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Veteran’s Day is an official holiday in the United States perceived on November 11th in which we honor the men and women who served in the U.S Armed Forces who placed their lives in war to sustain freedom for our great country. We celebrate Veteran’s Day so that we may remember the ultimate sacrifice that was given by few to benefit the many. We should momentously appreciate our veterans because they play a huge role in our nation. This holiday emerged from United States President, Woodrow Wilson, in November 1919, in which he proclaimed November 11th as the first celebration of Armistice Day. It memorializes the signing of the Armistice treaty which effectively allied Germany, France, and the Ottoman Empire, which ended the First World War. At the end of World War Two and the Korean War, the day was renamed as Veteran’s Day to celebrate and mourn the passing of United States soldiers killed during foreign wars. In my point of view, a veteran means to be courageous and face our enemies for freedom, protecting our country out of danger, and living in peace. There are many individuals who want to wound our country. Fortunately, the people who are now joining the military, and our veterans, are protecting our country from harm. If I were to rewrite a page in history about Veteran’s Day, I would write about diplomacy. Instead of having our bold men and women who serve in the U.S Armed Forces go and fight for our country, there should be negotiations with our enemies to stop hostilities. If war is constantly occurring all the time, nothing will be resolved. If there is less war, there will be more armistice among our nation. Putting politics aside, we should say “Thank you” to our veterans who served or are currently serving for our nation.