

PARK COMMUNITY SCHOOL POPPY WAVE 2019

Following last year's success, we would like all our fantastic knitters to once again support our poppy wave and keep knitting.

This year, alongside red poppies, which honour military personnel who died in war times, we are also looking to knit purple poppies to commemorate the animals that were injured and lost their lives in conflict.

Can you knit or would you like to learn?

We are running sessions for students, parents and grandparents on the following times:

15:00pm – 15.45pm in the Restaurant:

4 October 11 October 18 October

All materials are provided, although please feel free to bring your own red wool and needles if you'd like.

Thank you for helping to expand our display through the years and continue to raise awareness amongst our young people of the sacrifices that are made during war.

THANK YOU FOR TAKING PART!

Please drop all poppies into reception at the address below:



Park Community School
Middle Park Way
Havant
PO9 4BU



EASY RIBBED POPPY PATTERN

Colour A Red or Purple (one ball will make a lot of poppies!)

Colour B Scrap of Black or a black button

BODY OF POPPY

1. Using Col A cast on 60 stitches.
2. Rows 1-10 - Knit 2, Purl 2 across whole row
3. Row 11 Knit 2 stitches together across the row (30 stitches)
4. Row 12 Slip 1 stitch, knit 2 stitches together then pass the slip stitch overrepeat

Break off yarn with long tail and thread back through remaining stitches and pull tight.

Join edges with mattress stitch

CENTRE OF POPPY

1. Using Col. B Cast on 16 stitches.
2. Cast off.
3. Coil into a tight spiral and sew base to the centre.
OR use a black or green button with 4 holes and sew to centre of poppy.

