



Australian War Heroes

1. Why do you think many people in the 1940s and 1950s felt that it was inappropriate for women to be soldiers, or serving in the military?

2. Which of the three women we discussed would you most like to have met? Why?



*Nancy Wake,
Germany's
most-wanted*



*Ruby refused
to leave her
radio*

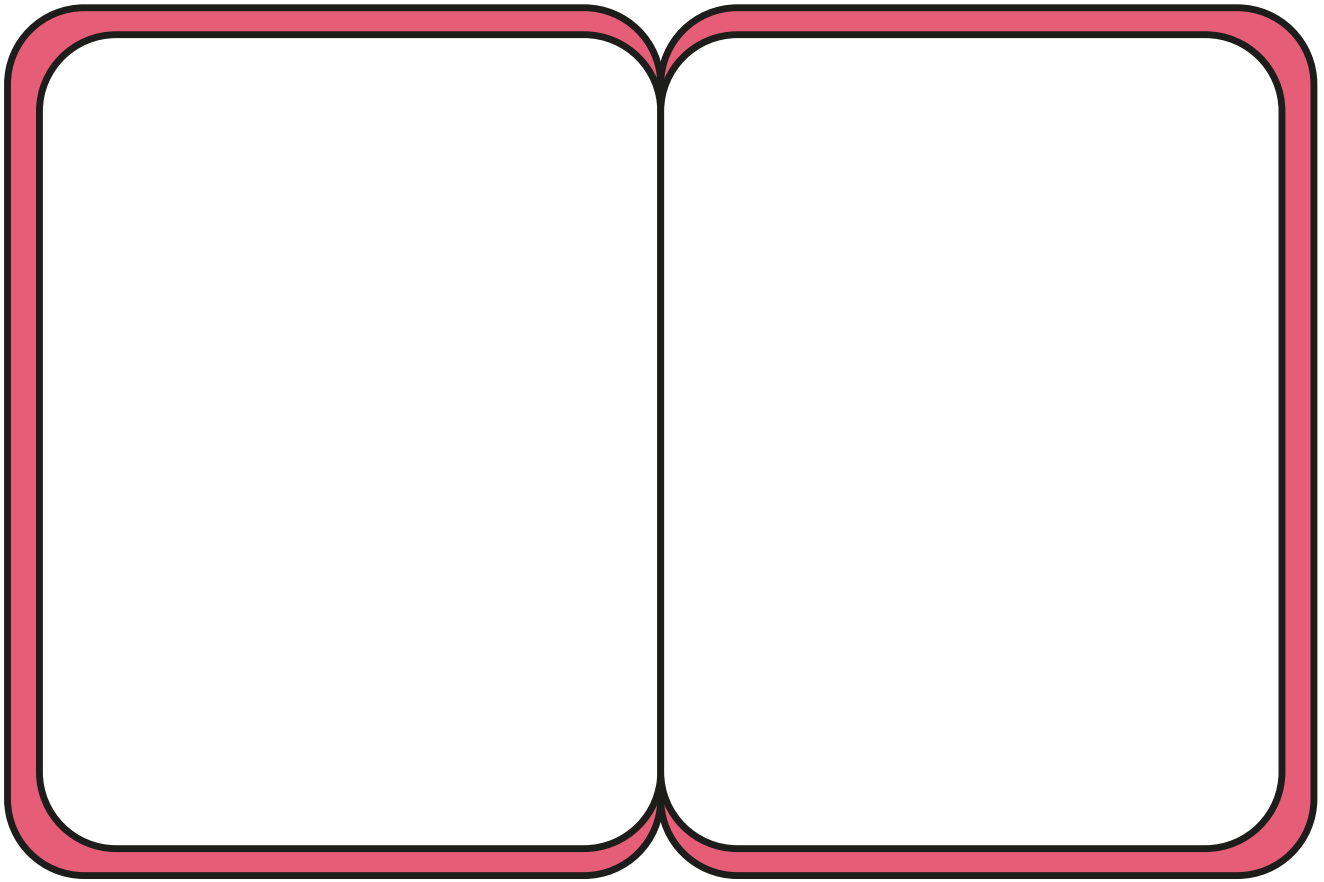


*Joice Nankivell
Loch took 1,000
people on a train*

3. This is Ruby Boye-Jones at her radio on the island of Vanikoro. How is this photo different from the picture you had in your head while listening to the podcast?



4. Imagine that you were a passenger on the train with Joice. You have escaped the German Army, but you may never see your home in Poland again. Write and draw in your journal about how you are feeling.



5. What do you think bravery is? Describe a time that you had to be brave. How are you similar to Nancy, Joice, and Ruby?
