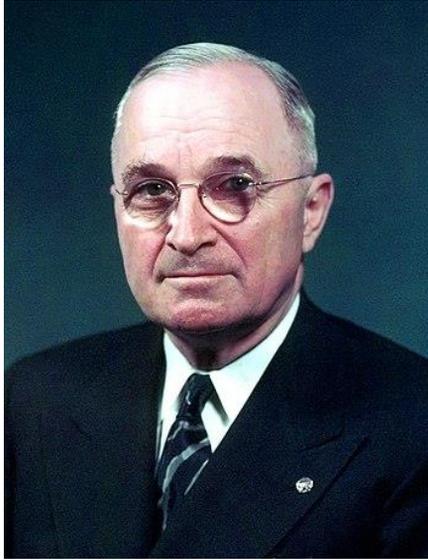
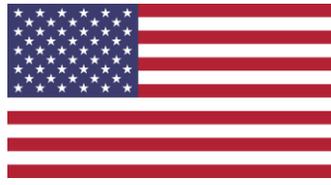
1945

That is 75 years ago.





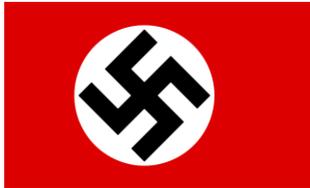
Churchill  
British Prime  
Minister



Truman  
American  
President

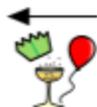


Stalin  
Soviet Leader



Hitler  
German Chancellor

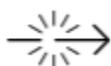
How is VE Day Celebrated?



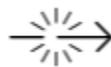
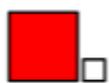
VE Day was celebrated across Europe with parties.



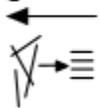
A big celebration took place in Times square in New York.



Another big celebration took place in Picadilly Circus in London.



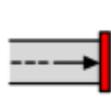
People organised street parties.



Soldiers started coming home.



The war was not finished.



There was still fighting the Pacific against Japan.



# VE Day Word Search

I	G	M	E	N	P	R	T	A	I	M	S	E	G
A	R	S	R	I	I	C	G	A	G	E	A	E	C
S	N	R	I	A	P	F	C	I	D	P	Y	R	G
T	A	F	F	T	Y	R	A	S	A	O	T	I	E
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EUROPE

FIGHTING

SPITFIRE

WAR

FRANCE

BRITAIN

AMERICA

ITALY

DANCE

STREET PARTY

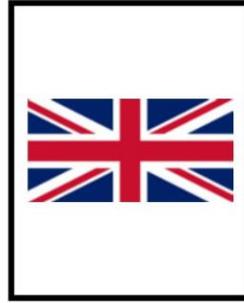
RUSSIA

GERMANY

VICTORY

CELEBRATE

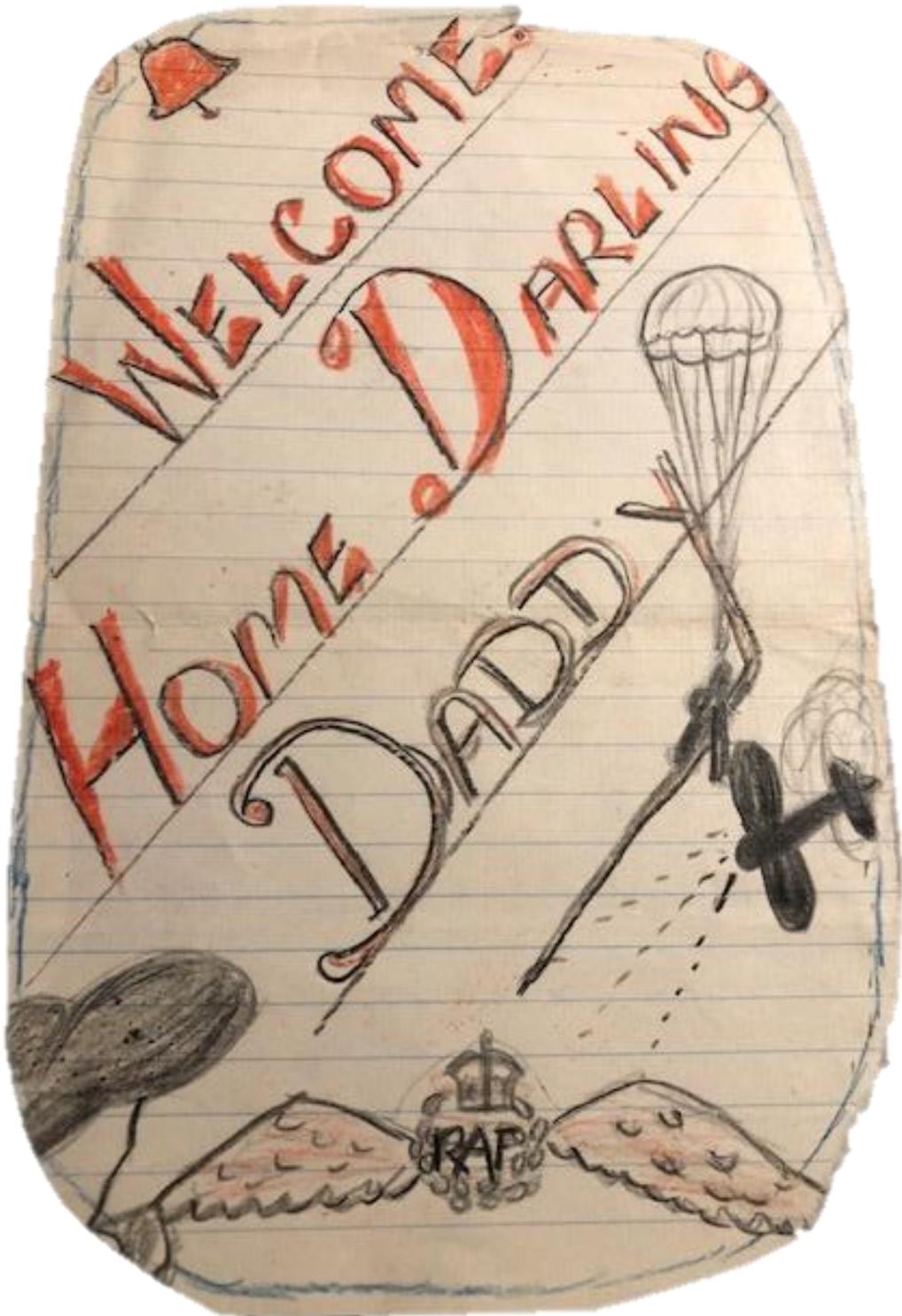
# Circle the odd one out



# Welcome Home Card

My grandmother drew this for her dad when he came home from the war. Make a welcome home card for someone you care about.

What would you draw on the front?  
What words would you use?

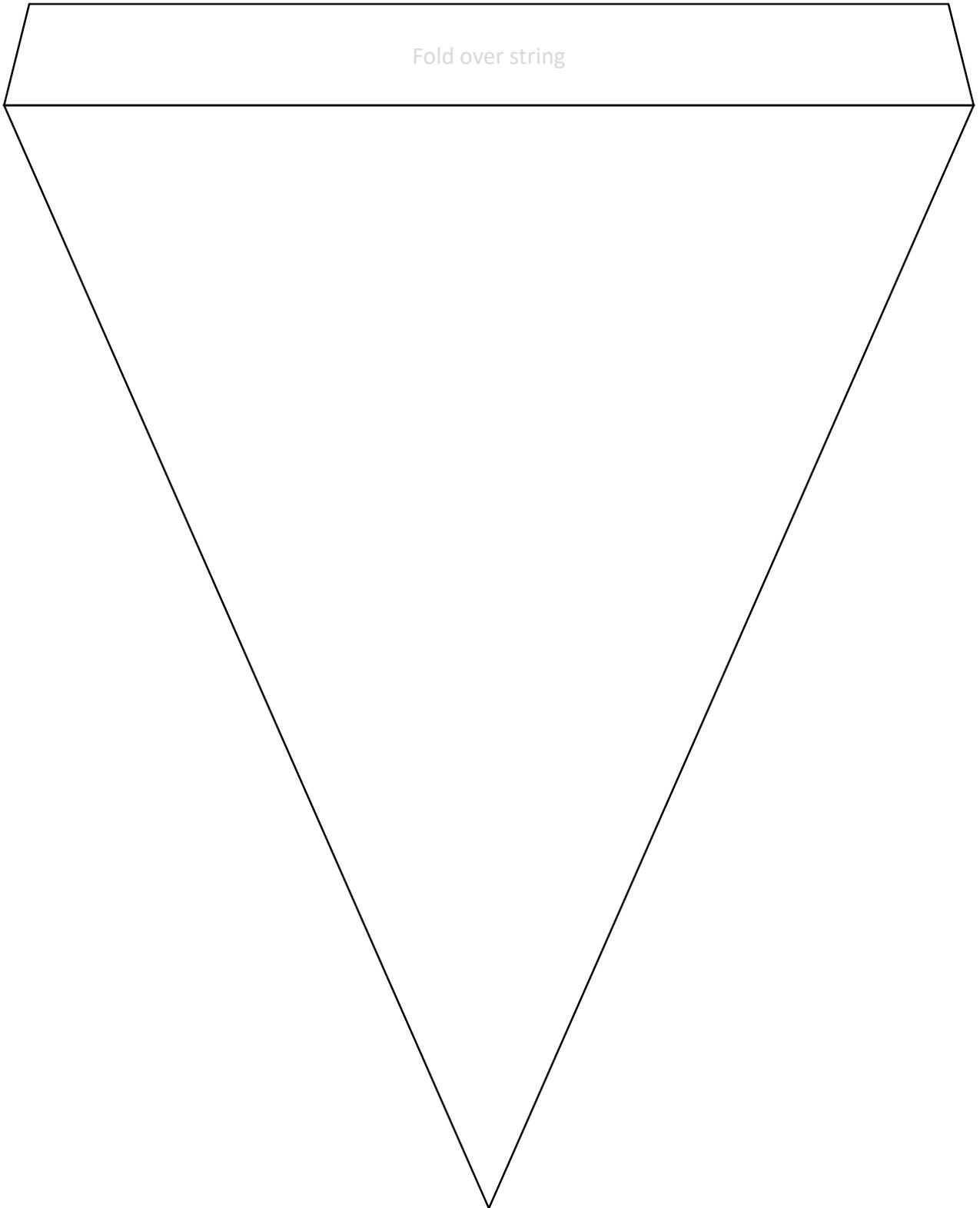


# VE Day Activities

Make your own street party bunting.

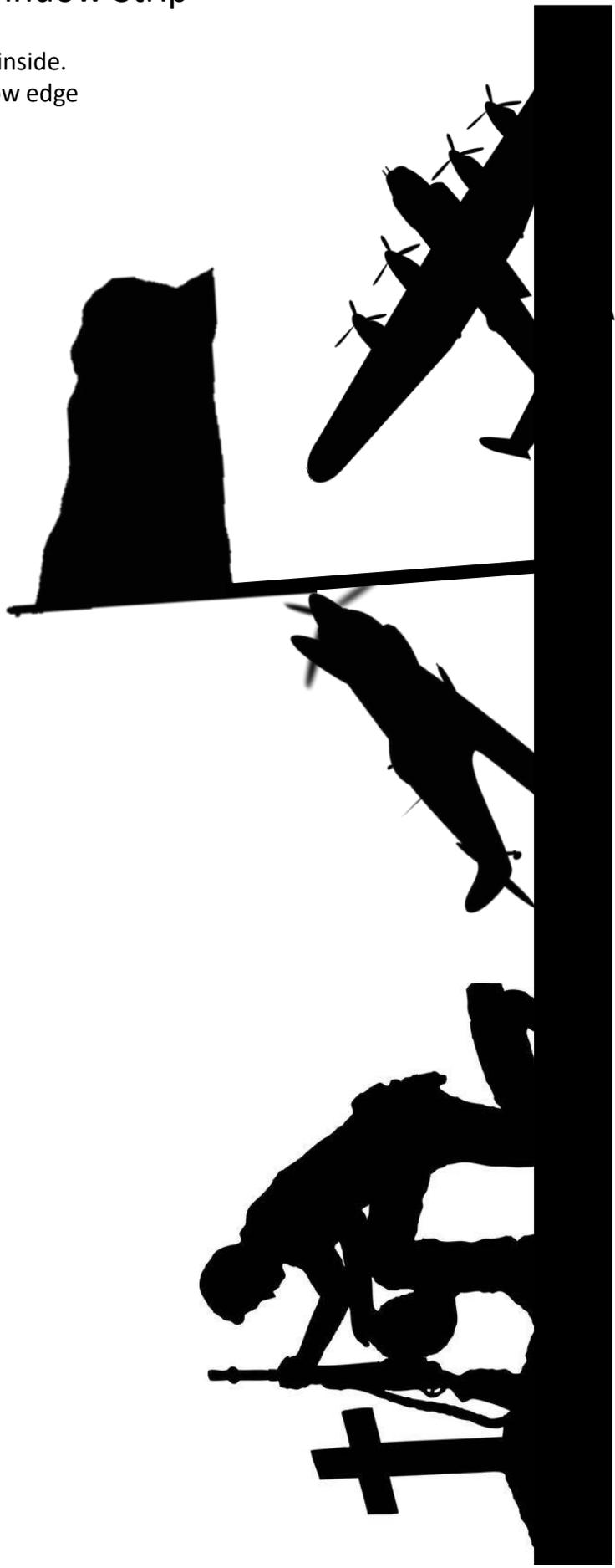
You can use Red, White and Blue in your design.

Research other countries that fought with the allies and decorate bunting in their flag's colours.

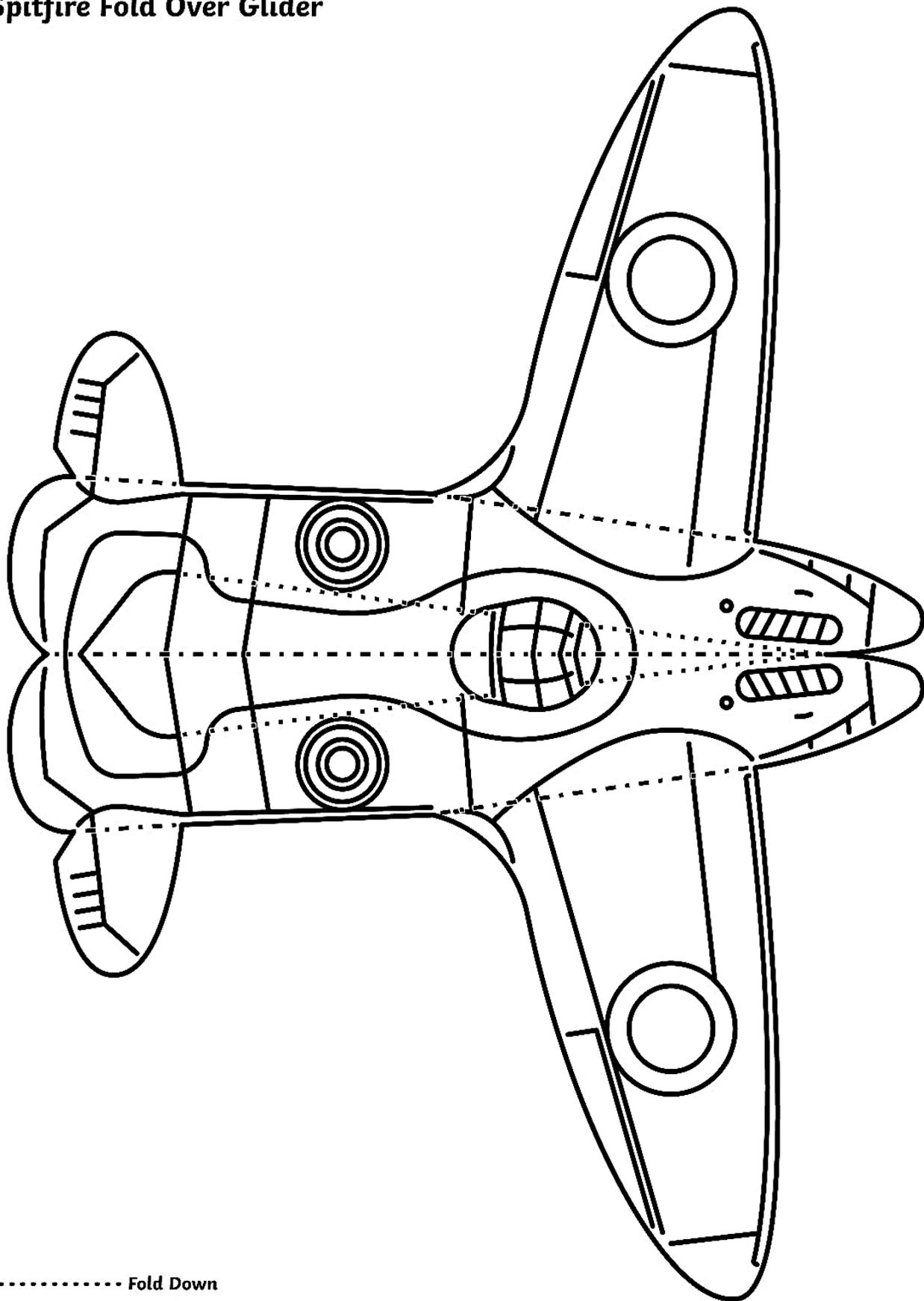


# Make your own Silhouette Jar/Window Strip

Cut this out or design your own on black paper.  
Stick around a jar or bottle. Put a light behind or inside.  
Or you could stick your silhouettes along a window edge



# Spitfire Fold Over Glider



..... Fold Down

- - - - - Fold Up