

1929	1933	1939	1940	1941	1942	1944
12 th June	30 th January	1 st September	10 th May	22 nd -23 rd February	3 rd May	4 th August
Annelies Marie Frank is born in Frankfurt, Germany to Otto and Edith.	Adolf Hitler becomes Chancellor of Germany.	Germany invades Poland. Two days later, Britain and France declare war on Germany and WW2 begins.	Germany invades the Netherlands, Belgium and France.	The first deportation of Dutch Jews.	The introduction of the yellow star to identify Jews in the Netherlands.	The Secret Annex is raided by the security police after an anonymous tip off. All the occupants were sent to Westerbork transit camp. 3rd September The occupants of the Secret Annex are transported to Auschwitz-Birkenau on the last train to leave Westerbork.
	23 rd March				12 th June	
	The Enabling Act gives Hitler powers to rule by decree.				Anne Frank receives a diary for her birthday.	
	Summer – February				5 th July	
	The Frank family move to the Netherlands to escape growing persecution in Germany.				Margot Frank, Anne's older sister, receives a call-up notice from the Nazis to work in a labour camp. The next day, the Frank family go	

October

into hiding in the Secret

Annex along with the

Van Pels family (Van

Daan in Anne's diary).

Anne and Margot are transported from Auschwitz-Birkenau to Bergen-Belsen.



1945

February/March

Anne and Margot both die of typhus. Of the eight people who went into hiding in the Secret Annex, only Anne's father, Otto Frank, survived the war.

15th April

Bergen-Belsen is liberated by British troops.

25th June

Anne's diary is first published in Dutch. It has since been translated into 50 languages and is one of the world's most popular books.

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