

# Condition Survey

## WAR MEMORIALS ONLINE

### Introduction

This Condition Survey reflects the Condition Survey form on War Memorials Online. Should you wish to work from a paper copy and then add your information to the website you should take a copy of this form with you when visiting war memorials. Add your information to [www.warmemorialsonline.org.uk](http://www.warmemorialsonline.org.uk).

### WAR MEMORIAL DETAILS

**Name of memorial:**

**Address/Location of memorial:**

**Type:**  Freestanding  Non freestanding  Unknown

**Description:**  Church fitting  Mixed  Cross  Landscape feature  Lychgate  
 Monument e.g. obelisk  Board/Plaque/Tablet  Unknown

More detail \_\_\_\_\_

**Conflict(s):**  World War I  World War II  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Location:**  External  Internal  Unknown

**Setting:**  Within a garden/park/churchyard/enclosure/marketplace  Roadside  
 Inside a building-public/private  Attached to a building/structure  Unknown

**Status:**  On original site  Moved from original site  Lost/missing  Destroyed  
 Unknown

**Lettering:**  Incised  On a plaque  Leaded  Lost  Painted  Raised  
 Other  Unknown  No lettering

**Materials:**  Brick  Concrete  Glass  Metal  Stone  Timber  
 Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_ More detail \_\_\_\_\_

**About the memorial:**

**Survey Date:**

- Survey Reason:**  First World War Memorial Programme  School  WMT RV request  
 Glasgow WWI Project  WMT staff– site visit  WMT staff– casework  
 WMT staff– desk assessment  Custodian Annual maintenance review  
 Personal Visit  Contributor report

## MEMORIAL CONDITION

### What is the condition of the surrounding area?

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad  Not applicable

### If the surrounding area is in Fair, Poor or Very bad condition please highlight the areas of concern:

- Paving or steps  Fences, walls or boundaries  Trees or vegetation  
 Graffiti  Litter  Other \_\_\_\_\_

### What is the condition of the stonework?

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad  Not applicable

### If the stonework is in Fair, Poor or Very bad condition please highlight the areas of concern:

- Pollution or surface dirt  Open joints or loose pointing  
 Damage or cracking to stonework  Plant growth  
 Leaning or unstable structure  Graffiti  Other \_\_\_\_\_

### What is the condition of the metal work?

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad  Not applicable

### If the metal work is in Fair, Poor or Very bad condition please highlight the areas of concern:

- Rusting or corrosion  Staining onto other materials  
 Peeling or flaking paint/lacquer  Missing/broken elements  
 Leaning or unstable  Graffiti  Other \_\_\_\_\_

### What is the condition of the inscription and names?

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad  Not applicable

### If the inscription/names are in Fair, Poor or Very bad condition please highlight the areas of concern:

- Weathering  Missing/damaged letters  Obscured by plant growth/dirt  
 Flaking paintwork  Graffiti  Other \_\_\_\_\_

### What is the condition of the timber?

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad  Not applicable

**If the timber is in fair, poor or very bad condition please highlight the areas of concern:**

- Damage/Cracking  Rot  Flaking paintwork  Missing elements  
 Infestation  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**What is the condition of the glass?**

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad  Not applicable

**If the glass is in Fair, Poor or Very bad condition please highlight the areas of concern:**

- Broken or damaged glass  Flaking paintwork  Lead canes  
 Damage to the surrounding mortar  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Is the memorial accessible to the public?**

- Yes – always  Yes – restricted times  Yes – by appointment  
 No  Unknown

**Has the memorial been subject to any accidental or malicious damage in the last five years?**

- Yes  No  Unknown

**If yes, what is the cause of this damage?**

- Accidental damage  Road traffic damage  Vandalism  Unknown

**Do you think the site is at significant risk of accidental or malicious damage in the next 2 years?**

- Yes  No  Don't know

**If yes, what is the cause of this damage?**

- Accidental damage  Road traffic damage  Vandalism  Unknown

**If the cause of the damage is vandalism, what is the type of damage?**

- Anti-social behaviour  Graffiti  Theft of other elements  
 Theft of plaque  Theft of stone work

**Are there any maintenance plans for this memorial available or known about?**

- None  Maintenance plan unavailable  Maintenance undertaken  
 Unknown

**Are there any known planning applications or issues related to this memorial?**

- Current planning application  Previous planning application  Unknown

**What is your overall impression of the condition of the memorial?**

- Good  Fair  Poor  Very bad

**Additional Comments:**

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## **PROTECTION**

**Who is responsible for this war memorial i.e. the custodian?**

**Name and address:**

**Why do you believe this is the custodian?**

**Is the memorial designated?** Yes No

**If listed, at which grade?**

Grade I Grade II\* Grade II Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Is the memorial in a conservation area?** Yes No

**Conservation Area name:**

This helpsheet is provided as guidance. Processes and procedures may change and it is not guaranteed that this will always remain accurate.