Make Your Own: Remembrance Wreath

Find out more about the different types of poppies and flowers of remembrance. Then have a go at making your own remembrance wreath.

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Red Poppy - red poppies have been around for 100 years, first made to remember those who died during the First World War.



Black Poppy Rose - this poppy recognises the contribution of people of African, Black, West Indian, and Pacific Island communities during conflict.



Purple Poppy - purple poppies remember animals who have contributed to war- horses, dogs and even pigeons.

Some countries use different flowers to remember those who died during war.



Germany - Forget Me Not





Belgium - Daisy

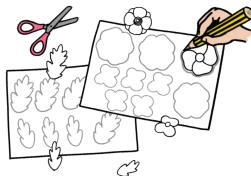


White Poppy - this poppy symbolises peace and finding peaceful alternatives to war.

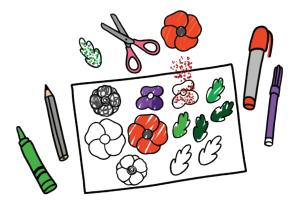
MAKE YOUR OWN WREATH

You will need: Scissors, Paper, Glue, Drawing/Decorating Materials

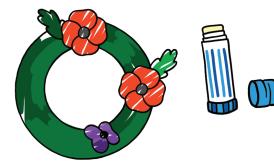
1. Cut out the poppy and leaf templates, draw around these to create as many poppies and leaves as you would like to fill your wreath.



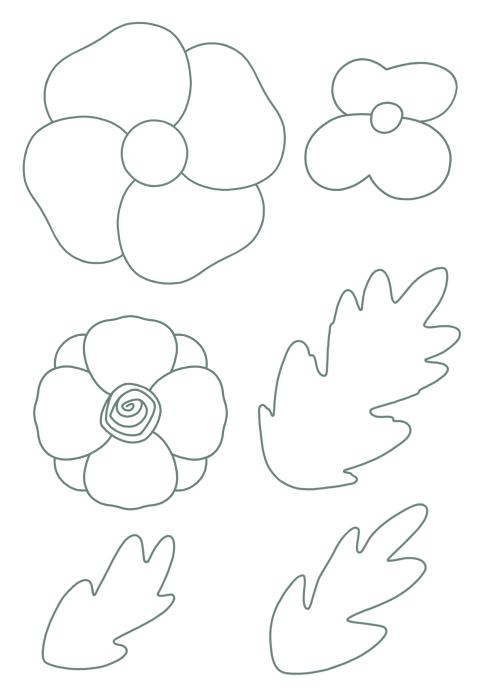
2. Decorate or colour in your poppies and leaves then cut them all out.



3. Cut out the wreath shape (see next page) and stick your poppies and leaves on using glue.



POPPY & LEAF TEMPLATES



WREATH SHAPE

Colour in the shape then cut it out with scissors.

To make it easier to cut away the middle you can cut along the dotted line first and repair it later by gluing decorations over it.

