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Nov 2025

The Heys School
Remembrance Service & Activities

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am writing to inform you of this year's Heys School Remembrance activities.

Every year on November the 11th at 11am a 2-minute silence is held across the country to pay respect to those who have fought for our freedoms across all wars. To fully recognise the sacrifices, they have made we will have our own moments silence at 9:54am, allowing all students to pay their respects. During this moments silence, selected year groups will lay wreaths in front of our steps, whilst readings are read by our student council members.

All students within forms will focus on creating poppy memorial garden within their PSHE form time, which will be displayed at the front of the school. KS3 students will be producing their own poppy within their history lesson this week, focusing on a specific theme that shows their respect and gratitude and our continued respect for those who have fallen.

This year's Prestwich Remembrance Service will be held on Sunday 9th November, and as part of this community we feel it is vital to pay our respects to those who have fallen, therefore selected students have been offered the opportunity to lay wreaths on behalf of the school, and our head prefects have been asked to conduct a reading at the service.

Furthermore, a number of our prefects have volunteered their free time to raise money for the Royal British Legion throughout next week. This will allow all students the opportunity to donate or purchase 'Poppy Appeal Products', all the money raised goes towards Royal British Legion who provide support for all who have served and their families.

We are proud of our students' commitment to honouring those who have served, and we thank you for your continued support

Yours faithfully,

Mr Jackson

Lead Practitioner of Humanities

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