Remembrance Day with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To understand the significance of Remembrance Day and identify symbols of reflection and peace.

Ellie the Elephant is learning about history today. Use your pencils to create a thoughtful picture to show respect for Remembrance Day. Follow the steps below to complete your drawing.

Draw: Draw a respectful scene for Remembrance Day. Include a large, bright red poppy in the foreground. In the background, draw a stone memorial or a peaceful park with trees. Use soft colours to show a calm, quiet atmosphere. Add a wreath made of leaves and flowers at the base of your memorial.

Label words: poppy · medal · wreath · peace · remember

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw a red poppy in the centre of your page. Why do we wear poppies? Write your answer here.
2. Step 2: Draw a circle shape below your poppy to represent a wreath. What does a wreath symbolise?
3. Step 3: Label your drawing using at least three words from the word bank.
4. Step 4: Draw a quiet park scene around your poppy. Why is it important to be quiet at a memorial?
5. Step 5: Ellie remembers the names of people who were brave. Who is someone you think is brave? Write their name below.