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# Moral

We also had a visit from senior members of our community at Remembrance to share primary sources about their relatives who fought in the war and returned to their loved ones. We saw medals and talked about why members of our village think it is important to remember these brave people and how they helped others in battle and risked their own lives to care for others.



Here Year 3 are decorating our war memorial (created in 2014) with blue when we realised that the French use Cornflowers as their symbol of Remembrance. We thought it was important to remember the men who lost their lives fighting for our freedom to live as we do in the UK on the Somme. We laid a wreath to remember Alfred Nichols who died on the Somme on the 14th July 1916 on the hundred year anniversary of his death; he was from Northborough and we held a two minute silence to remember what he did for us.



At Remembrance Year 4 revisited our memorial and thought about the men of the village who died during the first world war. We also looked carefully at the plaque which was added to remember Alfred falling on the Somme. We talked about how lucky we are to have the freedoms we have; voiced by Year 6 on the plaque in 2014. Many children in our school try to make sense of what is going on in our world today and apply the values of respect for others and their learning about different faiths and different cultural traditions helpful when forming their own views. The children know what it means to be British and value the diversity of our country and how this enriches it.



We invited people from the community to come and share crumble with us at Harvest when we learnt that morally we should share what we have with others. We support the Mustard Seed Project to help other children who don't have what we do. We shared some of the stories that Jesus told with our visitors and talked about what Jesus was teaching people about how they should treat each other. Members of the community shared their favourite stories with us.