HOW DO WE REMEMBER WWI?

CENOTAPH

Meaning 'empty tomb' in Greek, the Cenotaph represents the absence of the fallen soldiers, most of whom were buried near where they fell, rather than being repatriated.



POPPIES

Poppies thrived in the churned up landscapes of the Western Front and featured in wartime poetry, eventually becoming a strong symbol of remembrancefor those who died in war.

WAR MEMORIALS

LAST POST

The Last Post is a military bugle call that signifies the end of the day's activities. Its use in military funerals and remembrance services signals that the fallen soldier or soldiers have gone to their final rest.

War Memorials are erected to remind us of those who served and died in war. They come in many different forms, but usually bear the names of fallen or missing soldiers. They provide a focal point for people to commemorate fallen comrades, friends and family members and remind us of the human cost of warfare.

