

## Fact Sheets for Kids – Troops and Veterans

Fact Sheets for Kids help children understand related community issues. For more fact sheets, go to [www.HandsOnNetwork.org/FamilyVolunteering/ServiceLearning](http://www.HandsOnNetwork.org/FamilyVolunteering/ServiceLearning).



## Wilson School Kids Care Club

Thank you to all the Kids Care Clubs who send cards and goodies for our soldiers. The amount of items that have come in are incredible! We send items to our own dads and moms as well as to reserve units.

About 1/3 of the kids in the Wilson Elementary School Kids Care Club have at least one parent who is deployed. Some are on their 4th or 5th deployment!

## How can you help?

- *Make Good-Eats Bags*
- *Send Good-Eats Care Packages*
- *Visit a Veteran*

## United States Armed Forces

U.S. Army  
U.S. Marine Corps  
U.S. Navy  
U.S. Air Force  
U.S. Coast Guard

## Where are our troops?

Over 300,000 troops are deployed throughout the world on land and at sea. Operations range from the war in Iraq to peace keeping and humanitarian efforts.

In Asia and the Middle East troops are stationed in: Iraq, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Bahrain, Oman, The United Arab Emirates, Afghanistan

## What is a Veteran?

A person who has served in the armed forces-the person does not have to have served during war time.

## Honoring Our Veterans

**Memorial Day** — a day for remembering and honoring those who died serving their country.

**Veteran's Day** — a day to thank and honor those who served in the military.

