

INFORMATION SEARCH

Introductory Gallery

1. Where and when was Dwight D. Eisenhower born?
2. Where did Eisenhower go to college?
3. Eisenhower's graduating class was known as "The Class _____".
4. The Allied invasion of North Africa in 1942 was known by what code name?
5. What piece of military clothing was named after Eisenhower during World War II?
6. The acronym SHAEF stands for S _____ H _____ A _____ E
F _____.
7. What was "Operation Overlord"?
8. Eisenhower was president of what college from 1948-50?
9. During the Eisenhower Presidency two states were added to the Union. They were
_____ and _____.

First Ladies Gallery

10. Where and when was Mamie Doud Eisenhower born?
11. When were Ike and Mamie married?
12. What were the names of Dwight and Mamie Eisenhower's children?

Military Gallery

13. What is the significance of December 7, 1941?
14. What date was D-Day?
15. The United States, Great Britain and Soviet Union were called the "Allies" during World War II; what countries made up the "Axis" powers?
16. What three leaders attended the "Big Three Conference?"
17. Two artificial harbors were constructed for the D-Day invasion (Operation Overlord); what were the harbors called?
18. What were the names of the five beaches that the allied troops landed on during the D-Day invasion?
19. Col. Oveta Culp Hobby directed the W_____ A _____ C_____.
20. What does V-E Day mean? What was the date?
21. War ended in the Pacific with the dropping of atomic bombs on what two Japanese cities? On what dates?

Presidential Gallery

22. In November 1945, President Harry Truman appointed Dwight Eisenhower to what position?
23. Dwight Eisenhower became president of which college in 1948?
24. What was the name of the dog that served as friend and mascot to an air unit during World War II?

25. In this exhibit there are many references to Dwight Eisenhower's childhood friend from Abilene who graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. What was his name?
26. What was the name of the book written by Dwight Eisenhower about World War II?
27. In 1950, Dwight Eisenhower was assigned to be the supreme commander of NATO military forces. What was his official title?
What does the acronym NATO stand for?
28. Eisenhower resigned from the Army on May 31, 1952. He made an announcement three days later from the Plaza Theater in Abilene, Kansas. What was his announcement?
29. What was the famous "Eisenhower for President" campaign slogan?
30. What was the slogan on the back of the Eisenhower campaign train?
31. Which party did Dwight Eisenhower represent—Democratic or Republican? What was their party symbol—an elephant or a donkey?
32. Richard Nixon made a famous speech in 1952 that was named for the Nixon family dog. What was the speech called?
33. What was the most watched show in 1952, 1953, 1954 and 1956?
34. What was special about the Bible used when President Eisenhower took his oath of office?
35. In the aftermath of atomic explosions in the Soviet Union in the 1950s, schoolchildren participated in air-raid drills called "D_____ and C_____" drills. What were families encouraged to build to protect their families?

36. In May 1960, an American spy plane was shot down over the Soviet Union. What type of spy plane was it?
37. What was the name of President Eisenhower's policy of containment during the 1950s?
38. In 1954, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled in a landmark civil rights case that "separate but equal" was unconstitutional. What was the case called?
39. In the early 1950s, two Americans were convicted and executed for espionage (spying for the Soviet Union). What were their names?
40. Which Wisconsin senator led the "red scare" crusade against Communism in the 1950s?
41. What was the average annual family income in 1950-1960?
42. In 1956, the National Park Service began a 10-year, one billion-dollar program to improve and increase the number of national parks. What was the program called?
43. What was the name of the first manned space program launched by NASA in 1958?
44. What did Dwight Eisenhower have hidden in his desks at Columbia University, SHAPE headquarters and the White House?
45. Who was the Presidential retreat in Maryland, Camp David, named for?
46. Dwight Eisenhower was considered to be the first "Television President." He is the only President to win this award for use of television in press conferences and speeches.

47. President Eisenhower founded an organization in 1956 to promote international peace and understanding. What is the name of the organization?
48. Who succeeded Dwight Eisenhower as President of the U.S.?
49. Where did Dwight and Mamie Eisenhower retire after leaving the White House?
50. When did Dwight Eisenhower die and where is he buried?
51. Dwight Eisenhower began a hobby after World War II that provided relaxation. What was his hobby?
52. Which famous President did Eisenhower paint a portrait of?