

# The De Montfort School

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Dear Parent/Carer

## Invitation to our Remembrance Poppy Service

For the last four years we have held an extremely moving Remembrance Service at The De Montfort School where our students and staff have created a "human poppy" and which featured on the BBC, and last year, a special poppy on a cross.



Our intention is to mark the incredible significance of the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of the First World War with a very special symbolic "human 100" and fall silent for 2 minutes in remembrance of those who made the ultimate sacrifice for the freedoms that we share.

Last year we were delighted to be joined by pupils from Years 4 and 5 from St Richard's C of E First School and this year we will also be including Year 3. **We would very much like to share this important event with you and would like as many parents as possible from TDMS and St Richard's to join us for our short service. Please arrive at The De Montfort School reception at 10.30am on Friday 9 November 2018.**

Our Year 11 students and our Sixth Form will be wearing black/in school uniform. All other TDMS and St Richard's students will be wearing red.

Students representing all branches of military cadets can wear their military uniform but please do note that they must not wear it to school (cadet rules). They will be able to change into their cadet uniform at school before the service.

We look forward to being able to share this important moment of remembrance with you.

Yours sincerely

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