
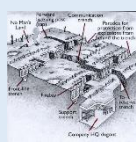


Private Peaceful			
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Key Dates			
World War One	1914 - 1918		
Start of WW1	28 th July 1914		
Britain entered WW1	4 th August 1914		
WW1 ended	11 th November 1918		
Geographical Focus			
Europe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Countries in Triple Entente: Great Britain, France Russia Countries in the Triple Alliance: Germany, Austro-Hungary, (Italy) Other key countries: Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina (Sarajevo) 	 	
Historical Focus			
Causes of World War One		Trenches	
Empire	Lots of different countries around the world ruled by one country	Trench	A long ditch dug deep into the ground. To protect the soldiers from enemy fire, because the soldiers couldn't be seen.
Alliance	Where two or more countries sign an official document agreeing to protect each other	Trench warfare	To force the enemy back and out of your country, by fighting and capturing their trenches.
Assassination	The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand was used as an excuse for Austro-Hungary to declare war	Purpose of Trench Warfare	Soldiers dug long ditches in the ground to protect them while fighting and trying to push the enemy back.
		Types of trenches	Front line trenches, support trenches, reserve trenches and communication trenches, No Man's Land, dug outs.
Recruitment		Living conditions	Trenches were horrible places to live, made worse by the weather, poor uniforms and lack of good food.
Propaganda	Posters and adverts designed to encourage men to join the army	Weapons and equipment	Rifles, bayonets, artillery shells, sandbags, barbed wire
Training	Men were trained in camps in Britain and in France with minimal equipment and time	Stalemate	When neither side can push their enemy back very far and it looks like neither side can win.
Punishment	Men were severely punished for defying orders of superior officers	Over the Top	You would be sent 'over the top' of your trench to attack the enemy in their trench. It was very dangerous because the enemy could see you once you were out of your trench and you would probably be killed very quickly.
Life in rural England in the Early 20 th Century			
Hierarchy	Rich people had more power than poor people		
Religion	Most people in England went to Church. Christianity provided moral guidance		
Women	Women did not work and were not allowed to join the fighting in the war. They had service roles e.g. cleaning, cooking		

