

ACTIVITY SHEET 32.4

Part A. Build Vocabulary

Write the correct term in each blank.

Dwight D. Eisenhower: American general who helped drive the Germans out of Africa and became the supreme commander of Allied forces in Europe

Battle of Stalingrad: Battle in which the Red Army forced the Germans out of Stalingrad

D-Day: Day that the Allies mounted a huge invasion to retake France from the Germans

Battle of the Bulge: Final large-scale attack by German troops that was forced back by the Allies

kamikaze: Japanese suicide pilot

1. A _____ would sink an Allied ship by crash-diving a bomb-filled plane into it.
2. In the _____, German tanks broke through American defenses, but the Allies eventually forced the Germans to retreat.
3. The invasion of Normandy, France, on _____ was the largest land and sea attack in history.
4. The American general _____ led an Allied force that crushed Rommel's army in Africa.
5. Their victory in the _____ cost the Soviets over one million soldiers and left them with a city that was 99 percent destroyed.

Part B. Cooperative Work

Work with your group to complete the time line by identifying the main event under each date as well as its significance.

Events Leading to the Allied Victory in World War II

