

ACTIVITY WORKSHEET

Keeping Watch



A Care Package from the Future

This activity is suitable for: Ages 7+

During the war families would send small care packages and gifts to their loved ones. This was encouraged to add to provisions, try to improve morale, and connect people to their far away homes. Famously Princess Mary also arranged for small tins of 'luxuries' to be sent to over 400,000 troops at Christmas.

Using the space below, fill up this tin with little items that you think a WW1 soldier or a relative of yours from the time might like. It might be things to eat, technology from now to amuse them, pictures of home, trinkets or objects that you like and remind them of you. You can draw the items, or cut pictures out of magazines to make a collage, but they need to fit in the tin space.

We will send a selection of the care packages created through our video projection artwork back to 1918.



Name: _____ Age: _____ From: _____

Lead artists **Illuminos** are working with schools, groups and members of the public to create *Keeping Watch*, a large building projection artwork, which will see the facade of Tatton Park Manor become a timepiece; a portal back to 1918 through which packages and messages can pass. *Keep Watch* forms part of *When the Light Goes Out – Tatton Park* on Sunday 11th November 2018.

All care packages will be shared on the **Cheshire East Reflects** website www.cheshireeastreflects.com.

Submissions

Please send a scan or picture of your care package before **1st October 2018** to

CheshireEastReflects@cheshireeast.gov.uk.

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When the Light Goes Out
Crewe, Saturday 10th November 2018
Tatton Park, Sunday 11th November 2018