- 1. **Battalion** a military unit made up of two or more companies or batteries and a headquarters that is commanded by a lieutenant colonel, is the smallest unit to have a staff, and is administratively self sufficient.
- **2. Company-** a subdivision of a military regiment or battalion that constitutes the lowest administrative unit. It is usually under the command of a captain and is made up of at least two platoons.
- **3. Enlisted-** relating to or constituting the part of the military force below officers. relating to or constituting the part of the military force below officers.
- **4. Platoons-** a subdivision of a company size military unit normally consisting of two or more squads or sections; the leader is usually a first lieutenant.
- **5. Specialists-** a person who devotes himself to a particular occupation or field of study; the enlisted rank in the Army corresponding to a corporal.
- **6. Squads-** the smallest unit in the Army organization composed of a varying number of personnel, depending on the type of element, and led by a noncommissioned officer.
- 7. Subordinate- a person lower in rank or grade.
- **8.** Succession- the order of persons next in line for an office or rank that is held by another.
- **9. Team(s)-** a group of persons approximating one-half of a squad and normally led by a junior noncommissioned officer.