

# Fly Our Flag for Veterans Day

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November 11 is a special day called Veterans Day. Every year on that day we think about men and women who are veterans.

Veterans are people who have served in the U.S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard.

Veterans worked to help our country in many ways. Some worked on ships to keep our oceans and coasts safe. Some were doctors or nurses who cared for people who were hurt or sick. Some veterans flew planes or helicopters.

People across our country have parades to honor veterans. Fly our flag and thank our veterans on Veterans Day!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**1.** What do we call people who have served in the U.S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard?

- A. soldiers
- B. veterans
- C. heroes

**2.** The passage describes Veterans Day. When is Veterans Day?

- A. everyday
- B. December 25th
- C. November 11th

**3.** Veterans worked to help our country in many ways. Which information from the passage shows how Veterans worked to help our country in many ways?

- A. November 11 is a special day called Veterans Day.
- B. Some veterans cared for sick people and other veterans kept our oceans safe.
- C. People across our country have parades to honor veterans.

4. What is the main idea of "Fly Our Flag for Veterans Day"?

- A. Veterans worked on ships and flew planes or helicopters.
- B. Veterans worked hard to help our country so we should honor them on Veterans Day.
- C. People across our country have parades to honor veterans.

5. What is one way that people honor veterans on Veterans Day?

6. What did you learn from "Fly Our Flag for Veterans Day"?

7. **Class Discussion Question:** Explain why Veterans Day is special.

8. Draw a picture of people honoring veterans.