

**Educational Resources** 

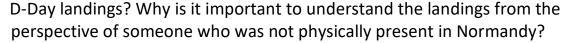
Canadian Military History
Grade 4 and up

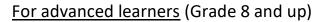
## **General Crerar**

Read about <u>General Crerar</u> (https://valourcanada.ca/military-history-library/general-crerar/) on Valour Canada's military history library online and answer the following:

## For young learners (Grades 4 to 7)

- 1. General Crerar fought in which World War One battles?
- 2. Define the word "nationalist".
- 3. Read the <u>Juno Beach Centre's</u> article about the General and then draw a timeline of Crerar's life and career.
- 4. List five questions you would like to ask General Crerar about the





- 5. General Crerar wrote a message for the First Canadian Corps before they embarked on D-Day. General Dwight D. Eisenhower also wrote a message, as did General B.L. Montgomery. Read each of their messages online at <a href="D-Day-Overlord.com">D-Day-Overlord.com</a> and compare and contrast them. How does the language differ between each message? What symbolism and imagery did each General use? Write your response in paragraph form.
- 6. Compose your own D-Day message that you would send to the troops (either Canadian or Allied) on 6 June 1944. What would you include? Which words/phrases would you use to inspire courage and strength?

