LINEAGE OF MARINE FIGHTER ATTACK SQUADRON 112

1942 – 1945

ACTIVATED 1 MARCH 1942 AT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, AS MARINE FIGHTING SQUADRON 112 AND ASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 11, 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 11 REASSIGNED DURING AUGUST 1942 TO SERVICE GROUP, MARINE AIR, WESTERN PACIFIC

RELOCATED DURING SEPTEMBER 1942 TO CAMP KEARNY, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 12, 2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

REASSIGNED DURING SEPTEMBER 1942 TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 11, 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

DEPLOYED DURING OCTOBER 1942 TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA

PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS

GUADALCANAL
SOUTHERN SOLOMONS
IWO JIMA
OKINAWA

RELOCATED DURING JULY-AUGUST 1943 TO MIRAMAR, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE BASE DEFENSE AIRCRAFT GROUP 42, MARINE FLEET AIR, WEST COAST

REASSIGNED DURING OCTOBER 1944 TO MARINE BASE DEFENSE AIRCRAFT GROUP 48

REDESIGNATED 10 NOVEMBER 1944 AS MARINE FIGHTING SQUADRON (CVS) 112 AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIR SUPPORT GROUP 48

DEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 1945 TO THE WESTERN PACIFIC ON BOARD THE USS BENNINGTON
REASSIGNED DURING FEBRUARY 1945 TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 42
RELOCATED DURING JULY 1945 TO EL CENTRO, CALIFORNIA
MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 42 REDESIGNATED 14 JULY 1945 AS
MARINE AIR SUPPORT GROUP 42
DEACTIVATED 10 SEPTEMBER 1945

1946 – 1970
REACTIVATED 1 JULY 1946 AT NAVAL AIR STATION DALLAS, TEXAS, AS
MARINE FIGHTING SQUADRON 112 AND ASSIGNED TO
MARINE AIR RESERVE TRAINING DETACHMENT,
ORGANIZED MARINE CORPS RESERVE (AVIATION)
REDESIGNATED 1 SEPTEMBER 1949 AS MARINE FIGHTER SQUADRON 112
REASSIGNED DURING FEBRUARY 1965 TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 41,
4TH MARINE AIRCRAFT WING, U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE

1971 – 2018
REDESIGNATED 1 NOVEMBER 1971 AS MARINE ALL WEATHER FIGHTER SQUADRON 112
REDESIGNATED 25 FEBRUARY 1976 AS MARINE FIGHTER ATTACK SQUADRON 112
RELOCATED DURING SEPTEMBER 1996 TO
NAVAL AIR STATION FORT WORTH JOINT RESERVE BASE, TEXAS
PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, AUGUST-DECEMBER 2009

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MARINE FIGHTER ATTACK SQUADRON 112

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER
WORLD WAR II
1942

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR
1982 – 1984
IRAQ
2009

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS
1990 – 1991
1994 – 1995
1996 – 1998
1997 – 1998

AMERICAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER
ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS
WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER
NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER
IRAQ CAMPAIGN SERVICE STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR
GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

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