Family History Ideas





Learn about your ancestors who served in the military.



Who are they? How are you related to them? Where did they serve?

If possible, visit the cemetery where a relative was buried and and maybe leave some patriotic decorations!

Find famous relatives who served in the government.



Could you be related to George Washington? Maybe Abraham Lincoln? Who else?





If any of your living relatives served in the military, audio record them telling you about their experience and upload it to their FamilySearch profile. Ask them to tell you specific stories.



This could be a parent, grandparent, uncle, cousin, etc.

If you don't have any living relatives to interview, spend time researching the different branches of the military (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Space Force, etc). Are any of them of interest to you?





Take a moment and write in your journal or on a sheet of paper your feelings about the things you learned about your family and the military and whether or not that is something you want to do.

