## Home-School Learning Collaboration – History



Topics in this cycle: World War One	Taught: Summer 2	Year Group: 8
Key knowledge/concepts to be learnt ('Tell me about')		Websites/blogs/YouTube links and further reading to deepen and consolidate learning
<ul> <li>Weapons and Technology</li> <li>The use of new weapons and technology to break the stalemate</li> <li>Interpretation analysis</li> </ul>		The Battle of the Somme - https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/articles/zn3hwty
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<ul> <li>German U-Boat Campaign</li> <li>What the German U-Boat Campaign was</li> <li>The campaign's impact upon Britain</li> </ul>		Men on the Home Front - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqhyb9q/artic les/zdtskmn#zphttrd
<ul> <li>Conscientious Objectors</li> <li>What happened if you refused to fight in the war</li> <li>Case studies – Why did people object? What happened?</li> </ul>		Medicine in WW1 - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z68prj6#zk94 <u>4xs</u>
<ul> <li>Medicine in WW1</li> <li>How did medicine improve during WW1 – X-rays, Plastic Surgery, Blood transfusions, Splints</li> <li>Extended Writing – Significance</li> </ul>		Women on the Front Line - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/znhvwty
<ul> <li>Women in WW1</li> <li>Impact of WW1 on Women – more access to jobs, the right to vote</li> <li>Source analysis – Usefulness</li> </ul>		Women on the Home Front - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqhyb9q/artic les/zj8my9q

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Key Vocabulary and Definitions To Be Learnt		What Will The Assessment Look Like?
Militarism	Building up armies, getting ready for war.	Unit test: 1 hour
Alliances	Agreements or promises to help another country.	<ul> <li>Short answer questions x 10</li> <li>Extended writing question: Consequence – To what extent was Britain impacted by the First World War?</li> </ul>
Imperialism	The building up of empires.	
Nationalism	Having pride in and a love for your country.	
Schlieffen Plan	A German military strategy to attack France first and then Russia in WW1.	
Propaganda	Information used to promote an idea/cause.	
Mobilise	To prepare soldiers for war.	Family Learning Opportunities
Trench	A long, narrow ditch in the ground where most of the fighting in WW1 took place.	
Stalemate	A situation where neither side can win (a draw).	<ul> <li>World War One sources are held in the Heritage Research Area on <u>Level 4 of the Library of Birmingham.</u></li> <li>These resources can be used to research the histories of ancestors who were in the armed forces in the First World War.</li> <li>Visit a memorial: <u>The Hall of Memory</u> in Birmingham,</li> </ul>
Artillery	Large guns used in warfare on land.	
Home Front	The civilian population at home during a time when the army is fighting abroad.	
Conscription	The compulsory enrolment of people into the military for war.	
Suffragette	A women seeking the right to vote through protest.	