



UNITED STATES NAVY SEABEE MUSEUM

Seabee Naval Communications

The Seabees are a part of the U.S. Navy, a branch of the military that operates at land and sea. Seabees are sailors who are trained in construction; their motto is, "We Build, We Fight." Seabees, Sailors, Marines, and the rest of the armed services use various techniques to communicate. Ships communicate through the use of "signal flags." What is a signal flag? A signal flag is a small flag used as a symbol for an alphabet letter, and when the flags are strung together they spell out words, or phrases.

Military Alphabet and Signal Flags

A	Alpha		N	November	
B	Bravo		O	Oscar	
C	Charlie		P	Papa	
D	Delta		Q	Quebec	
E	Echo		R	Romeo	
F	Foxtrot		S	Sierra	
G	Golf		T	Tango	
H	Hotel		U	Uniform	
I	India		V	Victor	
J	Juliet		W	Whiskey	
K	Kilo		X	X-ray	
L	Lima		Y	Yankee	
M	Mike		Z	Zulu	

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Student Name: _____ Date: _____

Look at these Signal Flags, and see if you can tell what they are saying? Write what you think the flags are saying to the right of the flags. We've done the first one!



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Please use the **ANSWER KEY** below to assist students with the worksheet.

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SAILOR



SHIP



CHIEF



MAST



ADMIRAL



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DESTROYER



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