

# INTRODUCTORY LESSON

## LESSON AIM:

To help pupils understand the relevance of studying the past and looking at a global event from a local perspective.



# LISTEN UP TROOPS!

To help pupils understand History is all about making connections.

One connection you will find history useful for in secondary school is this...

We need to understand the **PAST**...to help us understand the **PRESENT**.

If we can do that then history can help us see into the **FUTURE!**



A second connection, and one that this unit of work aims to tackle is:

Making a **LOCAL** connection with a **GLOBAL** event.

This should help you become more **OPEN MINDED** about how today's events affect you and where you stay.

History is a complicated spider-web that becomes easier to understand by investigating local stories from the time.

Before investigating local things to understand global events, studying the **PAST** will help us understand the **PRESENT** - and might even help us see into the **FUTURE**...

# STORYTIME!



# SIX VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

## PAY CLOSE ATTENTION!

There will be an activity at the end to make sure you were listening.



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Before enlisting, Joseph worked for...

...even when he was taken prisoner.

Joseph joined...

...were published in the local newspaper.

He drew sketches and wrote poetry...

...eventually moved back to Dundee.

Fighter-Writers' experiences...

...John Leng + Co in Dundee.

He survived the war and...

...the 4th Black Watch Battalion.