

# United States Marine Corps



## LINEAGE OF

### 1ST BATTALION, 11TH MARINES

1923 – 1941

ACTIVATED 3 DECEMBER 1923 AT QUANTICO, VIRGINIA, AS 1ST BATTALION, 10TH REGIMENT

PARTICIPATED IN MAIL GUARD DUTY IN THE MIDWESTERN UNITED STATES, OCTOBER 1926 – FEBRUARY 1927

DEPLOYED DURING APRIL-JUNE 1927 TO TIENTSIN, CHINA, AND ASSIGNED TO 3D MARINE BRIGADE

REDEPLOYED DURING SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 1928 TO QUANTICO, VIRGINIA, AND DETACHED FROM 3D MARINE BRIGADE

REDESIGNATED 10 JULY 1930 AS 1ST BATTALION, 10TH MARINES

ASSIGNED DURING SEPTEMBER 1935 TO 1ST MARINE BRIGADE

REDESIGNATED 1 SEPTEMBER 1940 AS 1ST BATTALION, 11TH MARINES

DEPLOYED DURING OCTOBER 1940 TO GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA

1ST MARINE BRIGADE REDESIGNATED 1 FEBRUARY 1941 AS 1ST MARINE DIVISION

RELOCATED DURING APRIL 1941 TO NEW RIVER, NORTH CAROLINA

1942 – 1947

REASSIGNED DURING MARCH 1942 TO 3D MARINE BRIGADE AND DEPLOYED TO WESTERN SAMOA

REASSIGNED DURING SEPTEMBER 1942 TO 1ST MARINE DIVISION

PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS

GUADALCANAL  
FINSCHHAFEN  
NEW BRITAIN  
PELELIU  
OKINAWA

REDEPLOYED DURING SEPTEMBER 1945 TO TIENTSIN, CHINA

PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF NORTH CHINA, SEPTEMBER 1945 – JANUARY 1947

REDEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 1947 TO GUAM, AND REASSIGNED TO FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

11TH MARINES REASSIGNED DURING JUNE 1947 TO 1ST MARINE DIVISION

DEACTIVATED 1 OCTOBER 1947

1949 – 1964

REACTIVATED 1 OCTOBER 1949 AT CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA, AND ASSIGNED TO  
1ST MARINE DIVISION

REASSIGNED DURING JULY 1950 TO 1ST PROVISIONAL MARINE BRIGADE

DEPLOYED DURING JULY-AUGUST 1950 TO PUSAN, KOREA

PARTICIPATED IN THE KOREAN WAR, AUGUST 1950 – JULY 1953,  
OPERATING FROM

PUSAN PERIMETER  
INCHON-SEOUL  
CHOSIN RESERVOIR  
EAST-CENTRAL FRONT  
WESTERN FRONT

PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF THE KOREAN DEMILITARIZED ZONE,  
AUGUST 1953 – MARCH 1955

REDEPLOYED DURING APRIL 1955 TO CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA

PARTICIPATED IN THE CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS, OCTOBER-DECEMBER 1962

1965 – 1971

DEPLOYED DURING AUGUST 1965 TO CAMP HANSEN, OKINAWA

REDEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 1966 TO CHU LAI, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM, AND REASSIGNED TO  
3D MARINE DIVISION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

REASSIGNED DURING MARCH 1966 TO 1ST MARINE DIVISION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, JANUARY 1966 – MAY 1971,  
OPERATING FROM

CHU LAI	PHU BAI
QUANG TRI	KHE SANH
CA LU	DONG HA
CUA VIET	QUANG NAM
DA NANG	

REASSIGNED DURING APRIL 1971 TO 3D MARINE DIVISION

REDEPLOYED DURING MAY 1971 TO CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO 1ST MARINE DIVISION



1972 – 2015

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM, SOUTHWEST ASIA, JANUARY-MARCH 1991

PARTICIPATED IN FIRE-FIGHTING EFFORTS IN THE WESTERN UNITED STATES,  
JULY-SEPTEMBER 1994

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS ENDURING FREEDOM AND IRAQI FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN AND IRAQ, 2002 – 2007

ELEMENTS DEPLOYED DURING MARCH 2002 TO PAKISTAN IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM

DEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 2003 TO KUWAIT IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, MARCH-JULY 2003  
AND JUNE 2007 – APRIL 2008

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, FEBRUARY-SEPTEMBER 2006 AND JULY 2005 – APRIL 2006

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION UNIFIED ASSISTANCE, HAITI,  
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2005

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN, APRIL-NOVEMBER 2010

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN,  
MAY 2012 – FEBRUARY 2013 AND JANUARY-AUGUST 2014

14 SEPTEMBER 2015

DATE

  
COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS

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### AWARDED

1ST BATTALION, 11TH MARINES

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER AND ONE BRONZE STAR

WORLD WAR II  
GUADALCANAL - 1942  
PELELIU, NGESEBUS - 1944  
OKINAWA - 1945

KOREA  
1950  
1950  
1950  
1951

VIETNAM  
1966  
1966 - 1967  
1968  
1968

IRAQ  
2003

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS

WORLD WAR II  
CAPE GLOUCESTER - 1943 - 1944

KOREA  
1952 - 1953

SOUTHWEST ASIA  
1991

IRAQ  
2007 - 2008

AFGHANISTAN  
2010

**MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**VIETNAM**

**1968**

**1994**

**YANGTZE SERVICE STREAMER**

**CHINA SERVICE STREAMER**

**AMERICAN DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER STAR**

**WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER**

**NAVY OCCUPATION SERVICE STREAMER WITH "ASIA"**

**NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS**

**KOREAN SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER STARS**

**ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER**

**VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER AND TWO BRONZE STARS**

**SOUTHWEST ASIA SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS**

**AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS**

**IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS**

**GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER**

**GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER**

**KOREAN PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER**

**VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER**

**VIETNAM MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION CIVIL ACTIONS STREAMER**

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