How you can help:

Discuss remembrance

Visit Hyde Town Hall to see the name plaques or Werneth Low to see the monument.

Look out for soldier silhouttes around Tameside and Manchester.

Key Vocab:

Memory, memories, remember, remembrance, history, World War 1, brave courageous, determined.

Engagement Activity:

The children will attend Remembrance assemblies at the start of the project.

Curriculum opportunities:

English: Children to explore memories through the book ‘Wildfred Gordon McDonald Partridge which is a about a boy’s friendship with an older person.

The children will complete a factfile about a World War 1 soldier.

Humanities:

Children will talk about our local area including the war memorial at Hyde Town Hall.

We will do historical research through looking at photographs and asking questions.

We will make our own timelines.

We will find out about the World War 1 soldiers – Fred Moss, James Muldoon and John Shaw Purssglove.

[**http://hwmt.org/men/mossfred.htm**](http://hwmt.org/men/mossfred.htm) **;** [**http://hwmt.org/men/muldoonjames.htm**](http://hwmt.org/men/muldoonjames.htm)**;** [**http://hwmt.org/men/purssglovejohnshaw.htm**](http://hwmt.org/men/purssglovejohnshaw.htm)

Creative arts: We will create soldier silhouette. We will contribute to the school memorial by painting stones.
We will be creating poppy art using various mediums.

Project outcomes:

Children will understand the sacrifices made by previous generations that afford us the life we enjoy.

Communicating learning:

The work will contribute towards a whole school memorial wall.

Project synopsis:

The class will examine the biographical details of one of the 710 men listed on the Hyde War Memorial from World War 1 and produce a biography that answers the question-“Who was our hero?”

Year group: Year 1

Project title: We remember - who was our hero? Project and Exhibition: Biography of a hero

Term: November 2018