

History: How did World War One impact our locality?

Vocabulary	Definition
alliance	A group of countries who protect each other
treaty	A contract/agreement between countries
home front	The people living in a country at war
triple entente	An alliance between Great Britain, France, and Russian Empire
triple alliance	An alliance between Germany and Austria-Hungary (Italy never fought for them).
conscripted	When someone is forced to join an army.
trench warfare	Where soldiers fight from trenches.

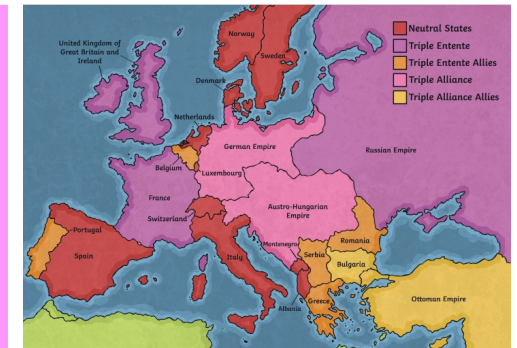
28 th June 1914	28 th July 1914	4 th August 1914	24 th - 25 th December 1914	11 th November 1918	1919
Archduke Franz Ferdinand is assassinated	Austria-Hungary declares war on Serbia	Britain declares war on Germany	Christmas Truce- all fighting stopped for a day	Armistice is signed which ends the war	Treaty of Versailles is signed

How and why did WWI start?

On 28 June 1914, Archduke Franz Ferdinand, the heir to the throne of Austria-Hungary, was killed by a Serbian man.

Austria-Hungary declared war on Serbia.

Other countries became involved due to alliances and agreements to protect each other.



War Memorials



Keyworth War Memorial contains names of soldiers from Keyworth.

People can pay their respects.

We can learn how the war impacted our community.

How did life change in Keyworth?



Most men were conscripted.

Women and men who weren't conscripted took over as farmers, factory workers, shopkeepers and office workers.

Jobs on the home front were vital for the war effort.

Trench warfare, weapons and technology

Much of WWI was fought using trench warfare.

Developments in weapons and technology changed how people fought:

- Planes
- Battleships
- Submarines
- Machine guns



Trenches

Dirty, cold and wet

Full of disease

Trench foot

Rats



The end of WWI



Germany surrendered on 11th November 1918.

They signed an armistice which stopped the fighting.

Huge celebrations took place.

Soldiers suffered bad impacts of war.