

Historical figures list
Grade 6

Some historical figures and Canadians from various backgrounds who have made outstanding contributions to the global community through dance, sports, music, literature, art, science and technology include:

FLIGHT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amelia Earhart • Robert Goddard • Chuck Yeager • Otto Lilienthal • Orville and Wilbur Wright • Igor Sikorsky 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Roberta Bondar • Charles Linbergh • Richard Byrd • Marion Orr • Joseph and Etienne Montgolfier • Louis Bleriot
EXPLORERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Cabot • Bjarni Herjolfsson • Christopher Columbus • Samuel de Champlain • Leif Eriksson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matthieu da Costa • Jacques Cartier • Thorfinn Karlsefni • Erik the Red
ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Louis Riel • Pauline Jackson • Big Bear • Rev. Peter Jones • Daphne Odjig • Catherine Sutton • Alex Janvier 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kateri Tekakwitha • Big Bear (Plains Cree) • Crowfoot • Molly Brant • Gabriel Dumont • Garakontie
CANADIAN INFLUENCES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group of Seven • Emily Carr • Robert Bateman • Dr. Frederick Banting and Charles Best • Dr. Norman Bethune • Joseph-Armand bombardier • Wayne Gretzky • Catherine Parr Trail • Adrienne Clarkson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elvis Stojko • Silken Lauman • Margaret Atwood • Mordecai Richler • John Candy • Michael J. Fox • Susanna Moodie • Lydia Trull • Barbara Frum