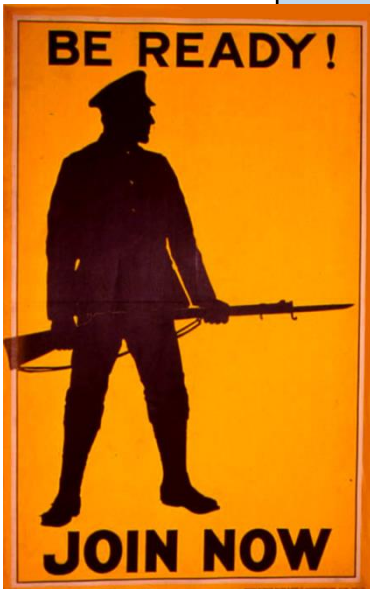


# What was life like for people during World War I? Spring Term Year 8

## Key words

Battle  
Homefront  
Soldier  
Recruitment  
Conscription  
Propaganda  
Trenches  
Bayonet  
Rationing



## Key topics to cover

Theme One: Why did war start?

Theme Two: Recruitment and conscription

Theme Three: Life for soldiers

Theme Four: Propaganda

Theme Five: Life on the Homefront

Theme Six: Weapons in World War I

Theme Seven: The End of the war

## Sentences starters

In my opinion...  
The most important reason for...  
This interpretation is/is not valid because...  
This source is/is not useful to a historian because...  
There are arguments for and against this idea because...

## Skills

### Source analysis

Identifying and explaining the importance and reliability of primary and secondary source information.

### Written communication

Identifying and explaining ideas and opinions in detail.  
Using conclusions and evidence to back up your points.

### Interpretations

Identifying and explaining the value of opinions expressed about an event or person in history.

### Spelling, punctuation and grammar

Spelling historical vocabulary correctly and using punctuation and grammar accurately in written work.

