

# Essex Primary School Remembers Holocaust Memorial Day

2021

## Holocaust

We were healthy children,  
Brighter than the vivid sun,  
Until,  
We completely changed to darkness,  
It surrounded us,  
We were left alone,  
We were blown away from home,  
We cried and we weeped,  
Till we went to sleep,  
We had bright lives ahead of us,  
Doctors, builders, vet, police  
We were separated from the bright  
world,  
We were no more...

Abrar 4A

Be the light in the darkness

Be the light in the darkness  
Shine bright like a star

Be the light in the darkness  
Let your flame flicker

Be the light in the darkness  
Never let anyone blow out your flame

Be the light in the darkness  
Shine on forever.  
Joe 4A

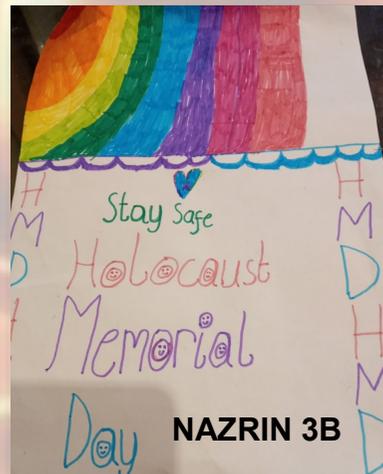
## Be the light in the darkness

*A darkness is being mean,  
The good in that is nowhere to be seen.  
A source of good is always kindness,  
Even when it's all blindness.*

*There're ups and down,  
And downs with ups,  
You can be sad crying till noon,  
Or you can get happy very soon...*

*So be the light you need to be,  
And the darkness there will always flee.  
Darkness can come every day,  
But you can follow the right way!*

*Madasir 4A*



## Be the light in the darkness

When I closed my eyes I was on a plane,  
When I opened my eyes all I saw was rain,  
An unknown place I was confused.  
But we were the people that were accused.

I wish I could have enough might,  
To be able to have some light,  
I thought it would be dark all my life,  
When I looked behind I saw a dark knife.

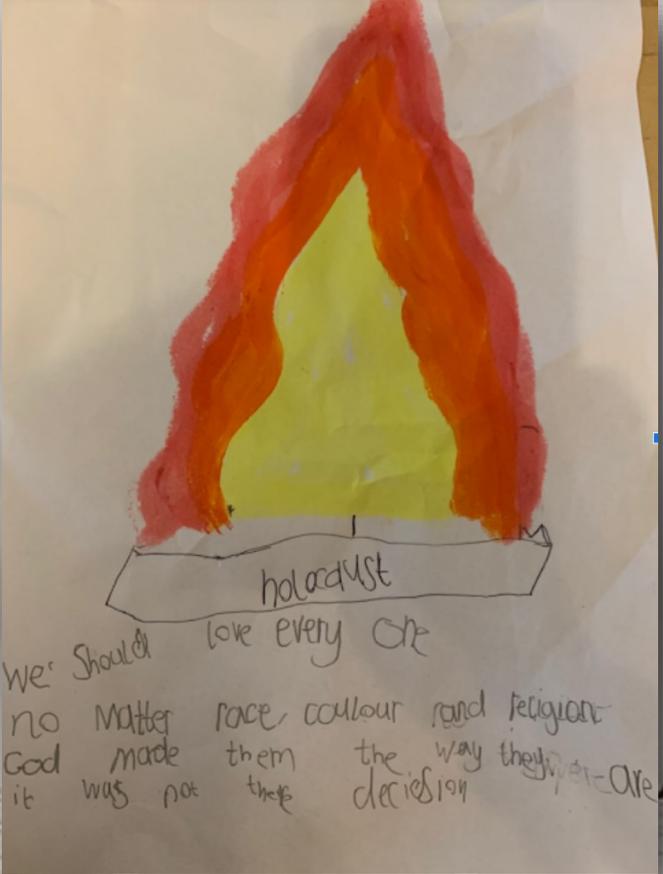
I felt scared,  
But he looked like he cared,  
He was a Jew so then I knew,  
Then I found a light in my life.

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Class: 4A

Be the light in the darkness,  
When there is some hope,  
Just a stripe of whiteness,  
Shimmering on a black rope.

As the gloominess envelopes the world,  
There is only one hope,  
And that hope is you,  
Because you are The Light...

Ijlal 4A



**My Memory**

*The windows were smashed  
They didn't have any cash  
The holocaust was sad  
The soldiers were bad.*

*The people didn't have a house  
They lived somewhere as small as a mouse  
The soldiers want the fancy chair  
The soldiers are not being fair*

*The soldiers were in a bad mood  
The people didn't have any food  
The soldiers were angry  
The people were hungry*

*From Khadheeja Saifuddin 2R*

Be the light in the darkness

Be the light in the darkness,  
To have peace and calmness  
Be kind in your heart  
And never leave them apart

You can try your best  
But don't be a pest  
Lessons are taught when we reach out,  
Faith abounds when we confront our deepest doubts.

Our darkest moments give us the opportunity  
For seasons of our greatest growth  
Every day we work towards continuity  
Of acceptance and persistent hope.

And there's a light that shines in the darkness  
There's a star that guides the way.  
There's a gate that's open to forgiveness  
There's a shepherd who saves those who've gone astray.

Jayden 4P

Be the light in the darkness

*When you are being shut out and there is no one to help you, you must be strong and never give up.*

*But to keep going you must forget and be brave.*

*You are not alone anymore you have yourself, people that are fearless and strong make it through but if you are not you need to be, you need to reflect.*

*We will remember those who sacrificed for us and those people gaze upon us as we pray, and do good things. You are never ever alone you are always surrounded by angels and amazing good people.*

Khivi Lall 4M



Holocaust  
Be the light in darkness

Holocaust Memorial Day is an event that happens yearly on the 27th of January. It is a day when people think about the millions of Jews killed in World War 2. It is to make sure that such thing must not happen again in the future.



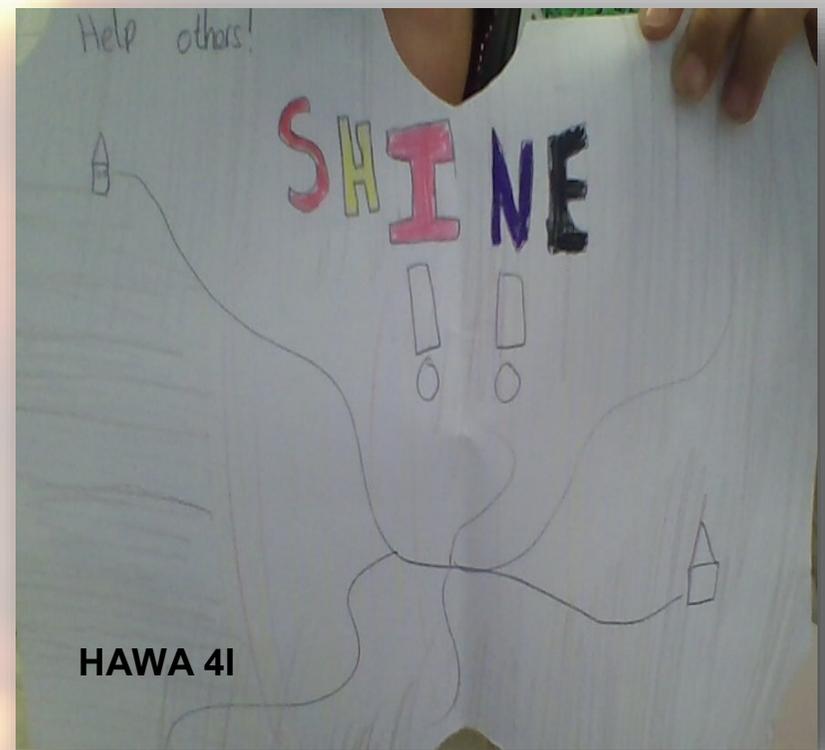
Kindertransport is used to transport children away to other safe countries to save them from wars. This has saved many children's lives!

I can be 'the light' in school by helping people who fall down in the playground by telling a teacher. I can be 'the light' in my house by helping my mum make dishes in the kitchen.

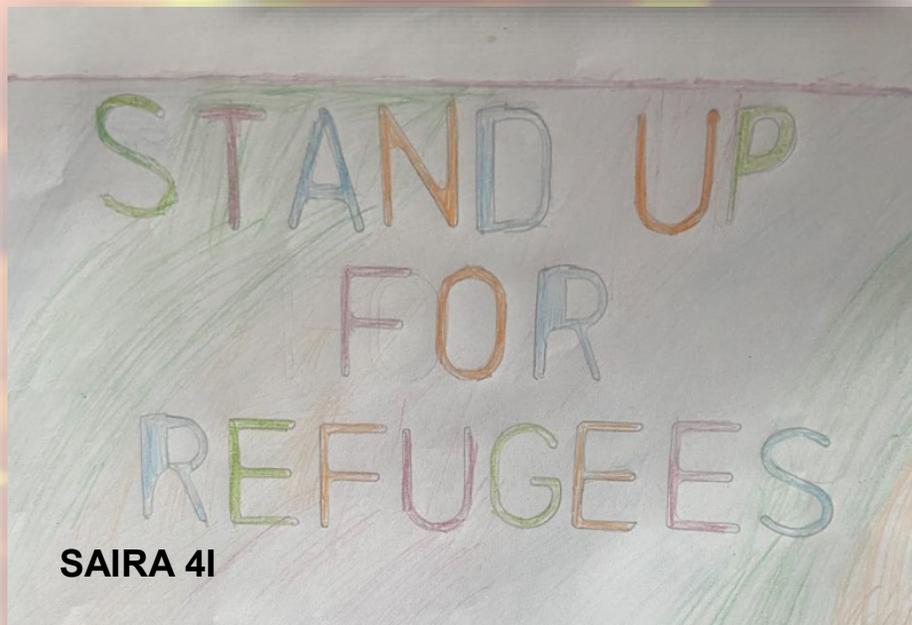
Shiv Sundaram 4M



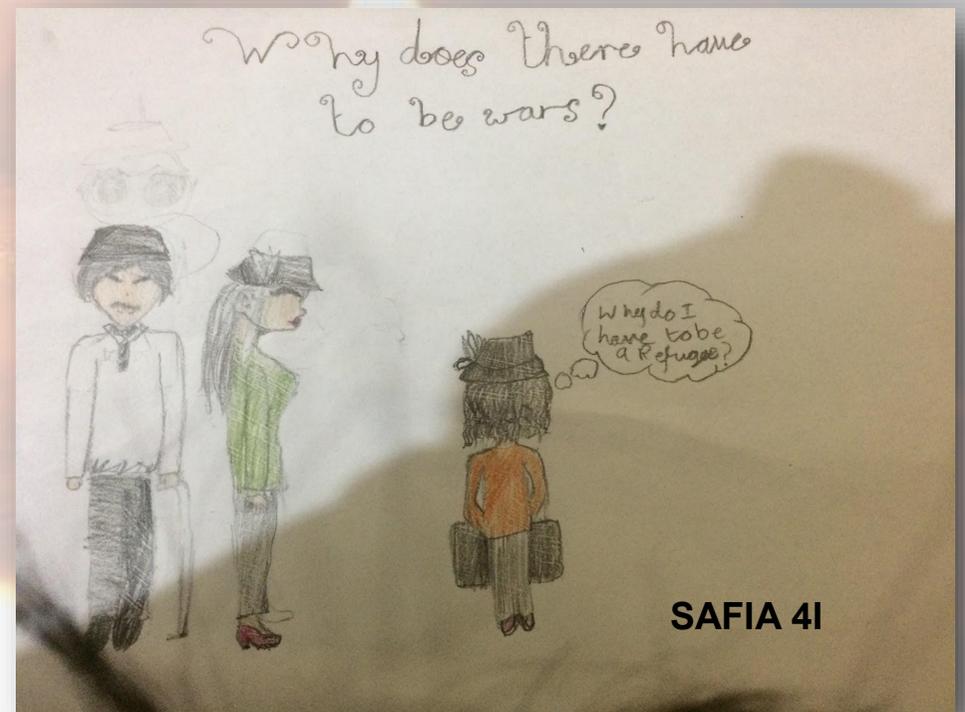
TAHIRA 3B



HAWA 4I



SAIRA 4I



SAFIA 4I

Holocaust-Be the light in the Darkness

Vera was born in 1930  
She lived in Prague  
She lived in a huge flat with mum and dad  
at Main Street  
She had a jewish father who was a lawyer  
Her mum was a doctor  
She was raised by her father and a nanny



**VERSA'S  
LIFE**

Sabiha Akter 4M

She was a refugee in England

You can be someone's light at school by always  
being a supportive friend and nice to everyone



She spoke CZech and she learnt  
German  
She went to an all girls school  
She had a happy childhood

**SARAN 5A**

Holocaust Memorial Day  
27<sup>th</sup> January

A hand-drawn poster for Holocaust Memorial Day. It features a stick figure with a thought bubble asking "What is Holocaust Memorial Day?". The main text explains that the day is observed on 27th January to remember the victims of the Holocaust. A second stick figure says "Isn't this very sad?". The poster is decorated with red hearts and a yellow 'X' symbol.

Be the light in the darkness

To remember all of those Jews that were lost,  
We celebrate the day of Holocaust  
The normal citizen died  
No Jews that day survived.

A man who was not very nice,  
Convinced the people to scurry and kill like mice,  
To survive they tried,  
But in the end died.

Remember all of those that are close to you  
Before they are lost forever.

Ameenur Rahman 4M

# We will always remember them!

Holocaust was a time when Jewish people got killed because they were different. But we should have ever did that we should respect one and other!

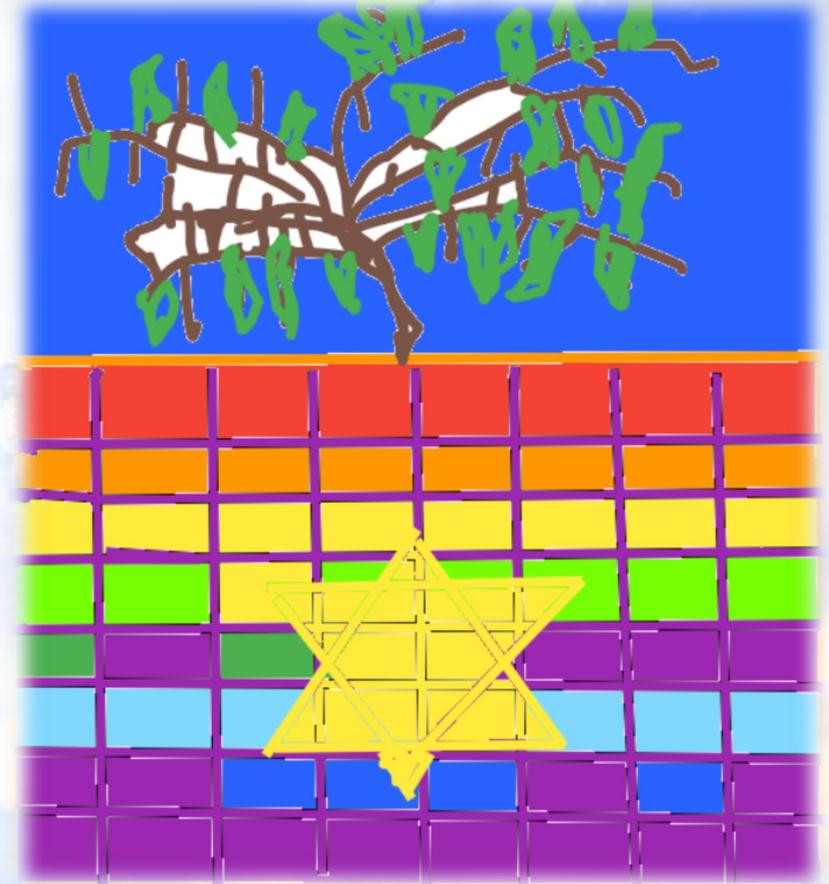
Rose of remembrance.



These will remind us that we all are one none of us are different, we are all the same.

Care for one another, respect one another.

HAMNAH 5P



ZAARA 5S

Together we can be one



It is believed that 11 million people died altogether six million of them were Jews

A special organization called Kindertransport helped children to leave Germany and go to England to make new families

On this day we remember  
The kindness of the people  
That surrendered  
Hatred is all around  
But we have to remember  
That love will stay together

1933-1945  
Nazis started abusing people



This year's theme is be the light in the darkness

**ZAYN 5A**

Kindness is the light in the darkness.

I WILL REMEMBER THEM



**SAQIBUR 5B**

Holocaust



**TAMILA 5B**



The people who killed all Jews have blood on their hands that will never wash off. May the people who died live in peace and have a happy afterlife. We will never forget their modesty that went through the pain. May we show our respect with some silence...

Jarin 5P