



# Airborne & Special Operations Museum

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## Gallery Scavenger Hunt for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

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1. List three characteristics that you think good leaders should possess.
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2. Do the characteristics you listed apply to army leaders? Explain your answer.
3. Choose one leader from the "Historical Milestones" wall and describe what he achieved. General Dwight D. Eisenhower, who is included on the wall, eventually became the President of the United States.
4. Soldiers must be prepared to fight in all types of environments. List three different physical environments you see depicted in the gallery in pictures or the dioramas. (A diorama, in this museum, is a life-size scene recreating a historical event such as the glider display and the Modelo Prison exhibit.)
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5. Describe two ways that the soldiers in the dioramas blend in with their surroundings. Look at the clothes, faces, backgrounds, other mannequins, etc.
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6. List two personal items found in the Ground Mobility Vehicle (GMV) in the Global War on Terrorism exhibit. Do any of the items surprise you?
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Answers might include: **courage, self-discipline, perseverance, integrity, respect, responsibility, kindness, good judgment, etc.**
2. Do the characteristics you listed apply to army leaders? Explain your answer.  
Answers may vary, but should be explained.
3. Choose one leader from the "Historical Milestones" wall and describe what he achieved. General Dwight D. Eisenhower, who is included on the wall, eventually became the President of the United States.  
There are 25 men listed. **One example: Corporal Paul Huff was the first parachutist to receive the Medal of Honor.**
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Answers might include: **forest, desert, mountain, jungle, etc.**
5. Describe two ways that the soldiers in the dioramas blend in with their surroundings. Look at the clothes, faces, backgrounds, other mannequins, etc.  
Answers might include: **camouflage uniforms, face paint, dressing like the local population, growing longer facial hair, etc.**
6. List two personal items found in the Ground Mobility Vehicle (GMV) in the Global War on Terrorism exhibit. Do any of the items surprise you?  
Answers might include: **baseball cap, pictures of kids, toy GMV, Gatorade, Skittles, coffee maker, Pringles, etc.**