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Veterans History Interview Project

<http://www.vineland.org/pages/Vineland_Public_Schools/Archives_Alive/Veterans_History_Project>

There are 19 million war veterans living in the United States today, but every day we lose 1,700 of them per day. Motivated by a desire to honor our nations war veterans for their service and to collect their stories and experiences while they are still among us, the United States Congress created the Veterans History Project.

The Veterans History Project covers World War I, World War II, and the Korean, Vietnam, and both Persian Gulf wars. It includes all participants in those wars-- men and women, civilian and military. It documents the contributions of civilian volunteers, support staff, and war industry workers as well as the experiences of military personnel from all ranks and all branches of service-- the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy, as well as the U.S. Coast Guard and Merchant Marine.

Knowing that this and future generations of Americans have much to learn from those who served, we at the Library of Congress and the American Folk Life Center have embraced this national effort. We encourage you to read the information and instructions on this Web site and to join us in making the Veterans History Project a success.

**Assignment/Rubric:**

1. Each student must write 25-30 interview questions on a google document and share it with Mr. DiCostanzo.

2. Each student must find TWO veterans and interview them using their own approved questions. Veteran interviews must be recorded. **Extra credit will be given for any valid video of an interview that is created.**

3. Students will then type of the recorded responses for each interview question on a google document and submit to Mr. DiCostanzo for an alternative assessment grade.

Please click on the link below which may be used to help you create your interview questions:

<http://www.loc.gov/vets/questions.html>

The first interview is due on Friday November 2, 2018 (MP #1)

The second interview is due on Monday November 12, 2018 (MP #2)