

LEST WE FORGET Wednesday 11 November



On Wednesday 11 November at 11am, students and staff at Drayton Manor High School stopped to observe a two-minute silence and remember those men and women who lost their lives in the Great War and in all armed conflicts since. It was also a chance to reflect on those students who attended Drayton Manor who gave up their today that we might have our tomorrow and who are featured on the War Memorial located outside the School Hall.

As the two-minute silence began, Year 8 Student Adam played the Last Post in the piazza which echoed poignantly around the buildings. Those who could hear it were impressed with the tone and quality of Adam's musical expression, which is particularly impressive as he learnt the piece in just a few days. You can watch Adam playing the Last Post by clicking here.

During this week of Remembrance students have also marked the occasion by delivering assemblies to their peers. They have been reading out stories taken from The Forgotten Stories of the Great War and sharing their own personal accounts and thoughts on war. Thanks for their involvement in these special assemblies go to Hermione Vestey, Alfie Anderson, Jamari Daroux, Lucille Brown, Laiba Ali, Yusuf Ismarai, Lella Charalambous, Olivia Trzcinska, Vasyl Bender, Heidi Jassim, Daniel Ruzbehan, Marwa Saffi, Leena Oeurghi, Aaron Djokaran, Munira Abdulle, Briana Tuta, Alketa Ahmetaj, Rathurshan Rajeekaran, Ahmad Shahid, Rosie Lalbachan-Dow, Nidhi Madhani and Georges Yunan.