

Friday 17th October 2025

Remembrance Poppy Appeal

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you may know, Remembrance Day is coming up on Tuesday 11th November. This is a day to honour and remember the brave men and women who had served and sacrificed for their country and freedom.

At Kingfisher, we would like to show our respect and gratitude to the veterans and their families by participating in the Poppy Appeal. The poppy is a symbol of remembrance that was inspired by the poem "In Flanders Fields," written during the First World War.

We are asking for your generous donations to help us buy poppies and other merchandise for each student and staff member in our school. The merchandise and poppies are provided by the Royal British Legion, which is a charity that supports the Armed Forces community in the United Kingdom. Your donations will help them provide lifelong support for those who have served our country.

If you would like to donate and receive a poppy for your child, please bring in a donation in an envelope with your child's name on it to be handed to your class teacher. We will be asking some of our year 6 pupils to visit classes at the end of each day from Tuesday 21st October to 11th November for collections for the Royal British legion. There will also be poppies available to purchase at the office. We suggest a minimum donation of £1 per merchandise eg poppies, but any amount is greatly appreciated.

On November 11th, at 11am, we will be holding a one-minute silence as a mark of respect to those veterans who served in the war.

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