



It will soon be time for you to begin your journey through time with your new history teachers at Cardinal Heenan who cannot wait to welcome you into our community. Why not explore some of the links and suggestions below to help prepare you for all the fun and fascinating events you will be studying at Cardinal Heenan.

### 1. Why should I care about 1066?

In your history lessons at Cardinal Heenan you will begin by moving on to the next stage in the history of England by studying when, how and why England was last successfully invaded.



**Research** - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/why-should-i-care-about-1066/z7ff2sg>

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks3-ks4-1066/zm3m382>

Read the information about the events of the invasion, then watch the animated clips before creating your own 'Bayeux Tapestry' to retell the story of the events.

### 2. How did slavery shape our city, our nation and the world around us?



At Heenan we believe it is vital that we understand the history of the city we call home. It is vital that we can learn from the mistakes made by those before us in our city so that we are not doomed to repeat them.

Discover who Britain's forgotten slave owners and traders were and how their actions still impact our lives today by exploring the interactive 'Legacies of Slave Ownership Database'.

Read the article and carry out your own research to see how many street names and places you can find in Liverpool which are named after individuals who directly profited from the slave trade.

**Research** - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/how-did%20slave-owners-shape-britain/z67dbdm>

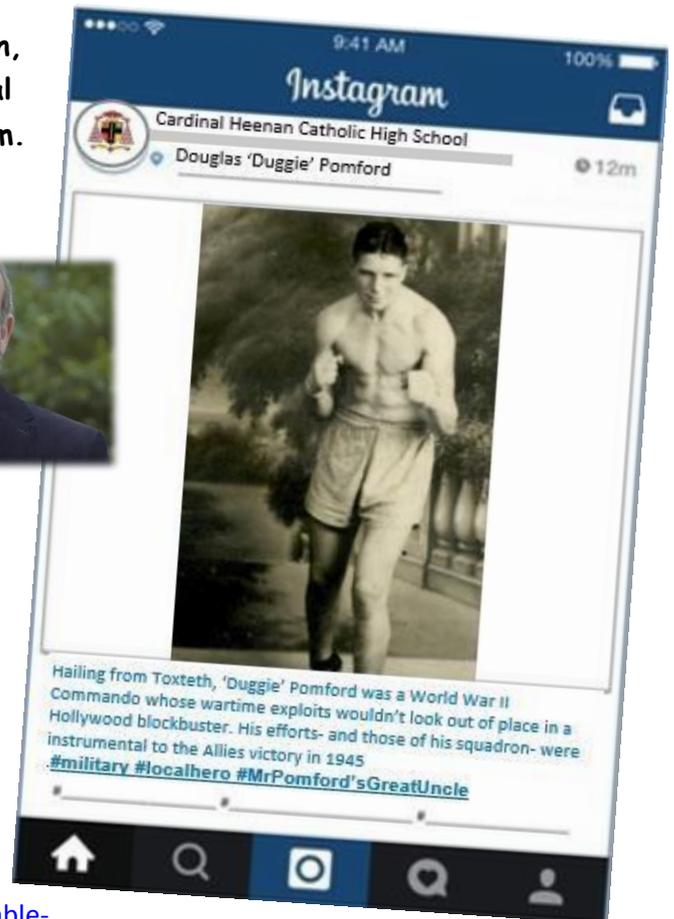
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-merseyside-51064508>

### 3. Who will your local hero be?

While it is important that we learn from history so that we are not doomed to repeat the mistakes of the past, it is equally important that we are aware of the successes, innovations, inspirations, impacts and accomplishments of the men and women who also called Liverpool home, so that we can aim to one day emulate them and the contributions that they have made to our local history. At Cardinal Heenan, every member of our community must find one local hero from Liverpool's history who has inspired them.



Your new Head of Year, Mr Pomford picked his local hero and was able to teach all of us at Cardinal Heenan about the life of a true Liverpool hero from history, his very own uncle Duggie Pomford.



Read the article below to learn why the uncle of your new head of year is recognised in boxing and in the military across Britain as one of our very own Liverpool heroes.

#### Research

<https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2661559/Remarkable-bravery-WWII-s-toughest-soldier-revealed-Medals-sale-boxer-fought-elite-band-commandos-taking-Nazis-secret-raids.html>

[https://localwiki.org/liverpool/Liverpool\\_Firsts](https://localwiki.org/liverpool/Liverpool_Firsts)

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Research your own local hero from Liverpool history.

