

Remembering with Ellie: A Remembrance Day Reflection

Learning objective: To write a short reflection on the significance of Remembrance Day using appropriate historical vocabulary.

Follow these steps to write your reflection. Use the sentence starters to help you. Think about what Ellie the elephant has taught us about why we remember the past.

Every year on the 11th of November, we take a moment to stop and show our respect.

Word bank: Remembrance · poppy · sacrifice · peace · bravery · respect · tradition · honor · because · however · also · in addition

1. What is Remembrance Day and why do we wear a poppy? Start your sentence with: We wear a red poppy because... (2 marks)

2. What happens during the two-minute silence? Start your sentence with: During the two-minute silence, I think about... (2 marks)

3. Why is it important to remember the people who helped us in the past? Start your sentence with: It is important to remember them because... (2 marks)

4. How can we show peace in our own lives today? Start your sentence with: Today, I can show peace by... (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Write one sentence about a family member or a person you admire who shows bravery.