



"A Local School with a Global Perspective"



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## Remembrance Day

Today, Shaftesbury Park Primary School joined the nation in observing a two minutes' silence to commemorate the moment the guns fell silent for peace at the end of World War One, on 11 November 1918.

Shaftesbury Park was also represented by Year 5 at the Remembrance Day Service at the Battersea Park War Memorial. In speaking with the children, it is clear that many of them found the experience to be interesting, seeing representatives of the current Armed and Civil Services as well as veterans of past conflicts, but also extremely moving.

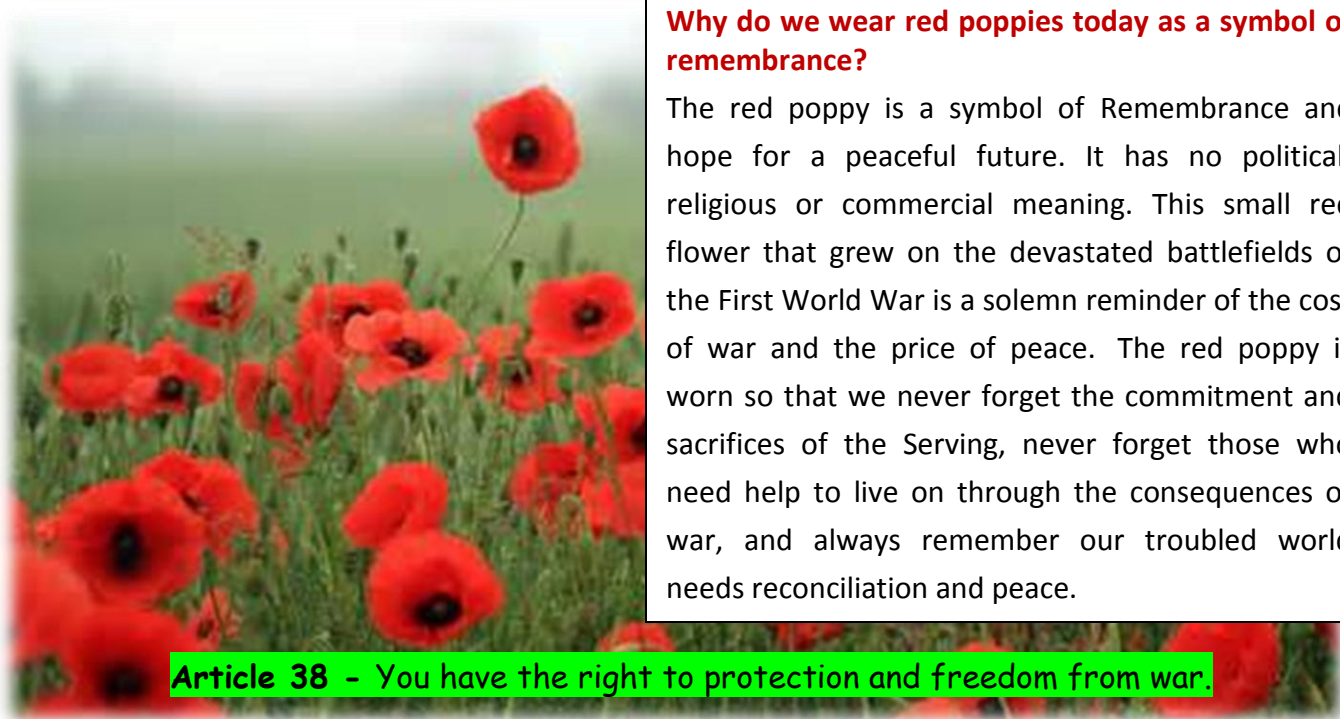
'I thought it was a worthwhile thing to do as some people have ancestors that died in the war. It was also a really good opportunity for us to learn more about that time' - Essie

'It made me really appreciate the things that people I didn't know did for me. We should respect them because they brought us peace' - Isis

'It was an honour to represent Shaftesbury Park at the ceremony' - Isis & Essie

### Why do we wear red poppies today as a symbol of remembrance?

The red poppy is a symbol of Remembrance and hope for a peaceful future. It has no political, religious or commercial meaning. This small red flower that grew on the devastated battlefields of the First World War is a solemn reminder of the cost of war and the price of peace. The red poppy is worn so that we never forget the commitment and sacrifices of the Serving, never forget those who need help to live on through the consequences of war, and always remember our troubled world needs reconciliation and peace.



**Article 38 - You have the right to protection and freedom from war.**

A key part of **the Vision and Mission of Shaftesbury Park Primary School** is to equip all of our pupils with the skills to take 'a confident place in an increasingly global and digital future' as global citizens through the encouragement of 'enquiry, creativity and curiosity about the world'. We have therefore been very impressed with the curiosity of pupils this week about Remembrance Day.

We look forward to lots of passionate discussion during **Anti Bullying Week** (next week) around this year's theme 'Power for Good'.

### Article 19

Every child has the right to be protected from all forms of violence, abuse and neglect.

Don't forget to enter our **fantastic new competition** to design a logo



for the Enabling Enterprise programme!

**Being Creative**

**Problem Solving**

**Aiming High**

**Staying Positive**

**Listening and Understanding**

**Presenting**

**Working in a Team**

**Leading**

All logos must feature an animal showing one of the key enterprise skills shown here in red. Your logo design should be accompanied by a short story or fable explaining why the animal chosen shows that enterprise skill.

Hand in your entries to the School Office by **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November** for the chance to win an **amazing prize!**

**DON'T FORGET** that the timings for tonight's KS2 Funky Hat Disco have been changed to the following:

**6.15 - 7.45pm**

We apologise for any inconvenience caused.



## Check out the Rights of the Month highlighted in blue



### Article 19

Every child has the right to be protected from all forms of violence, abuse and neglect.

### Article 23

Every child with a disability has the right to live a full and decent life with dignity and independence, and to play an active part in the community.

## Dates for the Diary

### Next Week

<b>Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Anti bullying week: Theme: 'Power for Good' International Day of Tolerance - 16/11/16	-
<b>Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Children in Need - donate £1 to wear Spots in School	-

### Coming Soon

<b>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November</b>	FoSP meeting 7.00pm-8.30pm	Parents welcome
<b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November</b>	Reception class 2017 open morning 1 (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents
<b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Autumn term Parents evening 1	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
<b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Reception class 2017 open morning 2 (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents
<b>Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Autumn term Parents evening 2	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
<b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Nursery class 2017 open morning (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents
<b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Winter fete at 3.30pm	Everybody welcome!
<b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Autumn term Parent evening 3	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
<b>Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Children's Christmas lunch	-
<b>Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December</b>	KS1/2 Christmas performance at the Ascension Church - 2pm	Parents welcome
<b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December</b>	FS Nativity for parents (in school) 9.30am	Parents welcome
<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b>	FS Nativity for parents (in school) 2pm	Parents welcome
<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christmas parties and Santa in the afternoon	-
<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December</b>	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day Last day of term - <b>2pm finish</b>	-