

## ▶ COMPLETING THE CWGC RESEARCH PROJECT

Welcome to the beginning of an exciting project to mark the 80th Anniversary of the Air Training Corps, part of the Royal Air Force Air Cadets.

Many CWGC cemeteries and memorials in the UK have links to the Air Forces (RFC, RAF, RNAS and FAA). The Commonwealth War Graves Commission (CWGC) is encouraging you to discover more about your local sites and Air Force casualties.

Keep in touch with your Squadron Commanders to find out more about each stage of this project.

### STEP ONE

From March 2021, your Squadron Commander will be able to book a talk using the CWGC Kantor Speakers portal. This introductory session will give you all the information out need about the project and highlight some of the work that the CWGC does today.

### BEFORE YOU MOVE ON TO STEP TWO



Scan the QR code to visit the CWGC project pages.

Here you will be able to download the research guides and recording sheets needed to complete the project.

**DID YOU KNOW:** This project can count toward your Duke of Edinburgh's Award.

### STEP TWO

This is the research stage of the project and will allow you to learn more about an Air Force casualty who is buried in your local area.

Create a profile about that individuals life using resources you find on the CWGC website and online. Learn more about the role of these individuals during the World Wars.

### STEP THREE

Between April and June 2021, you should aim to share your research project with a wider audience.

Download the 'Ideas for Sharing Your Project' from the CWGC website.

Think about sharing your research with your peers at the Squadron and even the local community. You will also be able to share the project with the CWGC via a portal (to be launched in April 2021).

### STEP FOUR

By Summer 2021, we hope that you will be able to visit one of the CWGC sites and see in person the grave of the casualty you have researched.

