**Comprehension Questions**

Essay - D-Day or Operation Overlord, June 6, 1944

\*Explain the purpose of D-Day (Operation Overlord).

\*Describe what made D-Day so memorable.

\*List the technology and weaponry that were part of the D-Day invasion.

\*Explain the role of weather on D-Day.

\*Explain why Operation Overlord was such an emotional event for the Allies.

\*Describe the human toll of World War II.

\*What hazards did the paratroopers face?

\*Describe some of the obstacles faced by the ground commanders.

\*The men in the landing craft were heroic. Why?

\*The Omaha Beach landing was a hard-won American victory. Why?