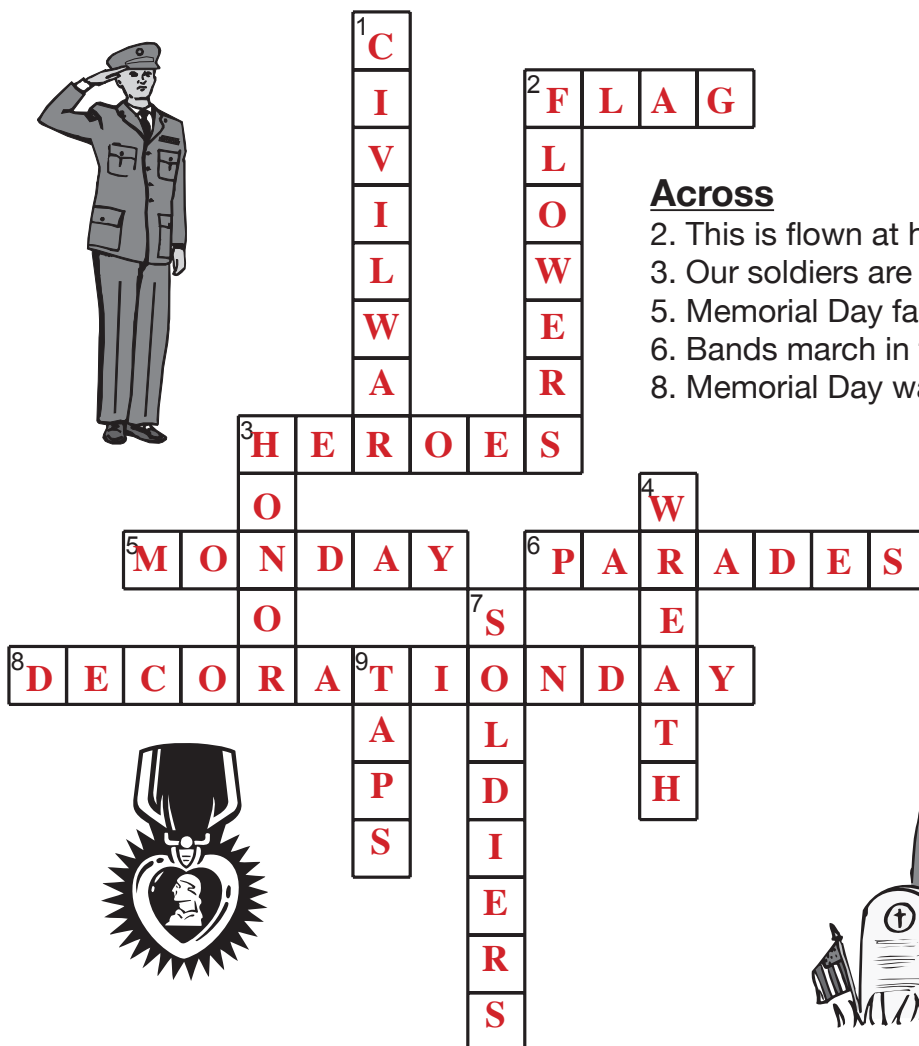


Celebrating Memorial Day

Grades 5 - 9

Memorial Day is a time for us to actively remember our ancestors, family members, loved ones, neighbors, and friends who have given the ultimate sacrifice. Visit the site below to find out about this important holiday and complete the puzzle.

<http://www.usmemorialday.org/>



Across

2. This is flown at half-staff
3. Our soldiers are considered these
5. Memorial Day falls on the last _____ in May
6. Bands march in these
8. Memorial Day was originally called this



Down

1. Memorial Day began by honoring the dead from this war
2. These decorate the graves of fallen servicemen
3. Brave soldier's military award: Medal of _____
4. Placed at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldiers
7. They fight to protect our freedom
9. A song we are likely to hear



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