As part of our Colouring Challenge we are featuring parts of the Museum and its collection. If you have visited you may remember seeing them but, just in case, we include a picture to help you create the colours on the next sheet.

The government set up the ARP just before the Second World War began. ARP stood for Air Raid Precautions. ARP Wardens encouraged their neighbours to take precautions to protect themselves from the danger of air raids. A precaution is a step to take to protect yourself, like wearing a helmet when you ride your bike.

In wartime precautions included the blackout and the carrying of a gas mask. People also joined the ARP as Nurses, Fire Fighters, rescue and first aid providers, ambulance crews and medics.
CAN YOU PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THIS?

ARP CAN SHOW YOU HOW