

Activity 2 – The End of the War and Its Effects

I. Watch the video clip [Segment 7 – Innovations of WWI](#). Check (✓) the elements that are mentioned.

ambulance	passport	animals	flamethrower
literature	films	wristwatch	submarine
telephone	tank	camouflage	hand grenade

II. Watch the video clip again. Decide if the following statements are True or False.

	True	False
1 Wristwatches were originally designed for women.		
2 Flamethrowers and hand grenades were developed during WWI.		
3 Tanks were fast, but vulnerable to rapid gunfire.		
4 Arts and literature were influenced by the war.		
5 The effects of WWI are still present in our modern world.		

III. Watch the video clip [Segment 8 – From Armistice Day to Veteran’s Day](#). Complete the following paragraph with the missing information. Be careful with your spelling.

By the autumn of 1918, Germany was facing collapse, so German officers looked for (1) before their army fell apart. Therefore, an armistice was signed on (2) 11th of the same year, putting an end to a four-year period of relentless war. This day became known as Armistice Day, and it has been celebrated in many countries ever since, although it was not officially instituted as a national holiday by the U.S. until years after the war ended, in

(3) Later, in (4) , it changed its name to Veteran’s Day. Today, at the base of the Liberty Memorial Tower at the World War One Museum and Memorial, the words of president Woodrow Wilson are inscribed: “In honor of those who served in World War in (5) of liberty and our country.”

