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9th November 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

Re: Armistice Day - Friday 11th November 2022 (0044-22SRA)

As we approach Armistice Day on Friday 11th November 2022, pupils have taken part in assemblies delivered by Mr McCavanagh - Head of History, to learn about the significance of remembrance, why poppies are a visual representation and how we can continue to remember and support this important annual event.

As always, the school will be holding a 2-minute silence on Friday at 11:00 AM. We ask that pupils wear their poppies for the remainder of this week and encourage any pupils who attend or are part of Cadets, Scouts, Brownies or other services linked to the Armed Forces, to wear their services uniform on Friday 11th November 2022.

Please engage in conversations with your child about the importance of Armistice and Remembrance Day in Britain and the rest of the world. Due to current world affairs the remembrance of war and those that have been lost will be a topic that will be at the forefront of our children's minds.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

Mr S Rawle

Deputy Headteacher











