National Churchill Museum
Leadership Self-Guide Tour Worksheet
“Walk in Winston Churchill’s Shoes”

Find out what action Winston Churchill took with each situation. The bold terms are the specific sections within the museum exhibition.

a. What action did Churchill take in the situation?
b. How would you handle the situation?
c. What leadership qualities or skills are needed for the situation?

“Growing Pains”
1. Its 1893, you do not enjoy school, particularly Math and Latin. You want to go to Sandhurst Military Academy, but you fail the Entrance Exam – twice.
   a. ___________________________________________________________________
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   ___________________________________________________________________
   b. ___________________________________________________________________
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   ___________________________________________________________________
   c. ___________________________________________________________________

“Sword & the Pen”
2. Its 1896, you are posted to India on a military assignment. You do not see action, except on the polo field. You want to become a politician, but your education is poor.
   a. ___________________________________________________________________
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   ___________________________________________________________________
   b. ___________________________________________________________________
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   ___________________________________________________________________
   c. ___________________________________________________________________

“The Glow Worm”
3. Its 1911, you become First Lord of the Admiralty (the Navy) at a time when Germany’s navy is strong and Britain’s navy is weak. You know that Britain needs to do something. You do not know where to begin.
   a. ___________________________________________________________________
   ___________________________________________________________________
   ___________________________________________________________________
   b. ___________________________________________________________________
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   ___________________________________________________________________
   c. ___________________________________________________________________
“The Ins & Outs of Power”
4. Its 1919, as the Secretary of State for War, you are responsible for military matters. You are assigned the task of managing British troops in the newly broken up Ottoman Empire.
   a. _______________________________________________________________________
      _______________________________________________________________________
   b. _______________________________________________________________________
      _______________________________________________________________________
   c. _______________________________________________________________________

“Gathering Storm”
5. Its 1933, you recognize the threat which Adolf Hitler poses to world peace, and you speak against Germany’s growing military strength. Nobody wants to hear your speeches, but you believe that Britain needs to prepare for War.
   a. _______________________________________________________________________
      _______________________________________________________________________
   b. _______________________________________________________________________
      _______________________________________________________________________
   c. _______________________________________________________________________

“The Sinews of Peace”
6. Its 1946, you have been recently defeated in an election. You recognize how great an opportunity this is so you decide to go on a speaking tour through Europe and the U.S.A. You are given the chance to go to Fulton, MO to speak.
   a. _______________________________________________________________________
      _______________________________________________________________________
   b. _______________________________________________________________________
      _______________________________________________________________________
   c. _______________________________________________________________________