



THANK YOU CARDS FOR OUR MILITARY KIDS

ABOUT OUR MILITARY KIDS

Our Military Kids recognizes the sacrifice of children (ages 1–18) of deployed National Guard, deployed Reserve, or post 9/11 combat-injured service members by offering extracurricular activity grants that build the child's self-confidence, enhance family wellness, and strengthen a shared sense of community.

THANK A MILITARY CHILD: INSTRUCTIONS

Using the attached Thank You card(s), we invite you and your family to:

- Write a note
- Create a drawing
- Show your gratitude for the children and teens who make daily sacrifices while their parent is deployed or in recovery!

REMINDER: These cards will go out to children whose parents are either:

Deployed overseas, activated on a stateside mission, **OR** in recovery for combat-related injuries, so your cards should ideally be suitable for either group (see examples below!).

The ages of these children range from 1 to 18 years old, so please keep that in mind when creating these cards so that they can be enjoyed by any child.

Example Messages:

- Thank you so much for all you do every day to support your military parent!
- We hope you have so much fun in your OMK grant activity!
- We are so proud to support you in your chosen activity in honor of your parent's service to our country!
- Once a military kid, always a military kid! We are so proud to have you in our community.
- We recognize and truly appreciate the sacrifices you make in support of your military parent. Thank you!

The Our Military Kids team will include your Thank You cards in "Top Secret" grant packets that are sent out to military kids and teens across the country!