

25th October 2024

Dear Parents/carers,

As you may know, Remembrance Day is coming up on Monday 11th November. This is a day to honour and remember the brave men and women who had served and sacrificed for their country and freedom.

At our school, we want to show our respect and gratitude to the veterans and their families by participating in the Poppy Appeal. The poppy is a symbol of remembrance that was inspired by the poem "In Flanders Fields" written during the First World War.

We are asking for your generous donations to help us buy poppies for each student and staff member in our school. The poppies are provided by the Royal British Legion, which is a charity that supports the Armed Forces community in the United Kingdom. Your donations will help them provide lifelong support for those who have served our country.

If you would like to donate and receive a poppy for your child, please bring in a donation in an envelope with your child's name on it to be handed to your class teacher. We will be asking some of our year 6 pupils to visit classes at the end of each day from 4th November to 11th November for collections for the Royal British legion . We suggest a minimum donation of £1 per merchandise eg poppies, but any amount is greatly appreciated.

On November 11th, at 11am, we will be holding a one minute silence as a mark of respect to those veterans who served in the war.

Kind regards

Miss Vincent