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The Great War- Your Country Needs You! Year 3

Essential Knowledge

By the end of this unit children will...

- The key events that triggered the start of the First World War.
- About the process of enlistment, understanding key facts about who enlisted and why.
- How the war affected daily life in Britain.
- About what life was like and how life changed for children and women during the First World War.
- Who the key British figures involved in the First World War were and what their roles were.
- How the war ended and details about The Treaty of Versailles.

World War 1 is an important part of our history and children need to gain a chronological understanding of the history.

We will be looking at the impact the war had on Warminster and visiting the local war memorial.

Children will build on their prior knowledge of periods in British and European history. They will further their skills in researching and enquiry.

Children will learn in this topic through a variety of activities across the national curriculum.

Children will have the chance to research areas of World War 1 that interest them and we will use a variety of different resources.

We will be going to our local war memorial and to a local museum to learn about World War 1 in a different environment and give the children an opportunity to learn from other adults.

Children's learning will be measured through engagement, knowledge quizzes, questioning and written work.

We will look at addressing the gaps in children's historical knowledge and chronology.

We will be looking closely at timelines World War 1 and all of Britain's historic periods.