



CANADIAN
WAR
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DE LA GUERRE



Fascinating architecture. Touching stories. World-class exhibitions.

Don't miss one of the top cultural destinations in the National Capital Region. The Canadian War Museum explores the high price of conflict through unique architectural features, rare vehicles, artillery, uniforms, medals, remarkable stories, archives, works of art, compelling exhibitions, and spaces for quiet reflection.

▶ PERMANENT EXHIBITIONS



MEMORIAL HALL
Place for reflection, holding the headstone of Canada's Unknown Soldier.



MORIYAMA REGENERATION HALL
Place of rest, symbolizing the search for peace and hope for all humanity.



LEBRETON GALLERY
Up-close with imposing tanks and artillery.



THE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION HALL OF HONOUR
Explore the long history and many ways in which Canadians have honoured, remembered and commemorated individuals and our military past.

📅 SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS

LAST VOICES OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR
May 2025 - December 2025

CANADA AND THE US CIVIL WAR
May 2026 - December 2026

THE ARCTIC
2027

Exhibitions, titles and dates subject to change without notice.

CANADIAN EXPERIENCE GALLERIES:



EARLY WARS IN CANADA
The wars of the First Peoples, the French and the British shaped Canada and Canadians.



THE SOUTH AFRICAN AND FIRST WORLD WARS
Canada's sacrifices and contributions to the South African and First World Wars.



THE SECOND WORLD WAR
Canada's fight against dictatorships overseas during the Second World War.



FROM THE COLD WAR TO THE PRESENT
Canada became a respected international player through its commitments to Western defence and peacekeeping.

SYMBOLIC ARCHITECTURE

- Angled walls remind us of the instability of war.
- Windows depict the words "Lest we forget" and "N'oublions jamais" in Morse code.
- The building emerges slowly from the landscape, reminding us of nature's ability to recover from the devastation of war and human conflict.



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► FOR GROUPS

GUIDED TOURS

Available at 10am, 11:15am, 1pm, 2:15pm, 3:30pm

- **Museum Highlights (45 min)**
Overview of architecture, highlights and star artifacts of the Museum.
- **Hidden Treasures (45 min)**
Tour featuring lesser-known artifacts with fascinating stories.
- **Second World War (45min)**
Tour examining the home front, D-Day, the Italian Campaign and the war at sea and in the air.

WHERE TO EAT

Museum Cafeteria with outside terrace.

BOUTIQUE

A wide variety of Canadian and military souvenirs.

MULTILINGUAL VISITOR GUIDES

Offered in 8 languages.



SERVICES AVAILABLE TO GROUPS

- Group rates for 15 or more people
- Combo price with the Canadian Museum of History and CINÉ+
- Special group menus at the Café
- Private group entrance
- Facility rentals for special events
- Free Wi-Fi

► FOR STUDENTS

ACTIVITY SHEETS IN THE GALLERIES

Activity sheets offered for \$1 per student or available to download for free from the Museum's website.

ON-SITE SCHOOL PROGRAMS

New programs are in development for 2025!
Visit the EDUCATORS section of our website to have a look at your options.



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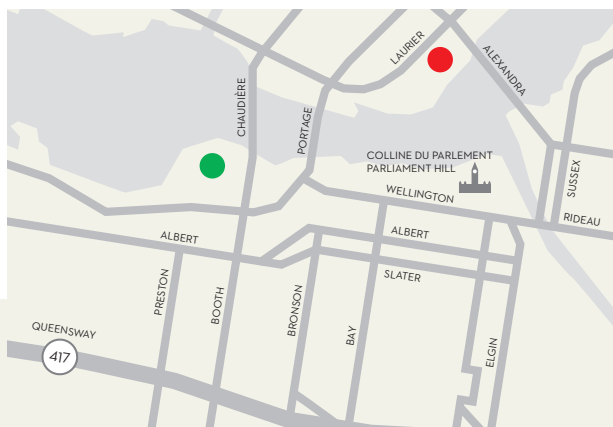
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DID YOU KNOW?

You can meet and speak with war veterans in our galleries.



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