

Week 10 World War II

Chapter 28,31/Textbook

Questions to Consider

- How did World War II differ from the Great War?
- How do you explain why the genocide carried out by Nazi Germany occurred?

Key Terms

Blitzkrieg
Adolf Hitler
Operation Barbarossa
Final Solution

Paper [Abstract paragraph]

Summarize the contents of an article from a major historical journal.

Week 11 Worldwide Modernization

Chapters 29, 30/Textbook

Questions to Consider

- Why did China and Japan react differently to the Western challenge?
- Why did Marxist ideas become popular in China?

Key Terms

Attaturk (Mustafa Kemal)
Mao Zedong
Modernization
Mohandas Gandhi
Sun Yat-sen

Paper [Page]

Submit a website evaluation.

Week 12 Cold War

Chapter 32/Textbook

Questions to Consider

- How did the Cold War begin and how did it encompass the entire world?
- Compare and contrast some of the major characteristics of economic and political modernization in England and Japan in the twentieth century.

Key Terms

Yalta conference
Vietnam War
Nikita Khrushchev
Containment
Cuban missile crisis

Optional Special Project

Week 13 Decolonization & Nation-building

Chapter 33, 34/Textbook
Declaration of Rights

Questions to Consider

- What are some of the common features experienced by countries of the "Developing World" since 1945?

Key Terms

Nelson Mandela
United Nations
Apartheid

Paper [Paragraph]

How has the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948) influenced political events in the world since its adoption?