



## An interview with Daisy.

### Her World War 1 Childhood Memories.



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#### Question 1 - Introduction and memorable moments

*How old was Daisy during the First World War?*

*What were her most memorable moments?*

*How did they protect themselves from air raids?*

**Question 2 - Brothers and Sisters**

*How many brothers and sisters did Daisy have at that time?*

*What was Daisy doing with her baby sister, Marjorie, when she heard an air raid warning?*

**Question 3 - Food Shortages & Queuing**

*How long does Daisy say that they might have queued for?*

*Which foodstuffs does Daisy mention were in short supply?*

*Was there rationing at this time?*

**Question 4 - Mother's Job**

*What did Daisy's mum do during the war?*

*How much did Daisy's mum get paid?*

*Which special lady came to look over the factory?*

**Question 5 - Lord Kitchener's Death**

*Where did Daisy's mum first see about the death of Lord Kitchener?*

**Question 6 - Air Raids at School**

*Where did they hide if they were at school during an air raid?*

**Question 7 - Difficult Times**

*Were there good times?*

*What does Daisy remember her mum and dad doing?*

*What type of boots did her brother wear as ordinary boots?*

**Question 8 - How did news spread?**

*Did they always know what was happening in the war?*

*Why not?*

*Give 3 ways that they heard about news.*

**Question 9 - Gas Masks**

*Did Daisy have a gas mask?*

**Question 10 - Father's Job**

*Did Daisy's Dad fight in the war? Why not?*

*What did Daisy's dad do for a living?*

**Question 11 - Entertainment and Christmas**

*What did they do for entertainment?*

*What was always in the bottom of Daisy's Christmas stocking?*

**Question 12 - Effect of War**

*In Daisy's opinion, what effect did the war have on her as a person ?*

**Question 13 - Friends and Family who went to war**

*Which family members went to war?*

**Question 14 - Days off school**

*Why did Daisy have to have days off school?*

*Did Daisy have to have special permission to be absent from school?*

**Question 15 - Most Memorable Moments**

*Which two things stick in Daisy's mind the most about the war?*

**Question 16 - School Lessons**

*What did Daisy have to learn to do in school?*

**Question 17 - Clashes**

*Why did the shop opposite Daisy's school have its windows broken?*

**Question 18 - Prisoner of war camps**

*What was the name of the Prisoner of War camp near to Daisy's home?*

**Question 19 - Hospital Blue**

*Did it take a long time for people to get over the war?*

*What were hospital blues and why did men wear them?*