



Moment One: November Resource

November is traditionally the month that we remember all those we have loved and are no longer with us.

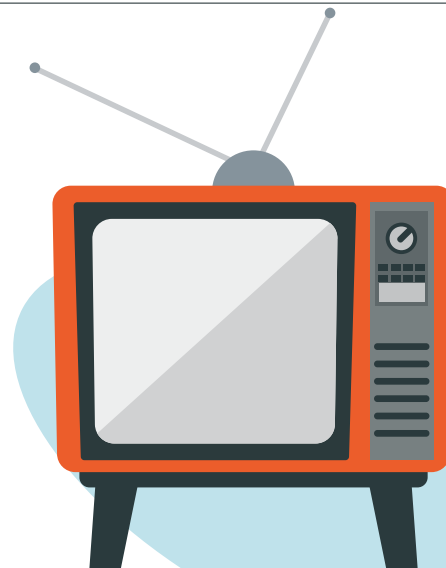
Keywords Activity

The following words are associated with remembrance and are key to understanding the lesson. Research the meaning of the words below with your partner.

Word	Definition
Remembrance	
Solidarity	
Symbols	
Pall	
Statistics	
Paschal Candle	
Vestments	
Toll (a bell)	
Water	
Incense	
Memorial	
Roadside Memorial	

Remembrance is a very important part of grieving. Watch the following video clip and answer the questions that follow: <https://youtu.be/gL9ruJcCHTl>

In the clip of *Grey's Anatomy*, Meredith has just lost her husband Derek. There are reminders of him all around their house – the diagram of the tumour on the bedroom wall, the post-it just above that. In the hospital locker room, she takes the scrub-cap from his white coat. What is the significance of the scrub-cap for her?





Reflective Written Activity

(1) Why is it important for Meredith to remember Derek? Why is it necessary for her?

(2) Derek's scrub-cap is a special symbol for Meredith. Do you have a special symbol for someone who has passed away?

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'REMEMBRANCE LEADS TO SOLIDARITY'

Having watched the following video clips, write an explanation of this statement in your own words.

<https://youtu.be/xYEj6Ta5sRs> (1:35)

<https://youtu.be/EwSBPevf83Q> (3:17)

<https://youtu.be/xHGT6s-Lywk> (2:19)

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Personal Reflection

Have you ever felt like you were acting in solidarity with others?

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Symbols Associated with Remembrance

Examine the following images and, in pairs, discuss how you think they are associated with remembrance. Record your answer here.



Celebrating Saint Patrick



Image No. 1	
Image No. 2	
Image No. 3	
Image No. 4	



World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims

The World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims takes place on the third Sunday of November every year. It is a day to remember all those who have died on our roads. 'Since the recording of fatalities began in 1959, 24,255 people have died. That's the equivalent of losing the entire population of the town of Kilkenny. And since we have begun recording serious injuries in 1977, a total of 80,866 people have been seriously injured in road crashes.' (Brian Farrell (2018), 'World's road traffic victims remembered', *Irish Independent* via independent.ie – last accessed 09/08/2019)



Watch: <https://youtu.be/p24q7xtAZZQ>

Numeracy Moment

Calculate the average number of road deaths in Ireland between 1959 and 2018.

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Answer:



Study the infographic from the RSA website: It has the numbers of fatalities that occurred on our roads during 2018.



(1) List the top three counties for road fatalities in 2018

(2) Calculate the percentage difference between the county with the highest

(3) Discuss your findings with the group





'WE REMEMBER THEM'

