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MEMORIAL DAY
We live in the United States of America.
The United States of America has people that protect the United States of America.

They are the military.
People in the military are called soldiers.

The United States of America's Army and Marine soldiers protect our cities and towns on land.
The United States of America's Navy soldiers protect our cities and towns from the sea.
The United States of America's Air Force soldiers protect our cities and towns from the sky.
People salute America's soldiers on Memorial Day.

Many brave men and women died in wars.

They died to protect us and for our freedom.
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Memorial Day is the last Monday in May.
American people remember soldiers on Memorial Day.

Some towns have parades.
People put flowers and flags on soldier's graves.
Schools & many businesses are closed on Memorial Day.
A minute of silence begins at 3 pm.
The Memorial Day flower is the red poppy.
Wear a red poppy and honor our soldiers.