

Year 3 Teacher Resource 5B Historical terms from Forrest's diary

Term	Definition
HMAT	His Majesty's Australian Transport
embark	Go onto a ship ready to leave port
reveille	Military sound to wake troops, often by bugle
corps	A group of troops
Coal up	Fuel the ship ready for a voyage
typhoid	A contagious disease caused by contaminated food or water
editorship	Make changes to a document to suit the needs of a country (often used in wartime)
G O C	General Officer Commanding
inoculation	Vaccination -often by needle- against a disease
casualty	Wounded or killed in conflict
port (side)	Left hand side of a ship
stores	Food and other items required for a group of people
weighted	Weigh or raise the anchor in preparation for departure
disembark	Leave the ship
The Front	Where enemies meet for direct combat (such as the Western and Eastern Fronts in World War I)
berthing	When a ship pulls into harbour
marching orders	Official orders to leave
D S O	Distinguished Service Order
rendezvous	A meeting
glee	Happiness
battery	A military term for placement of guns and other military resources
Boche	A slang term for German during the war
infantry	Foot soldiers

These can be added to the World War I Word Wall.