

First World War KS2 and 3 trails at Norwich Castle

Teachers' notes and help sheet

All First World War displays are found in the Royal Norfolk Regiment gallery, on the Rotunda Balcony.

If you have a large group, you can divide into 3 and carousel the following areas:

- First World War display case (to the left of Britannia)
- Two touch-screen computers near the entrance to the Timothy Gurney Gallery that show a timeline of the Norfolk Regiment's history
- Two touch-screen computers at the top of the stairs that look in more detail at the objects in the collection

There are trails available for KS2 and KS3 for the display case and there is a challenge sheet for both sets of computers for KS2 and 3.

KS2 trail help with finding objects

Write down another object which has the badge of Britannia on it.

Trench art (18)

Cigarette box (26)

Cap badge (60)

Flag (58)

Cap of uniform (68)

Sweetheart brooches (19)

Memorial plaque (3)

What else can you see with the word "Mother" written on it?

Brooch (19)

What and where was Reg carrying it and how did it save him?

Steel mirror (16) in pocket stopped the bullet from killing Reg

Find this penknife and look at it carefully. Why do you think it is hard to open?

Sealed with mud (15)

What kind of lamp is this called? *A MINERS LAMP (64)*

The soldiers ate their food out of these instead of plates. What is it called? *Mess tin (65)*

KS3 trail help with finding objects

Make a list of 3 other items where you can see the badge

Trench art (18)

Cigarette box (26)

Cap badge (60)

Flag (58)

Cap of uniform (68)

Sweetheart brooches (19)

Memorial plaque (3)

Write down 3 benefits to 'joining up'

(The poster is in the display on the right of the Timothy Gurney Gallery)

Benefits include health, education, outdoor life, travel, sport, holidays on full pay, friendship, fitness

What was each Identity tag for?

One was removed from the body, one was left on the body for identification and the other was for the gas mask (67)

Why do you think this handkerchief was important to the soldier who owned it?

Gift from a loved one (19)

How was the soldier saved by his mirror? What was his name?

It deflected a shell, his name was JC Woodhouse (16)

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