

Year 5 Topic Enrichment Autumn Term World War One



What to watch...

Have a look at the Lancaster University 'Streets of Mourning' project which highlights the effects of the war on the people of Lancaster

https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/ww1streets/

The BBC School Learning zone has a vast amount of links to resources: <u>https://school-</u> <u>learningzone.co.uk/key_stage_two/ks2_histo</u> <u>ry/british_history_/world_war_i/world_war_i</u> <u>.html</u>

This link is to Frightfil First World War – Horrible Histories and many other programmes related to WW1 <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p023r6l</u>



What to read...

National Geographic information on WW1 for children is a very thorough website <u>https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/hist</u> ory/general-history/first-world-war/

Imperial War Museum has some great World War One information https://www.iwm.org.uk/history/first-worldwar

We will be looking at the local effects of WW1, in particular the White Lund disaster – have a look at this <u>http://www.heyshamheritage.org.uk/white_lun</u> <u>d_explosion_1917.html</u>



Our class novel is Private Peaceful by Michael Morpurgo – we will also be watching the DVD

We have put together an essential list of things to watch, read and places to visit, that will help your child with their learning in topic next half term. This will allow your child to pull from their long term memory and be able to participate and engage in their learning more confidently. The more they **learn**, the more they will **know**!

Places to visit...

Lancaster Museum is the regimental museum for the King's Own Royal Regiment: http://www.kingsownmuseum.com/

Westfield Memorial Village is worth a look around: <u>https://westfieldmemorialvillage.co.uk/</u>

Further afield:

Imperial War museum north at Salford has a vast amount of World War One related material:

https://westfieldmemorialvillage.co.uk/

The Lancashire museum has exhibits including a world War one trench experience <u>https://www.visitengland.com/experience/experien</u> <u>ce-life-wwi-trench-lancashire-museum</u>