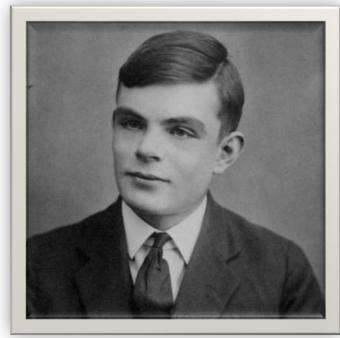# Alan Turing

Nationality: British
Born: 1912
Died: 1954
Areas of expertise: Codebreaking and early computer theory.

Best known for:
- inventing a test called the Turing Test used to determine a machine's level of intelligence;
- inventing Turing machines – theoretical computers;
- his work at Bletchley Park during World War Two: the team that cracked the German Enigma code.