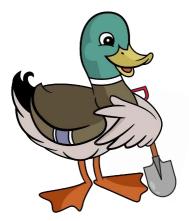


WW2 Challenge 2



In October 1939 the Government launched 'The Dig for Victory' campaign. This was because there were food shortages during the war.

People were urged to use gardens and every spare piece of land, such as parks, golf clubs and tennis courts, to grow vegetables. Even the moat at the Tower of London was used to grow vegetables!

Watch a video on the Imperial War Museum's website about it here https://www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/1060006259 and answer the questions below.



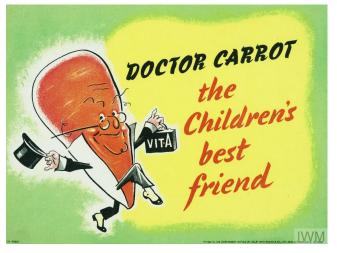
What was the slogan used for growing your own vegetables?

What vegetables does the video tell you how to grow? Draw them in your logbook



The Ministry of Food wanted people to eat healthily. They came up with cartoons of vegetables people could grow in their gardens. They were called Potato Pete and Doctor Carrot!

Can you come up with a vegetable character and draw it in your logbook?



Treasure Hunt

Can you find these items in your home?

- A fruit or vegetable that grew in the U.K.
- Something growing in your home

Draw them in your logbook!



The garden behind the Manor House was used for growing vegetables. This photograph was donated to the museum by Mrs Stammers who lived in the house from 1934 to 1943. She remembers shelves in the house lined with preserved fruit and vegetables grown from the garden.

