THE CODE TALKERS

DRAG AND DROP

AEROPLANE	AWARDS	CODE	CONGRESSIONAL	DESCRIBE
DURING	ELDERLY	GOVERNMENT	HEROISM	IN CASE
IN SECRET	IN WRITING	INDIANS	INVENTED	INVITED
LANGUAGE	MILITARY	NATIVE	NAVAJO	OPERATORS
REMAINED	SUBMARINE	TALKERS		

In the past the _____ Americans were told to use and speak English and to forget their own _____. But _____ World War II the American _____ realised that the _____ language could be used as a _____ language. No one was able to write it since it didn't exist _____ and only the _____ could speak it. The army _____ a group of Navajo Indians to join them and to become code _____. They worked as radio _____ so that the Americans could communicate _____. A lot of common _____ words did not exist in Navajo, so they _____ expressions which would _____ the actual meaning of such words. For example the _____ was replaced by Navajo word for a bird, iron fish was a _____ etc. the code _____ secret for many years after the war _____ they might need to use it once again. The code talkers could not talk about their work to anyone so their work and _____ was forgotten until 2001 when five _____ Native Americans finally received the _____ Gold Medal – one of the USA's highest _____.

READ THE TEXT AGAIN, FIND DEFINITIONS FOR THESE WORDS AND TRANSLATE THEM INTO YOUR LANGUAGE. (use Oxford Learner's Dictionary)

Your lanaguage	English	Definitions
	soap	
	excellent	
	submarine	
	elderly	
	course of history	

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