



Personal Memory Book

Activity:

Treasured small items such as pins, medals, or jewelry are often kept by older people when they move from their own homes. Color-copy actual pins or other

items (to make them 2-dimensional) and glue the copy to pieces of paper. Write about the treasured pieces. Add photos if you like. Staple the pages together to make the special memory book of real 3-dimensional items.

Veteran's Day

WORLD WAR I ENDED with the implementation of an armistice between the Allies and Germany on the 11th day of November, 1918. In 1919, President Wilson proclaimed the first Armistice Day with the following words: "To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in

the heroism of those who died in the country's service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it

has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and

justice in the council of the nations." In 1938, Congress passed legislation to make November 11 a legal federal holiday.



Old Cars—What Do You Know?

Trips to family gatherings at Thanksgiving and Christmas were big outings. Do you remember the cars that took you there? Try this quiz about cars! (Answers are at the bottom of the page.)

True or False

1. ___Chevrolet sold a car with a V-8 motor 15 years before Ford.
2. ___Henry Ford was a city boy.
3. ___There were more car brands in the 1920s than any time since.
4. ___The 1931 Auburn was guaranteed to exceed 100 mph.
5. ___Alfred P. Sloan, who came up with the idea and created the huge company called General Motors, died penniless.

Answers: 1. True—2. False—Henry Ford was a farm boy that got a job in a foundry and became fascinated with the automobile industry. 3. True. Believe it or not there were more brands in 1920. There are more styles now but now as many brands. 4. True 5. True

Guess Who and When

HERE ARE SOME FAMOUS PEOPLE who were born in November. Match the dates with the names. Answers are upside down on this page. Have fun looking on the internet or at the library to get more information about these famous people.



Daniel Boone	November 9, 1909
Burt Lancaster	November 2, 1734
Roy Rogers	November 5, 1911
Billy Graham	November 10, 1483
Sally Field	November 12, 1929
Katherine Hepburn	November 6, 1946
Martin Luther	November 2, 1913
Grace Kelly	November 7, 1919

Make a Birthday Card



Activity:

Everyone loves to get a birthday card on that special day. Encourage making cards for each other by having a "Card-Making Table" always set up with supplies. Have pieces of colored papers, scissors, stickers, and pens on the table. Also have a list of everyone's birthdays posted nearby. Watch the smiles at birthday times as surprise cards are given.

Sending Postcards

In the early 1900s it was only good manners to send postcards for just about every event. Postcards were printed all over the world, but the most beautiful ones were produced in Germany.



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