



# Poppy Project 2019



## Poppy Goal

We are aiming to achieve 5,000 poppies, created by our students, staff, families and wider community.

## Who can participate?

We encourage our Billanook families – extended families and the wider community, to make a crocheted or knitted poppy tribute to be included in our ANZAC Day installation. You may even wish to include a dedication to someone on your poppy.

## Patterns & Sizing

Please see below some links to crochet and knitting patterns. These are just examples of what you can create. Ideally your poppy should be the same size as a real-life poppy. Stems are not required, unless you would like to include one. For further patterns and ideas go to: <https://5000poppies.wordpress.com/poppy-patterns/>

[Very simple knitted patterns. These should be suitable for novice knitters.](#)

### Crocheted:

- <https://5000poppies.files.wordpress.com/2013/06/poppies-patterns-update-september-2017.pdf>
- <https://5000poppies.files.wordpress.com/2013/06/poppy-pattern-2x1-rib-wildwood-designs-creations.pdf>
- <https://mollys-meanderings.blogspot.com/2014/11/5000-poppies-my-poppy-design.html>

*Thank you to 5000 Poppies for the links.*

### Knitted:

- <https://www.armymuseum.co.nz/knitted-poppy-pattern/>
- [https://www.gravesham.gov.uk/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0014/240260/Lynns-easy-knitted-poppy-pattern.pdf](https://www.gravesham.gov.uk/_data/assets/pdf_file/0014/240260/Lynns-easy-knitted-poppy-pattern.pdf)

## Video Links:

Please see below some video demonstrations of making a crocheted or knitted poppy.

### Crocheted:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LQKAanLkVTo>

### Knitted:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CZDteC5ketM>

## Delivering your Poppy

Billanook College Main Reception are receiving all donations for the Poppy Project, including finished poppies, Wool donations (ideally 8 ply red or black) are also gratefully accepted.

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## Installation

The Billanook College installation will be unveiled on Wednesday 24 April, along the banks of Billanook's Brushy Creek. The display will remain, as a tribute to our Servicemen and women for 9 days. All donated poppies will be retained by the College for use in future ANZAC ceremonies.