

UPDATE FOR PARENTS

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November
2025

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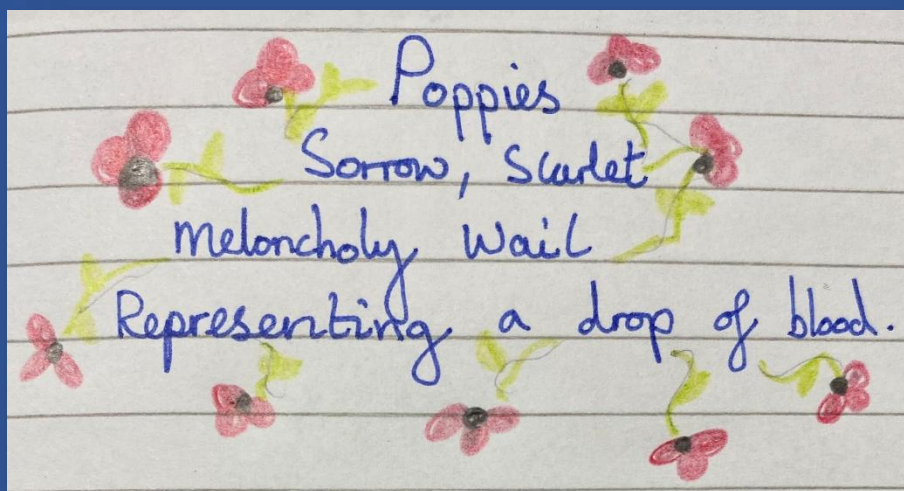
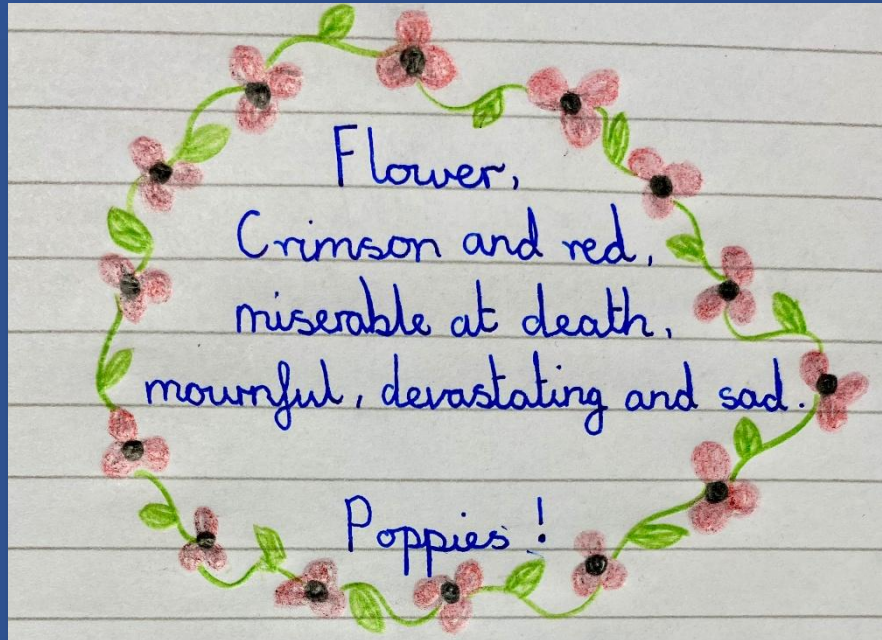
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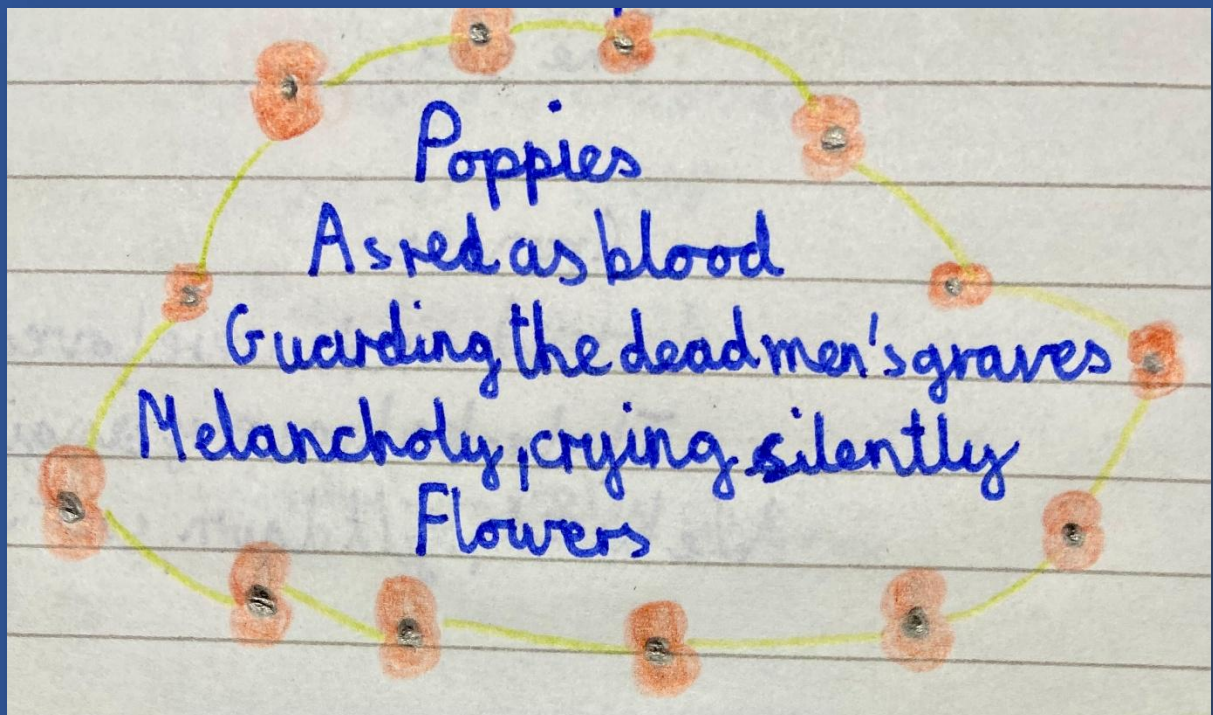
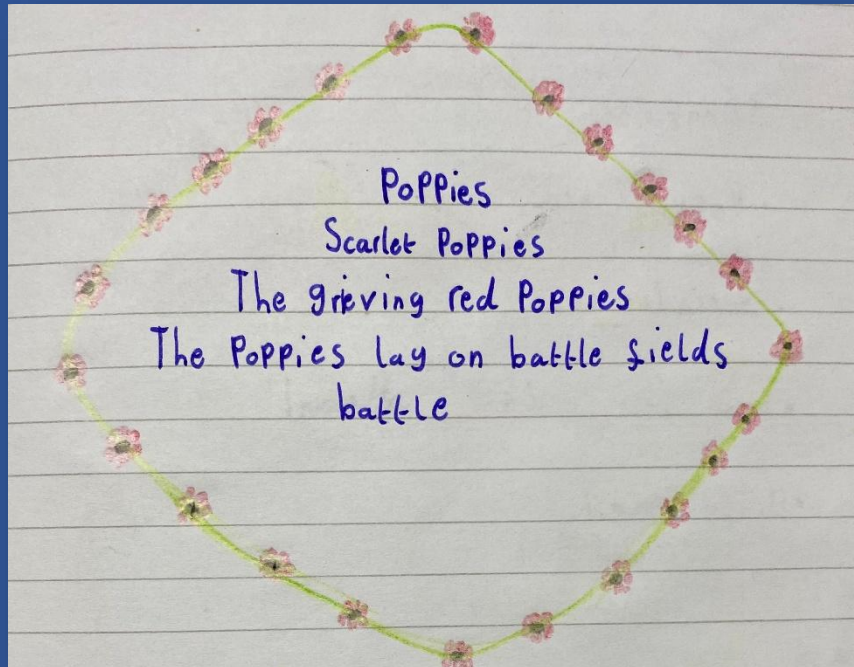
On Tuesday we had our Remembrance day Assembly, when at the 11th hour on the 11th day of the 11th month, we joined with people from all over the world in remembering those men and women who gave their lives in the first and second world wars, and the conflicts since.

We focussed on their sacrifice and the privilege of our freedom.

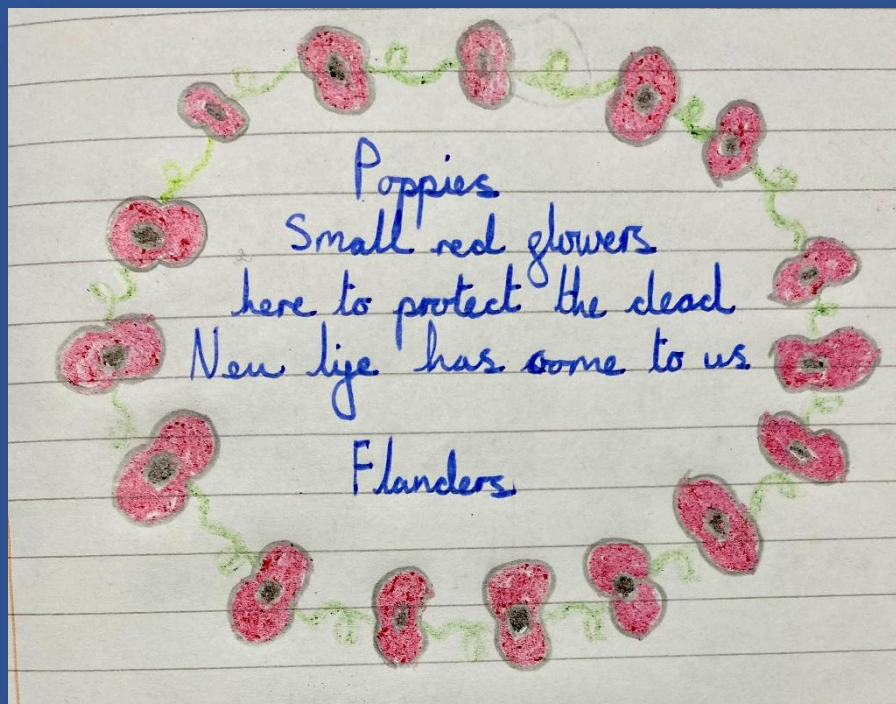
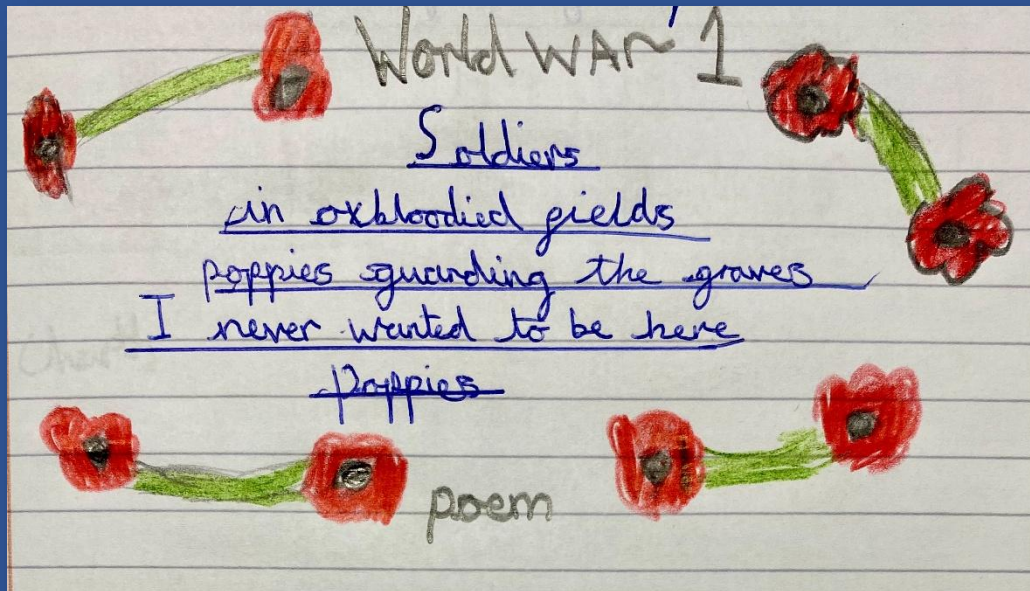
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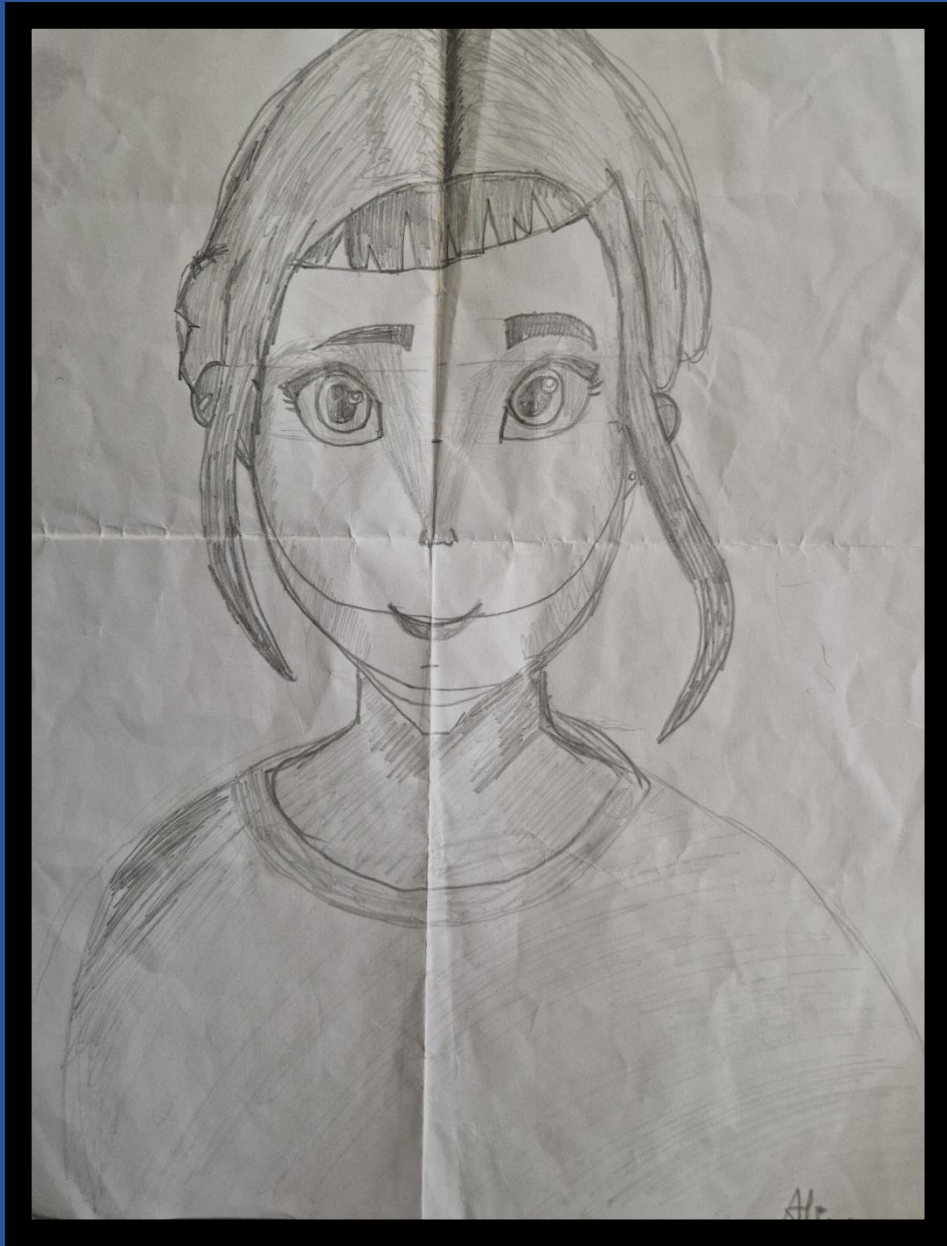


Art of the Week



Shivi, year 4 Willow

Art of the Week



Aliza, year 4 Juniper

Art of the Week



'Fire flower in flames'

Vedanshi, Year 4 Willow

Congratulations to Bella



I am delighted to tell you that, over the summer, Bella received the Best Child Actor Award at the Swedish International Film Festival for her lead role in the film 'One Small Step'.

In May, Bella was selected by renowned director Jon M. Chu to join the cast of WICKED, produced by Universal Studios, which will be released worldwide on 21st November 2025.



You can read more about Bella's in this week's Watford Observer by clicking [here](#)

We wish Bella all the best for the opening night, and look forward to following her career.

Congratulations...



Many congratulations to our Year 6 Hockey team, James, Freddie, Hussain-Ali, Charlie, Ayush, Clara, Megha, Cassie, Emin, Zachary, Harrison who won their tournament. They will now go through to the final!

Events for the Autumn Term

Date	Event	Time	Notes
18/11/2025	Flu Vaccination - Catch-up Session	TBA	For those children who missed the first vaccination - Email to follow with parental consent form
18/11/2025	IMPORTANT Parents Evening - Online	3.45pm-7.00pm	Parents of children in years 3 – 6 invited to meet with the Class Teacher for a 10 minute appointment. Online booking opened on Monday 3 rd November
20/11/2025	IMPORTANT Parents Evening - Online	3.45pm-7.00pm	
4/12/2025	*NEW EVENT: Film Club*	3.30-5.00pm	Open to 120 children - booking will be open in the w/b 3/11/2025
11/12/2025	Carol Service at St Andrew's Church, Church Road, Watford	10.00-10.45am (years 3&4) 11.15-12.00am (years 5 &6)	Ticketed event for all parents (first come first served basis due to space restrictions)
12/12/2025	Christmas Dinner	12.00-1.30pm	Open to all children whose parents order a meal
15/12/2025	Whole School Pantomime	Please note: Leaving school at 8.45am	Whole school walks to the Watford Palace Theatre. Parent volunteers required
18/12/2025	Singer of the Year - Final	TBA	Open to parents of children who take part in the final
19/12/2025	Last day of the Term School finishes at 12pm	12pm	Please note school finishing time

Community event

CASH ONLY

Would you like to sell ?

Limited number of tables available.
To book please email:
milliemoosbabysale@hotmail.com

Millie Moo's
BABY & Toy
TABLE TOP
SALE

Location: The Meridan
Community Centre
Watford, WD25 9ET

New & Used

Parent & Baby Essentials

Toys & Games

£1 per
adult entry

Raffle,
Teddy Tombola
&
Refreshments

12:45-2:30pm
SAT 20th Dec

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A year 4 parent is arranging a Baby and Child clothes and toy sale to help local parents buy essentials both new and used for a reasonable price.

This event will take place on Saturday 20th December in the Meridan Community Centre.

Please spread the word to anyone who would be interested, and thank you to Zoe for arranging such a worthwhile event.

Focus on Attendance

There continues to be an increased national and Hertfordshire focus on the importance of attendance. All our attendance figures are reported to the Department for Education every week, enabling them to assess how well each school is doing.

Congratulations to 5 Elm for the highest attendance percentage and to 4 Juniper and 5 Beech for attendance over our target percentage.

Attendance and punctuality report Week beginning 3 rd November		
<i>Class</i>	<i>Attendance percentage</i>	<i>Number of children late</i>
3 Holly	96.67%	2
3 Oak	96.21%	8
4 Juniper	97.67%	6
4 Willow	96%	9
5 Beech	98.33%	2
5 Elm	99%	4
6 Poplar	95%	1
6 Rowan	96%	1



Our overall attendance target is 97%!

Stars of the week

Friday 14th November



Class	Nominee	Reason
3 Holly	Natanael	<i>For all your fantastic ideas and answers in lessons. You are such an important and treasured member of Holly Class.</i>
3 Oak	Whole class	<i>For being consistently hardworking and demonstrating outstanding classroom behaviour for all teaching staff. Well done for adapting well to unexpected changes to your day on Thursday. You did me proud.</i>
4 Juniper	Chloe	<i>For demonstrating excellent cross stitch skills during our D&T lessons.</i>
4 Willow	Shivi	<i>For working hard to practise her times tables resulting her making excellent progress in her multiplication speed check result.</i>
5 Beech	Ariana and Deva	<i>Ariana and Deva both did a wonderful job of reading aloud to the school in our Remembrance Day assembly. They should both be very proud that they read with such confidence. Very well done!</i>
5 Elm	Owee	<i>For consistently trying extremely hard in lessons to do her absolute best, as well as for always engaging in class discussions and answering class questions. Well done Owee!</i>
6 Poplar	Valentina	<i>For her brilliant basketball skills in this week's P.E. lesson. Valentina showed excellent skill, enthusiasm and sportsmanship in our class competition. Well done, Valentina!</i>
6 Rowan	Reyansh	<i>For a beautifully written non-chronological report about an invented planet. You were able to adapt your style of writing to the formal tone required, use relative clauses effectively and use brackets correctly for parenthesis. Well done!</i>