

CAR Program in a Box:

Military Branch Matching Game:

- Print out 6 pieces of paper, each with the name of a military branch in bold on it.
- Write the 5 facts below for each branch on notecards, and shuffle them.

Army:

- This branch is the oldest branch of the U.S. military.
- This branch has soldiers who often serve on land.
- This branch uses vehicles such as tanks and helicopters
- This branch's motto is "Be All You Can Be".
- This branch is represented by soldiers.

Navy:

- This branch protects the United States on and under the sea.
- This branch uses ships and submarines.
- This branch has sailors.
- This branch has large ships called aircraft carriers.
- This branch travels and serves in the world's oceans.

Air Force:

- This branch protects the United States in the air.
- This branch uses airplanes and helicopters.
- This branch has Airmen.
- This branch flies many of the military's fighter jets.
- This branch's members may help with missions high above the Earth.

Marine Corps:

- This branch is known for being ready to fight on land, at sea, and from the air.
- This branch's members are called Marines.
- This branch is part of the Department of the Navy.
- This branch has the motto "Semper Fidelis," meaning "Always Faithful".
- This branch is known for the phrase "The Few, The Proud".

Coast Guard:

- This branch helps protect America's coasts and waterways.

- This branch helps with search and rescue on the water.
- This branch may help save people during storms and emergencies at sea.
- This branch's members protect people and enforce laws on the water.
- This branch can serve under the Department of Homeland Security during peacetime.

Space Force:

- This is the newest branch of the U.S. military.
- This branch works to protect U.S. interests in space.
- This branch works with things like satellites.
- Members of this branch are called Guardians.
- This branch has a mission connected to space and technology.

“Who is Your American Hero” Activity:

- Each member writes the name of an American hero they admire and briefly explains why. This can be someone they know personally or a historical figure, including first responders, active duty service members, and veterans.
- Members can share their answers with the group or create a display board.