

Year 6: Eagles

History

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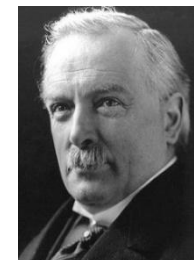
World War I



Important People



Archduke Franz Ferdinand.
Heir to the Austrian-Hungarian throne.
Assassinated 1914.



David Lloyd George
Prime Minister of Britain during World War I



Kaiser Wilhelm II
German Emperor during World War II

Key Vocabulary	Definition
alliance	A union or relationship formed between countries /organisations to benefit them both.
armistice	An agreement made to stop fighting a war, also referred to as a truce.
chemical warfare	The use of toxic chemicals to kill or injure enemies. In WW1, chlorine, phosgene and mustard gases were used.
conscription	A law that says if you are able to fight in the war, you have to. During WW1, by 1916, all men aged 18-41 had to go to war and fight for their country.
enlist	Enrol or be enrolled in the armed services
Home Front	This refers to life in Britain during WW1.
imperialism	When a country increases its power and influence by colonising (taking over) another country.
mechanical warfare	The use of armoured fighting vehicles in modern warfare. Sometimes referred to as "armoured" or "tank" warfare.
No Man's Land	The land between the trenches of opposing armies. It was very muddy and could have mines, barbed wire and corpses strewn over it.
propaganda	Information, especially of a biased or misleading nature, used to promote a political cause or point of view.
trench warfare	Where opposite sides of a war fight from trenches dug into the ground, facing each other.

Who was the war fought between?

Triple Entente



France



Great Britain



Russia

Triple Alliance



Austria-Hungary



Germany



Italy

Timeline of important events

