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Introduction

A vigorous, gifted orator, Winston Churchill did much to raise morale in his role as British wartime Prime Minister from 1940. His active service during World War One instilled in him a strong military discipline and strategy and his part-American parentage enabled him to form close Anglo-American links during World War Two.

After entering politics in 1899, he worked as a war correspondent and escaped capture by the Boers in Natal. By 1916, he had served as 1st Lord of the Admiralty and also in the trenches in France. His political career was often in turmoil but had developed to such an extent that by 1939 he was appointed Lord of the Admiralty by Neville Chamberlain. Churchill replaced Chamberlain as Prime Minister following Germany's invasion of Poland. Churchill was a prolific writer, most notably on military and British history.

This bibliography has been designed to provide a guide as to where to find information on Churchill. Please note that the list of references below is a selection of the more relevant titles and information on the subject. The list is not intended to be exhaustive or definitive but is an introductory guide to some of the resources available.

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