

# Mail Call!

## What is Mail Call?

Every Veteran that flies on Honor Flight gets an envelope full of letters from their family and friends, the community, and from students. Mail Call is one of the most memorable parts of their day.



## How you can help:

We need generic thank you cards and letters to our nearly 1,000 veterans we fly every year. Mail Call can include handwritten or typed letters, small and flat pieces of art, purchased cards, or homemade cards.

### Guidelines:

- No last names for students
- They can include school name and address and teacher or teacher email if vets want to reply
- No dates or mention of Veterans Day since we don't know when we will use them
- No sealed envelopes
- Teachers can package and send to office:  
HFC Mail Call  
9701 W Higgins #310  
Rosemont IL 60018

# Letters to Veterans

## How you can help:

Even after their flight, veterans enjoy receiving mail and hearing from students.

We have over 100 videos, written interviews, and podcasts available on the Honor Flight Chicago website (<https://www.honorflightchicago.org/>).

Watch one of the videos, read a written interview, or listen to a podcast and then write to the veteran to let them know their story is still out there and you are enjoying it. Teachers: Please prescreen videos as some can be graphic and discuss life after the war and PTSD.

Sometimes, the veteran may have passed on but their family still enjoys receiving mail about the impact their veteran continues to have.

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