Second World War Who's Who

The Allies







Russia
Union of Soviet Socialist
Republics

United States of America





France China

Remember that all the countries who were part of the Commonwealth or under British rule were also Allies.

Who were their leaders?



Neville Chamberlain was Prime Minister of the UK when war broke out. He was then replaced by Winston Churchill.



The French President was Charles De Gaulle.



The Dictator of the USSR was Joseph Stalin.



Franklin D. Roosevelt was the President of the USA when they entered the war.



Franklin D. Roosevelt died before the war ended in 1945 and was replaced by Harry Truman.



The political leader in China was Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

What can you find out about these leaders?



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The Axis



Nazi Germany





Japan

These three countries signed an allegiance in September 1940 called the Tripartite Pact. They were later joined by Hungary, Romania, Slovakia, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia who all wanted protection from the Russian armies.

Who were their leaders?



Adolf Hitler was Germany's Führer during Second World War.



Benito Mussolini was the elected Prime Minister of Italy until 1922. Then he abolished democracy in Italy and became a Dictator right up to the time of the Second World War.



Hideki Tojo was Japan's Prime Minister for most of the Second World War. He was responsible for one of the biggest attacks on American soil. Can you find out which attack this was?

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