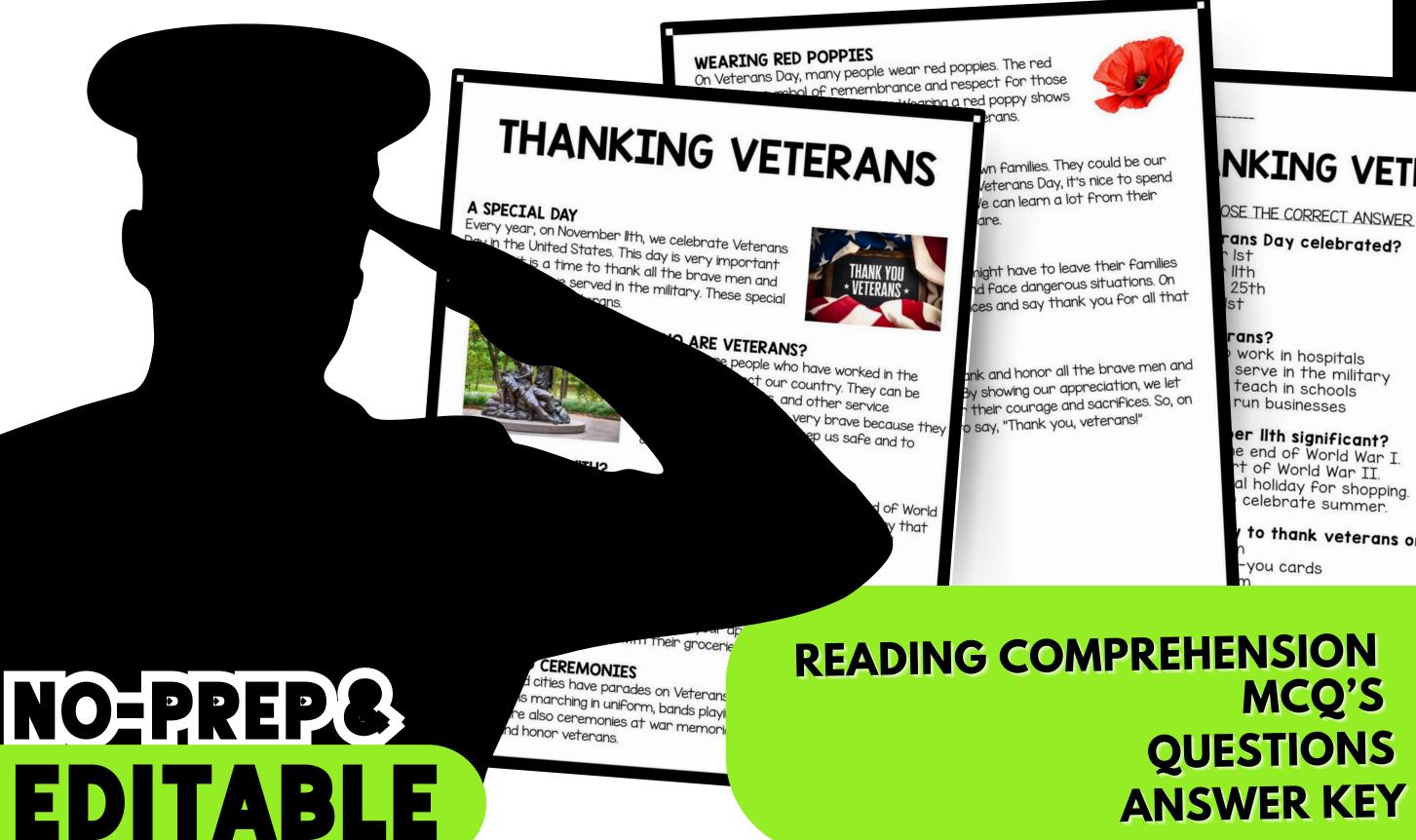
Veterans Day THANKING VETERANS READING COMPREHENSION



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THANKING VETERANS

A SPECIAL DAY

Every year, on November IIth, we celebrate Veterans Day in the United States. This day is very important because it is a time to thank all the brave men and women who have served in the military. These special people are called veterans.





WHO ARE VETERANS?

Veterans are people who have worked in the military to protect our country. They can be soldiers, sailors, pilots, and other service members. Veterans are very brave because they put their lives at risk to keep us safe and to defend our freedom.

WHY NOVEMBER IITH?

Veterans Day is celebrated on November 11th because it marks the end of World War I. The fighting stopped on this day in 1918, and people were very happy that peace had come. November 11th became a day to remember and honor all veterans.

WAYS TO SAY THANK YOU

There are many ways to thank veterans on Veterans Day. You can simply say, "Thank you for your service" when you see a veteran. Writing thank-you cards and letters is another great way to show your appreciation. Even small acts of kindness, like helping a veteran with their groceries, can mean a lot.

PARADES AND CEREMONIES

Many towns and cities have parades on Veterans Day. These parades often include veterans marching in uniform, bands playing music, and people waving flags. There are also ceremonies at war memorials where people gather to remember and honor veterans.

READING COMPREHENSION

COLORED & B/W VERSIONS INCLUDED

WEARING RED POPPIES

On Veterans Day, many people wear red poppies. The red poppy is a symbol of remembrance and respect for those who have served in the military. Wearing a red poppy shows that you are thinking about and honoring veterans.



FAMILY CONNECTIONS

Sometimes, we might have veterans in our own families. They could be our grandparents, parents, uncles, or aunts. On Veterans Day, it's nice to spend time with them and listen to their stories. We can learn a lot from their experiences and show them how much we care.

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REMEMBERING SACRIFICES

Veterans often make big sacrifices. They might have to leave their families for long periods, miss important events, and face dangerous situations. On Veterans Day, we remember these sacrifices and say thank you for all that veterans have done for us.

CONCLUSION

Veterans Day is a very special day to thank and honor all the brave men and women who have served in the military. By showing our appreciation, we let veterans know that we are grateful for their courage and sacrifices. So, on November 11th, let's all take a moment to say, "Thank you, veterans!"

Name.

Date_

THANKING VETERANS

DIRECTIONS CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

I. When is Veterans Day celebrated?

- A) November 1st
- B) November IIth
- C) December 25th
- D) October 31st

2. Who are veterans?

- A) People who work in hospitals
- B) People who serve in the military
- C) People who teach in schools
- D) People who run businesses

3. Why is November 11th significant?

- A) It marks the end of World War I.
- B) It's the start of World War II.
- C) It's a national holiday for shopping.
- D) It's a day to celebrate summer.

4. What is one way to thank veterans on Veterans Day?

- A) Ignoring them
- B) Writing thank-you cards
- C) Criticizing them
- D) Avoiding them

5. What do people wear to show remembrance on Veterans Day?

- A) Blue ribbons
- B) Red poppies
- C) White roses
- D) Yellow daisies

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

- I. What is Veterans Day?
- 2. When is Veterans Day celebrated
- 3. Why do people wear red poppies
- 4. How can you thank a veteran o
- 5. Why is November 11th an import
- B) Hosting parades - C) Playing video games

- A) Run away

- D) Having barbecues

- A) Watching movies

- A) At shopping malls

- B) At war memorials

- C) At movie theaters

- D) At sports events

- 9. Why do we wear red poppies on Vete - A) To celebrate summer

6. What can you do if you see a vet

- B) Say "Thank you for your service

- D) Take a picture without permissio

7. Where do people often have ceren

8. What is a common activity in many

- B) To show remembrance and respect - C) To decorate for a party - D) To symbolize spring

10. What can we learn from veterans in a - B) Their experiences and stories

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ANSWER KEY

MCQS

- 2. B) People who serve in the military 3. A) It marks the end of World War I.
- 4. B) Writing thank-you cards
- 6. B) Say "Thank you for your service"
- 5. B) Red poppies
- 7. B) At war memorials 9. B) To show remembrance and respect 8. B) Hosting parades
- 10. B) Their experiences and stories

SHORT-ANSWER QUESTION

- I. Veterans Day is a day to thank and honor all the brave men
- and women who have served in the military.
- 2. Veterans Day is celebrated on November 11th. 3. People wear red poppies on Veterans Day to show
- remembrance and respect for those who have served in the 4. You can thank a veteran on Veterans Day by saying, "Thank
- you for your service," or writing thank-you cards. 5. November 11th is important because it marks the end of World
- War I.

10 - MCQ'S & 5 QUESTIONS

ANSWER KEY INCLUDED