

27th June 2016

Dear Parent/Carer

**Service of remembrance for the beginning of
100th Anniversary of The Battle of the Somme
1st July 1916 – 1st July 2016**

Your son/daughter has been selected to represent The Ruth Gorse Academy on Friday 1st July at the above remembrance service which is taking place at the Central Methodist Church, Wesley Street Morley. We will be leaving the academy at 0900 to ensure that we arrive in time for the start of the service. Students will receive a cross which will be taken to the church.

At the end of the service, we will be escorted to the Town Hall where the crosses will be placed in designated places within the flower beds in the precinct. The final part of the proceedings will be to proceed in a procession to the Scatcherd Park War Memorial to place wreaths and then return to the Town Hall, Mayor's Parlour.

Students will be **walking, travelling by mini bus to and from the service.**

Please could you complete and return the tear off slip below and attached documents by Wednesday 29th June at the latest. Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Miss J Trayer
Curriculum Leader Innovation Design

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Student: Tutor Group:
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I/We do/do not* give permission for my/our* son/daughter to attend the Remembrance Service on 1st July.

Signed: Parent/Carer*

*Please delete as appropriate