

Western Approaches Area Combined Headquarters
Liverpool

Induction Sheet for New Recruits (U11)

Name:.....

Role: Royal Navy / Royal Air Force
Wren / Waaf (delete as necessary)

1. Fill in the missing words:

Western Approaches HQ is a c_____ HQ for the Royal
N_____ and the Royal A_____ F_____. It is based in
L_____, in England in a secret underground b_____.
Women played an important role in Western Approaches, serving as
W_____ and W_____.

2. Who is the Commander in Chief of Western Approaches?

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3. When did Western Approaches move to Liverpool?

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The Operations Room:

4. Write a brief description of what happens in here?

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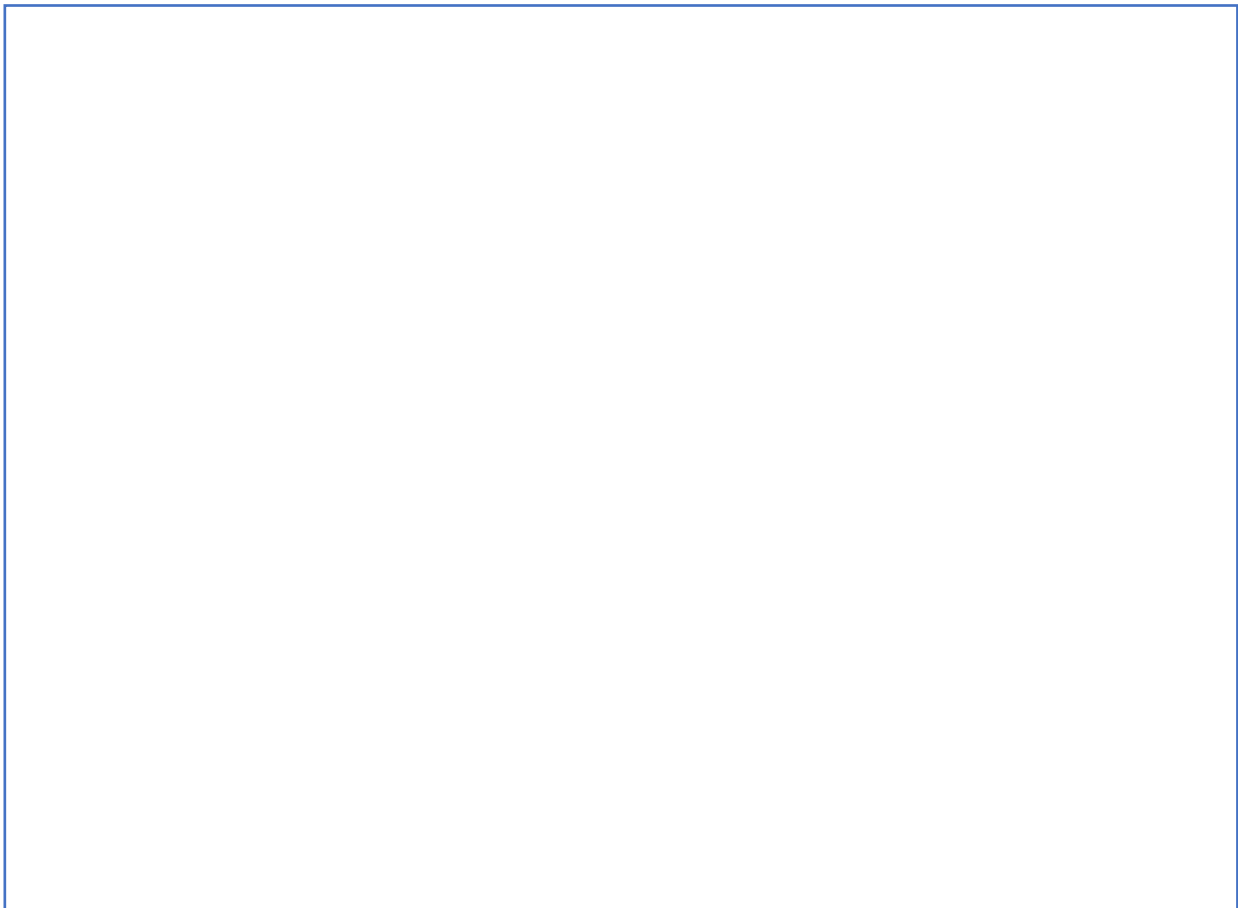
**5. Draw an example of some of the pins used on the map wall. OR
create your own (e.g. for a convoy, a warship, a U-boat, wind
speed, etc)**



6. Write down the meaning of the following:

- a. Convoy =
- b. U-boat =
- c. Wren =
- d. Waaf =

7. Write a short description or draw a picture of what you think your role would be in Western Approaches HQ.



8. Admiral Sir Max Horton is Commander-in-Chief of Western Approaches.

- a. What did he do in the First World War?.....
- b. What is his favourite sport?
- c. What do you think it will be like to work for Admiral Horton?
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Further Research:

To further your knowledge and training you might like to find out a bit more about some of the following topics.

Why not prepare a small project? You could then send us examples of your finished work.

- The Battle of the Atlantic
- Women's Roles in World War Two
- The Breaking of the Enigma Codes
- The Merchant Navy in World War Two
- Admiral Sir Max Horton
- Warships of the Royal Navy
- One of the allied navies, that served alongside the Royal Navy in the Atlantic e.g. France, Belgium, Holland, Poland, Norway, Canada, USA
- Or any other topic related to Western Approaches HQ!!

You could use text, pictures, videos as part of it and the most creative ones will be shared on our site for everyone to see.



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