

Historical Events Knowledge Organiser- Reception

In **Reception** children will learn the following:

Bonfire Night (Guy Fawkes) and Remembrance Day



By the end of this topic, we want the children to have an embedded knowledge of the following:

- On 5th November in 1605, Guy Fawkes attempted to blow up King James I in the Houses of Parliament using Gunpowder.
- Guy Fawkes was captured by the guards.
- Bonfires and fireworks are set off each year to remember that Guy Fawkes failed, in his plot to blow up King James I.

Key vocabulary your child will learn and can define are:

Houses of Parliament	An important building in London where laws (rules) are made.
Plot	A secret plan that may harm someone.
Gunpowder	A powerful explosive powder used in fireworks.



By the end of this topic, we want the children to have an embedded knowledge of the following:

- Red poppies are worn as a symbol of respect to remember soldiers who died in the war.
- Soldiers demonstrated bravery and courage when defending their country.
- Poppies continue to grow in Flanders' field to remember the soldiers and animals that lost their lives.

Key vocabulary your child will learn and can define are:

Remembrance	A memory of an event that took place in the past.
Poppies	A red flower that is worn during Remembrance to acknowledge the soldiers that fought bravely.
Bravery	Being courageous when faced with challenges.