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Dear District 63 Parents and Guardians,

As Veterans Day approaches, we are writing to ask for help regarding a special letter writing project that will be completed in the seventh grade ELA classes. We would like to honor those of you who may have parents, grandparents, aunts/uncles, other relatives, and even friends who are military veterans or on active duty. In fact, perhaps some of you are veterans, too!

If you know of anyone who is a veteran or on active duty, please share the veteran's name and additional information on the Google Form linked below. After this information is collected, all of our seventh grade students will be assigned a veteran(s) and will write a personal letter of thanks to the individual.

Finally, we are thrilled to bring back our Veterans Day assembly. If possible, we would like this veteran to come to Cass Junior High School on **Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at 9:30 am** for a special presentation and reading of the letter. We are planning on having a meaningful assembly and would be excited to have as many veterans as possible attend and even speak to the students, if so inclined. If the veteran is unable to attend, please know that he or she will still receive a personalized letter by mail.

We appreciate the extraordinary sacrifice our veterans have made for our country and hope you will help our students honor them in a special way. Please complete the Google Form below no later than **Friday, October 11, 2024**: <https://tinyurl.com/3chr23rf>

Respectfully,

Amy Gorzkowski and Audrey Vaci
Seventh Grade ELA Teachers