

Wars of the World

<b>Name</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Major Battles, important info</b>	<b>Combatants</b>	<b>Results</b>	<b>Major Commanders</b>
Persian Wars	498-448 BCE	Marathon; Thermopylae; Salamis; Plataea	Greece, Persia	Greek victory in defense of homeland; Delian League forms, continues to harass Persia until possible "Peace of Callias"	Miltiades; Leonidas; Themistocles (Greece); Xerxes; Darius the Great (Persia)
Second Peloponnesian War	431-404 BCE	Athens's Long Walls to Piraeus; Sicilian Expedition	Sparta, Athens	Peace of Nicias (temporary); Spartan victory	Lysander (Sparta); Pericles; Nicias; Alcibiades (Athens)
Hundred Years War (Edwardian, Caroline, and Lancastrian Wars)	1337-1457	Orleans, Crecy, Agincourt, Tours, Sluys	England (House of Plantagenet), France (House of Valois)	French expulsion of Plantagenets from European mainland	Joan d'Arc
Wars of the Roses	1455-1487	Civil Wars to determine English succession: Bosworth Field, Mortimer's Cross	House of Lancaster (red rose) vs. House of York (white rose)	Lancaster victory; led to the House of Tudor's reign	Henry VI, Henry VII (Lancaster); Richard III, Edward IV (York)
Thirty Years War	1618-1648	Begun by the Second Defenestration of Prague; Battles of Breitenfeld, Lutzen, Rocroi	Sweden/ Netherlands/ France/Hungary/ England vs. Holy Roman Empire/ Spain	Ended by Peace of Westphalia	Gustavus Adolphus (Sweden); Wallenstein (HRE), Count of Tilly (HRE)
English Civil War	1641-1653	Battle of Marston Moor	Parliament Roundheads vs. Royalist Cavaliers	Replacement of monarchy with Commonwealth/Protectorate of England	Oliver Cromwell (Parliamentist) vs. King Charles I

## Wars

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Napoleonic Wars	1803-1815	Battles of Austerlitz, Waterloo, Leipzig	France vs. UK, Austria, Russia, Prussia, Spain, Sweden, pretty much all of Europe	Concluded with Congress of Vienna; end of Holy Roman Empire	Napoleon vs. Duke of Wellington, Horatio Nelson (UK), von Blucher (Prussia), many others
Crimean War	1853-1856	Battle of Balaclava; Charge of the Light Brigade; Siege of Sevastapol	Russia, rest of Europe	Russia loses port city of Sevastapol	
Spanish-American War	April-December 1898	Battle of Manila Bay; Battle of San Juan Hill	Spain, USA	Spain loses colonies of Philippines, Cuba	Theodore Roosevelt leading the Rough Riders; Admiral Dewey in Manila Bay
Russian Revolution	1917	February Revolution; October Revolution (AKA Bolshevik Revolution)	Communists, Imperial forces	Communist forces take over and establish the Soviet Union	Vladimir Lenin and Leon Trotsky for the Bolsheviks
Korean War	1950-1953	UN forces pushed back to southern city of Pusan; counterattack, including amphibious landing at Inchon led to stalemate	South Korea and United Nations; North Korea and China	Cease-fire; North Korean invasion quelled; establishment of Demilitarized Zone between North and South Korea	Douglas MacArthur removed from duty
Vietnam War	1959-1975	Gulf of Tonkin, Tet Offensive, My Lai Massacre	North Vietnam, South Vietnam with USA	North Vietnamese victory	Ho Chi Minh (North); Ngo Dinh Diem (South)