

FURTHER RESEARCH

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Gaius Julius Caesar

USEFUL WEBSITES

www.perseus.tufts.edu/hopper/text?doc=Perseus%3Atext%3A1999.02.0001%3Abook%3D1%3Achapter%3D1

The complete text of Julius Caesar's *Gallic Wars*, translated by W. A. McDevitte and W. S. Bohn on the Perseus Digital Library website.

en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Commentarii_de_Bello_Gallico

Overview of Julius Caesar's work *Gallic Wars* on Wikipedia.

www.historylearningsite.co.uk/a_history_of_ancient_rome.htm

Information about all aspects of Ancient Rome from the army to entertainment.

PRINTED RESOURCES

Caesar by Adrian Goldsworthy (Phoenix, 2007)

A detailed biography of Caesar's rise to power

OTHER MEDIA

Julius Caesar

A classic 1953 film of William Shakespeare's play of the same name, starring Marlon Brando.

PLACES TO VISIT

Alesia, Côte-d'Or, France

Alesia is an archaeological site at the location where Caesar defeated the Gauls in 52 BCE. Visitors can see the ruins of several houses as well as public buildings and areas such as a theatre, a basilica and shops, all centred around a forum.

The Forum of Caesar, Rome, Italy

The forum was commissioned by Julius Caesar in 54 BC and completed eight years later in 46 BCE. It became a centre-point for life in Rome.

Area Sacra di Largo Argentina, Rome, Italy

This small but fascinating archaeological site in Rome has a number of temples and senate buildings. It was here that Caesar was assassinated on 15th March 44 BCE.

Elizabeth I

USEFUL WEBSITES

www.royal.gov.uk/HistoryoftheMonarchy/KingsandQueensofEngland/TheTudors/ElizabethI.aspx

A biography of Queen Elizabeth where you can read a speech she made addressing her troops. There are links to biographies of other British monarchs.

www.biography.com/people/queen-elizabeth-i-9286133

Biography of Queen Elizabeth I and a short video about her life.

FURTHER RESEARCH (CONTINUED)

PRINTED RESOURCES

Elizabeth I (Women in History) (Phoenix, 2002) by Anne Somerset
A biography of Elizabeth's personal life and career as a leader

OTHER MEDIA

Elizabeth (1998) and *Elizabeth: The Golden Age* (2007)
Two epic films that chart the life of Elizabeth's turbulent reign. Starring Cate Blanchett, Geoffrey Rush and Richard Attenborough.

PLACES TO VISIT

Hatfield House, Hertfordshire, England
Childhood home of Elizabeth I. Visit the website here: www.hatfield-house.co.uk/.

The Tower of London, London, England
The place where Elizabeth I was imprisoned as a child. The tower now houses the Crown Jewels. Visit the website here: www.hrp.org.uk/TowerOfLondon/.

Windsor Castle, Berkshire, England
One of Elizabeth I's main homes, which is still a royal residence. Visit the website here: www.royalcollection.org.uk/visit/windsorcastle.

Hampton Court Palace, Richmond upon Thames, England
Another of Elizabeth I's homes, which was a royal residence until the 18th century. Visit the website here: www.hrp.org.uk/HamptonCourtPalace/.

George Washington

USEFUL WEBSITES

www.whitehouse.gov/about/presidents/georgewashington
A short biography of George Washington on the White House website, along with links to biographies of other US presidents.

gwpapers.virginia.edu/
Digital versions of George Washington's letters of correspondence.

PRINTED RESOURCES

Washington: A Life by Ron Chernow (Penguin, 2011)
A rich portrait of 'the father of the United States' by the winner of the 2011 Pulitzer Prize for Biography.

George Washington: Gentleman Warrior (Quercus, 2012) by Stephen Brumwell
A biography that focuses on Washington as a frontier officer and commander of the Continental Army.

OTHER MEDIA

The Founding of America
A six-DVD box set from the History Channel that outlines the early struggles that George Washington and other founding presidents had to deal with.

PLACES TO VISIT

Mount Vernon, North Virginia, USA
George Washington's iconic estate beside the Potomac River. Visit the website here: www.mountvernon.org/

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King Louis XVI

USEFUL WEBSITES

bastille-day.com/biography/LouisXVI-Biography

Biography of King Louis XVI, along with links to biographies of other people who played central parts in the French Revolution.

www.biography.com/people/louis-xvi-9386943

Biography and short video about Louis XVI

PRINTED RESOURCES

Louis XVI (Yale University Press, 1992) by John Hardman

The complete autobiography of King Louis XVI and the decline of his power.

PLACES TO VISIT

Palace of Versailles, France

The splendid palace which was the home of King Louis XVI and his wife, Marie Antoinette. Visit the website here:

en.chateauversailles.fr/homepage.

Winston Churchill

USEFUL WEBSITES

www.bbc.co.uk/history/people/winston_churchill

Biography of Winston Churchill on the BBC website, with links to video footage.

www.winstonchurchill.org/

Website of an organization dedicated to the life and work of Winston Churchill.

PRINTED RESOURCES

Churchill: A biography (Pan, 2002) by Roy Jenkins

A biography of Churchill's contribution to some of the most important events in British history, from the miners' strike to the Battle of Britain. Written by a fellow politician.

The Wicked Wit of Winston Churchill compiled (Michael O'Mara, 2001) by Dominique Enright

A compilation of some of Winston's most witty jokes and sayings.

The Second World War, Volumes 1–6 (Penguin Classics, 2005) by Winston Churchill

Churchill's history of the second world war from a political, military and personal perspective.

OTHER MEDIA

Churchill

Biographical documentary series with contributions from those who knew Winston.

The Gathering Storm

Feature film starring Albert Finney and Vanessa Redgrave portraying Churchill's relationship with his wife during the 1930s.

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PLACES TO VISIT

Chartwell, Kent, England

The home of Winston Churchill. The rooms remain much the same as they did when Churchill lived there, and contain many of his possessions. Visit the website here: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/chartwell/

The Imperial War Museum, London, England

Visit a museum dedicated to Sir Winston Churchill, where you can hear extracts from Churchill's speeches, watch videos and see photos from his life. Visit the website here: www.iwm.org.uk/exhibitions/churchill-war-rooms/the-churchill-museum

Che Guevara

USEFUL WEBSITES

www.che-lives.com/

A website dedicated to the life of Che Guevara.

www.biography.com/people/che-guevara-9322774

Biography and video about Che Guevara.

www.cheguevara.com/

Links to Che Guevara's speeches and other documents, translated into a variety of languages.

PRINTED RESOURCES

Che Guevara: A Revolutionary Life (Bantam, 1997) by Jon Lee Anderson

An epic book documenting Che Guevara's aim to unite Latin America and other developing countries through armed revolution.

The Motorcycle Diaries (Harper Perennial, 2004) by Che Guevara

Che Guevara's own account of his disasters and discoveries as he travelled across South America by motorbike.

PLACES TO VISIT

Museum of Che Guevara, Santa Clara, Cuba

Small museum dedicated to Che's family and background. On show is the famous letter he wrote to Fidel Castro.