

Remembering and Reflecting: Remembrance Day

Pause, Reflect, and Remember: Join Pip and Ellie in honouring the past.

- **Remembrance Day is held every year on the 11th of November to mark the end of the First World War in 1918.**
- **At 11:00 am, a two-minute silence is held across the nation to show respect for those who lost their lives in wars.**
- **The poppy is worn as a sign of respect and to raise money for veterans and their families who may need support.**
- **Many people visit war memorials or cenotaphs to lay wreaths of flowers in memory of those who served our country.**
- **Remembrance is not just about the past; it is a time to think about the importance of peace and kindness in our world today.**

Did you know? Did you know? The red poppy became a symbol of remembrance because these hardy flowers were the first to grow in the churned-up soil of the battlefields in Flanders after the First World War ended.

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