



Hadley Wood Primary School Homework Grid

Autumn Term 1

Topic: The Great War - World War 1

Weekly Homework:	Reading (including a newspaper), Times Tables			
Topic: The Great War	Learning Opportunities			
Mathematics	Maths homework relating to our weekly focus will be given out each week (on a Friday) Please complete in homework book and return by Wednesday. If there is a particular area of maths that you are finding difficult, perhaps it would be a good idea to see Mrs Christophorou about an extra homework activity that would suit you.			
English	Look at any of the poems from http://www.greatwar.co.uk/poems/ Write a review of the poem. What images does it create in your mind? What do you like about the poem? What features make it stand out and effective?	Imagine you are a soldier in WW1. Write a letter home to a loved one, explaining what war is like. Remember that you don't want to scare them too much but that you want to let them know how you feel.	Imagine your father is leaving to fight in WW1. Write a diary entry about how you felt that day and what you were worried about.	Write a short story about a family during WW1. Remember to interest the reader and use appropriate vocabulary and punctuation
History	Visit the BBC WW1 Schools Homepage http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/0/ww1/25827997 and choose a famous figure from WW1 (try not to look at Wilfred Owen or Lord Kitchener) to read and watch about. Write a brief summary of their life and role in WW1.	Research the Christmas Truce during WW1. What happened? Why did it happen? Present your findings in any way you wish.	Create a timeline showing the significant events of WW1 – you will probably not be able to include all of the events, so think about the ones you feel are most important. You can present your timeline in any way you wish.	Design and make a game involving facts about World War 1. This could be a board game, card game, memory game, observation game or a game of your choice. Don't forget to include the rules! Bring in your game to share with the class during one of our History lessons ☺
Art and Design	Look at any of the poems from http://www.greatwar.co.uk/poems/ Think about the image that it creates in your mind – draw or represent this image, using any media.	Find a WW1 recipe and cook it at home. Take a picture of you cooking and your finished masterpiece to upload onto Fronter. We love to try new things in school so please feel free to share with your peers ☺	Look at a range of different recruitment campaigns for the army in WW1: posters encouraging people to join the army and help with the war effort http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/0/ww1/25332968 Create your own recruitment poster.	Make a drawing, painting or collage using different materials that shows a scene from World War 1.
Values and Citizenship	Hope – September Use a thesaurus to find at least five alternative words for 'hope'. Write them up in interesting sentences.	Hope – September Think about what hope means to you. Create a poster to show this.	Responsibility – October Think about how you could best show the importance of responsibility. Collect 5 photographs which you feel capture this value in action.	Responsibility – October Represent this value in the form of an acrostic poem (using the letters of the word Responsibility to start each line).
Please ensure all homework is neatly presented.				

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