**WW1 - Group Project**

*On Aug. 4th 1914, the United Kingdom entered into the First World War. As Canada still held colonial status, it was automatically drawn into the mother country’s declaration of War on Germany and its allies.*

In groups of 5-6 you will be responsible for informing the class about one of the five major battles in which Canadians played a major role. In addition to preparing a 25 minute presentation your group will also be responsible for providing classmates with a single page handout that covers your battle as well as 2 discussion questions that will follow your presentation. If you choose to work independently you may choose some specific, contained battle to cover.

Suggested areas to cover include: statistics on participants and casualties, technology and strategies used (ie. Gas attacks, Trench Warfare, Weapons), a timeline of the battle, the impact on the War itself, and the Historical Significance of the battle for Canada.

Projects should include images and statistics that are accurate and back up your research. You will also be expected to include at least one quote from a primary document about this specific battle.

**Major Battles**

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| The Second Battle of Ypres | The Battle of the Somme | Vimy Ridge | The Battle of Passchendaele | The Battle of Amiens |

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| Beaumont-Hamel | Battle of Hill 70 and Lens | The Battle of Cambrai |

**Minor/Contained Battles**