

WALK in the FOOTSTEPS of HISTORY

The Juno Beach Centre Summer Institute and Battlefield Tour for Educators



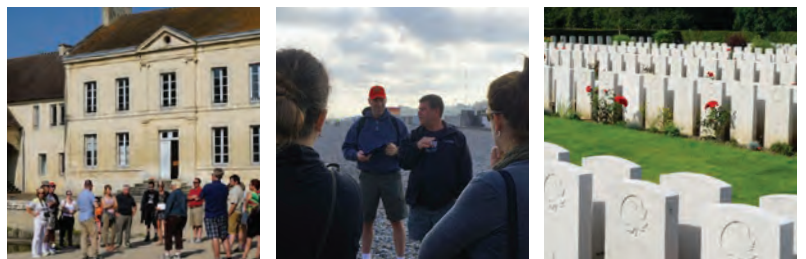
The Juno Beach Centre Association offers Canadian history teachers the opportunity to tour First and Second World War battlefields in France, and participate in the Juno Beach Centre's Summer Institute on the historic landing beaches of Normandy, France.

Educators from across Canada now have the opportunity to apply to take part in our **professional development program**. Participants will travel to Northern France via Paris to gain first-hand knowledge of Canada's participation in the First and Second World Wars. The **10-day tour** includes visits to Canadian battlefields at **Vimy Ridge, Beaumont-Hamel, the D-Day landing beaches, the Falaise Gap**, and of course, spend time at the **Juno Beach Centre!**



"The JBC Educator's Trip provided me with an unforgettable opportunity to learn about WWII. Nothing has been so meaningful and moving in my years of teaching. I returned home with a renewed sense of appreciation and a deeper understanding which I could share with my students."

CAROLYNNE LEBLANC KOBELSKY - 2008 TOUR



In addition, participants will gain a better understanding of Canadian sacrifices through visits to the **Abbaye d'Ardenne**, the town of **Authie** and Canadian cemeteries at **Bény-sur-Mer, Bretteville-sur-Laize, and Dieppe**.

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"More and more each day of this tour I come to see how those of us who are here today are the witnesses of what others did yesterday and that as teachers we have an almost sacred obligation to ensure those deeds are never forgotten but will live on now and tomorrow."

SCOTT POWERS, 2014 TOUR



The **Juno Beach Centre** is Canada's only museum on the D-Day Landing Beaches in Normandy, founded by veterans and volunteers in 2003 as a lasting testament to the Canadian contribution on D-Day and during the Second World War.

It also serves as an Education Centre, sharing the story of Canada's role in preserving the freedoms we are privileged to enjoy today.

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A military expert is on hand to provide in-depth historical content to participants throughout the tour. This expertise and historical perspective will provide informative and practical knowledge for classroom application. Professional development sessions will help participants connect these experiences with their provincial curricula, incorporating the Historical Thinking Concepts and commemorative work in their teaching.



The travel cost for successful applicants, return from Toronto to Paris, is \$2000. The Juno Beach Centre Association will subsidize the balance of the costs with the exception of some meals and personal expenses.



TO LEARN MORE

please see the application forms and sample itinerary in the "For Educators" section of our website at www.junobeach.org.