

Lesson Focus: We remember those who helped our country during the wars (or conflicts).

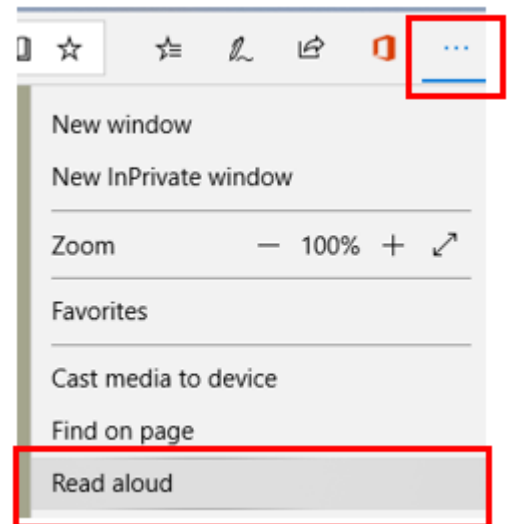
Materials:

- Internet access for videos
- Notebook and art supplies, scissors and glue

Invitation to Learn:

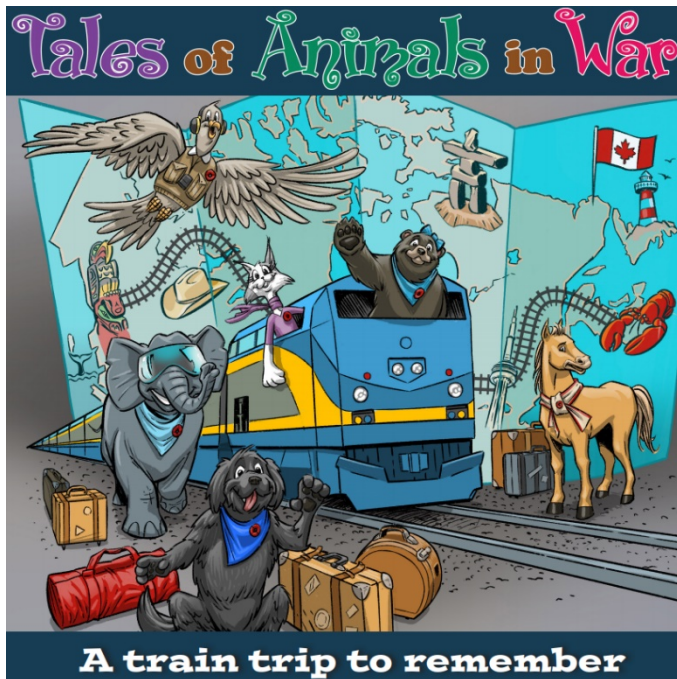
In this lesson you will learn about Remembrance Day and read stories of the people and animals that helped our country.

(Technology Hint: if you launch these sites using Microsoft Edge Browser, you will have access to the **READ ALOUD** option. Click the triple dots at the top right corner to find this.



Read this article from the Canadian Veterans:

A Train Trip to Remember

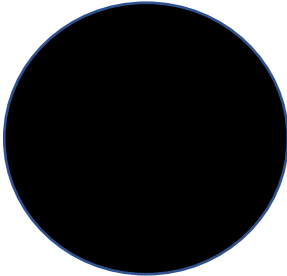
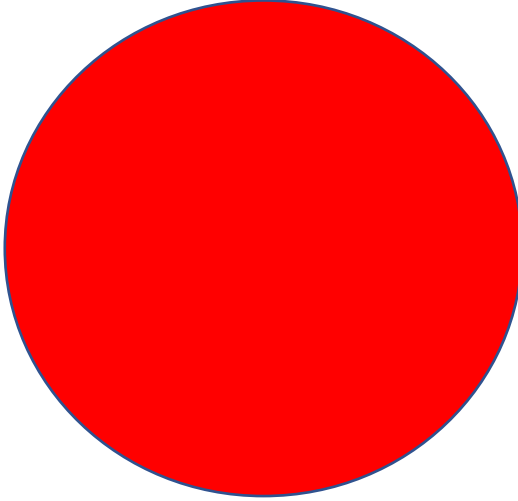
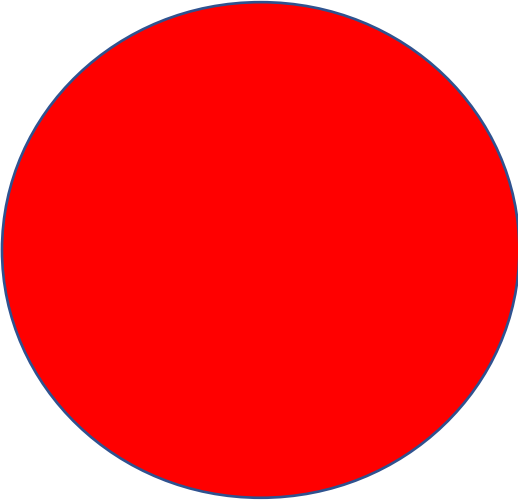
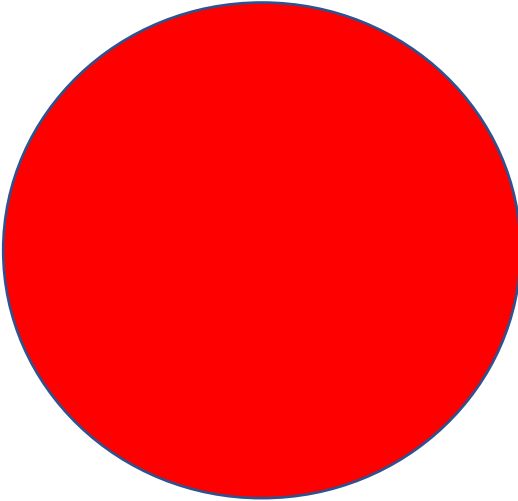
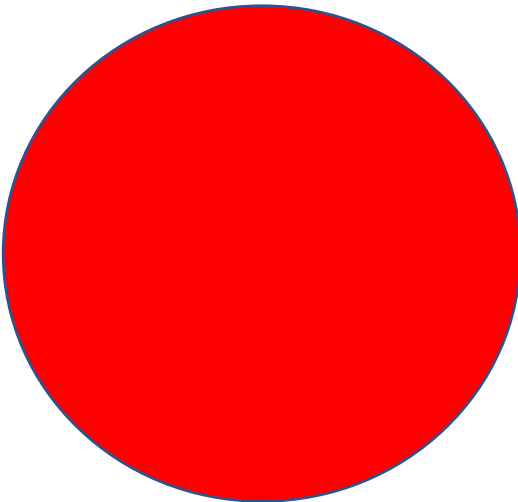


<https://www.veterans.gc.ca/pdf/remembrance/information-for/students/tales-of-animals-in-war/tales-animals-war-2019.pdf>

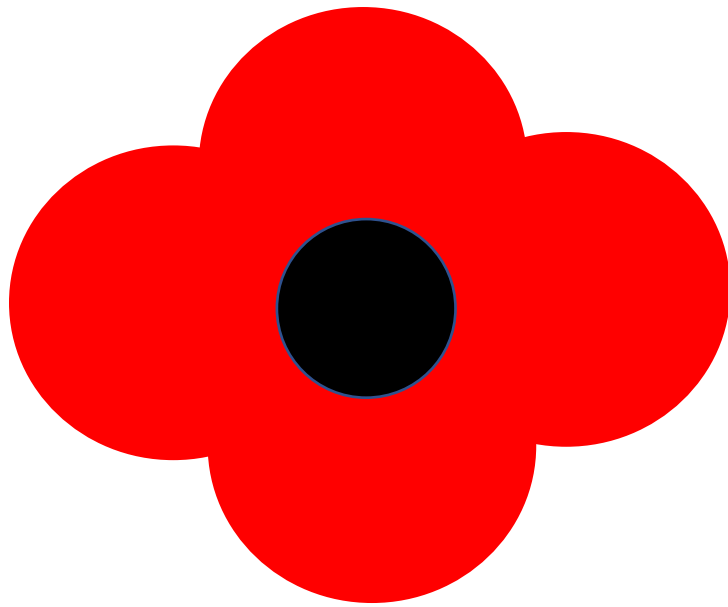
Have a Discussion:

- Have you ever been on a train? Imagine what it would feel like if you had to travel across Canada on a train.
- *"Wait for Me, Daddy!"* This event happened in New Westminster. Thinking about this – what sounds would you hear from many people marching down a road?
- In White River, Ontario was the start of a series of historic stories. And it all started with a little real bear.
- In Canada, we wear a poppy to honour those in uniform who have served Canada's military. Wherever we are, we pause for one minute of silence at 11:00 am November 11 to remember.
- Why do you think it is important to remember and honour the many people and animals who helped our country during these important times?

Notebook Time:



- You will create a poppy by practicing your fine motor skills of cutting and pasting.
- Cut out the 5 circles with a pair of scissors.
- Lay them together so they look like the picture. Glue the pieces down. Now you have a poppy to wear.



You may wish to view this video as our Canadian veterans recite the famous poem by John McCrae, *In Flanders Fields*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S-IY-RH1928>

You can also read the book: *The Peace Book*. By Todd Parr

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QklQ8fWXV8Y>

Spark Challenge:

- What can you do to bring peace to your family or your community?