

You can visit the galleries in this trail in any order

UPPER LEVEL
BATTLE
SOCIETY

LOWER LEVEL
ARMY

Temporary Exhibition Space
Toilets



UPPER LEVEL
Café
Toilets



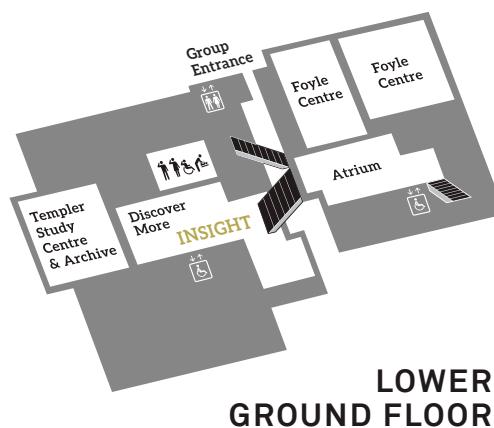
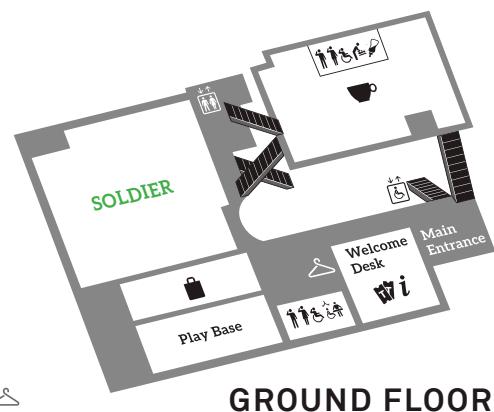
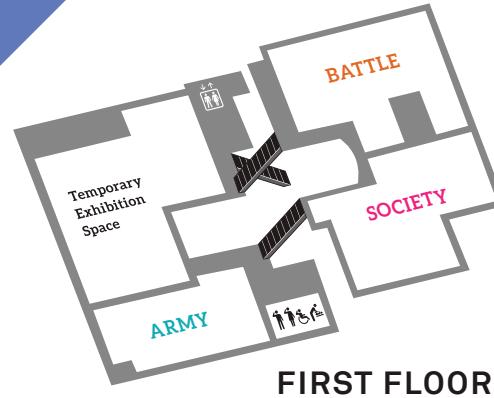
LOWER LEVEL
SOLDIER

Play Base
Shop
Welcome Desk
Main Entrance
Toilets



UPPER LEVEL
Atrium
Foyle Centre
Group Entrance

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INSIGHT
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REMEMBRANCE

How do we remember those affected by war?

KEY STAGE 1

SCHOOLS TRAIL

REMEMBRANCE

The First World War took place 100 years ago but even today people remember what happened and commemorate the people who died.

Follow this trail to find out how and why people remember those who have served in wars.

This trail takes you to four different galleries in the Museum and you can visit them in any order.

FIND THE SECRET CODE WORD!

When you have finished the trail, take the letters from the numbered boxes in your answers and write them in the spaces below to discover the secret code word:

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IN SOLDIER GALLERY

Museums are great places to discover more about other people's lives and remember their stories.

Look to your right as you enter the gallery and find this jacket ➤

It is over 200 years old and could have been worn by a boy as young as five. **What was his job?**

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Do you think he was happy being in the Army so young?
Discuss with a friend.

Go to the back of the gallery and find the child's dressing gown.
(HINT: It's near the large armoured car).

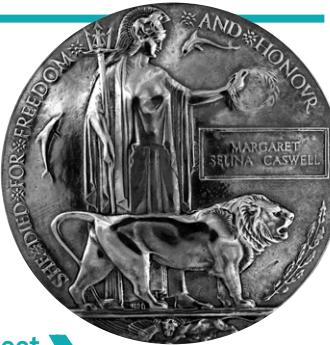
Soldiers want to remember their time in the Army too. One soldier collected lots of military badges, sewed them on to this dressing gown and gave it to his son. **What badge would you wear to help you remember someone or something? Draw your design below:**

IN ARMY GALLERY

There are all sorts of ways to remember those who have served in the Army.

Go to the back of the gallery and look at the Women in the British Army display. Find this object ➔

Use the touch screen to find out more about it. What is it called?



These were given to the families of every serviceman and woman who died in the First World War. This one was awarded to one of the first women to join the British Army. **What was her name?**

People also remember animals that have served in the Army.



Go to the left wall of the gallery and find the display about a famous mule who won medals over a hundred years ago.

What was his name?

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Draw a picture of him below:

**Do you think it is right that animals should get medals?
Discuss with a friend.**

IN BATTLE GALLERY

Sometimes soldiers remember a battle they have been in by capturing things that belonged to the enemy.

Go into the gallery and turn left. Find the large horse skeleton. This horse belonged to the Emperor Napoleon and it was captured from him after the Battle of Waterloo. **What was the horse's name?**

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What else can you spot that belonged to Napoleon?

**Do you think it is right for soldiers to take things belonging to the enemy?
Discuss with a friend.**

**Now go to the Total war 1914-45 section of the gallery. Find this object ➔
(HINT: It's opposite the large display case full of guns)**

Simple objects are sometimes saved to remember a tragic event from the past.

**This is a piece of wood from a Buddhist shrine.
Where did the wood come from?**



Why has it been kept?

IN SOCIETY GALLERY

Today there are many charities that support ex-servicemen and women.

Find the Charities and support display.

(HINT: It's to the left of the poppy display at the back of the gallery).

Can you see three types of food and drink sold in support of soldiers' charities? Write the names below:

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Now look at the large display about poppies. They were first sold in 1921 to raise money for ex-soldiers. Which organisation sold them?

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Poppies are now a symbol of remembrance for many people of many different religions.

Find the multi-faith memorial markers. Draw any two of them below:

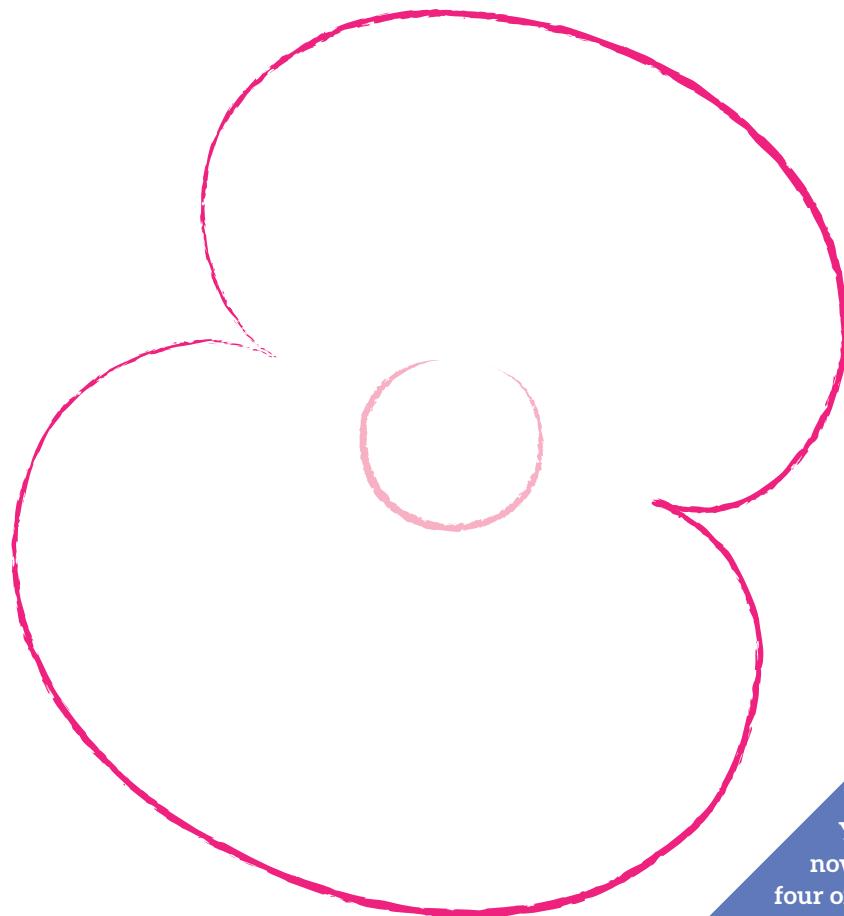


Today, poppies (and not only red ones!) are used by other organisations too. Find the peace poppy and the Animal aid poppy. **What colours are they?**

PEACE POPPY:

ANIMAL AID POPPY:

Write your own message of remembrance on the poppy wall or on the poppy below:



You have now visited four of the five Museum galleries. There are still many more things to discover!