

Year 5 / 6 Week 5 Homework!

English: WW1 Poetry

You MUST watch the FLIP videos in order to complete this H.W!

We will soon be moving onto Poetry for our final topic in English. These poems will be regarding WW1 (Linking to what we've been studying for History & Non-Fiction English).

By now you're all familiar with Poems and the way in which Poetry is written.

Authors always try to use beautiful, symbolic writing to describe their subject's matter within the poem. What is being described is not always made so obvious, but rather Similes, Metaphors and Symbolism is heavily used to create vivid imagery within the readers minds.

The FLIP video contains an animated video depicting three WW1 poems. The animation will help you understand what the Poet is writing about in a more striking manner.

Three Poems

'The Owl' by Edward Thomas

'Dulche et Decorum' by Wilfred Owen

'In Flanders Field' by John McCrae

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1. This week, you need to choose one of these three poems and create a beautiful poster for it!
 - A4 Size!
 - Not in your H.W books! On separate paper, so that we can display it within the school!
 - You just need to re-write the poem and make it presentable!
 - Create a border, add images that match to the poem's descriptions!
2. You then need to write a short summary of what you think your chosen poem is about!
 - Do not just copy what you see in the video!
 - Try to explain it through your own words, use descriptive language!
 - This task should be done inside your H.W Books!

