

# HISTORICAL EVENTS

1. Write the corresponding date according to the audios



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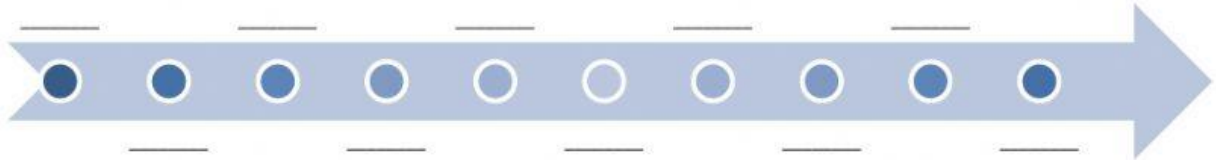
2. Match the images to the historical event.



1. Start the world war II
2. Apollo 11 moon landing
3. Discovery of America
4. Fall of the Roman Empire
5. Chernobyl accident
6. Attack of September 11
7. Japan earthquake and tsunami

8. George Washington first president of USA
9. Bombing raids in Hiroshima and Nagasaki
10. Fall of the Berlin wall

3. Complete the Timeline with the historical events in a chronological way.



4. Below you will find a small text, read it and complete it with the missing words

### The Chernobyl disaster

On April 25 and 26, \_\_\_\_\_, the worst nuclear accident in history occurred in present-day northern \_\_\_\_\_, when a nuclear power plant reactor at \_\_\_\_\_ exploded and set the plant on fire. The incident, shrouded in secrecy, was a defining moment in both the Cold War and the history of nuclear power. Today, almost \_\_\_\_\_ years later, scientists estimate that the \_\_\_\_\_ surrounding the old power plant will not be \_\_\_\_\_ for another 20,000 years.

The \_\_\_\_\_ took place near the city of Chernobyl in the former USSR, which invested heavily in nuclear power after \_\_\_\_\_. Beginning in 1977, Soviet scientists installed four RBMK nuclear reactors at the \_\_\_\_\_ power plant, which is located \_\_\_\_\_ of today's Ukraine-Belarus border.

Ukraine    south    disaster    nuclear    1986    World War II  
thirty-six    Chernobyl    habitable    area

5. Find the words

A	J	S	L	N	Y	T	S	U	N	A	M	I	B
A	C	E	N	I	O	M	P	A	K	A	J	U	I
I	A	V	L	W	O	R	L	D	P	M	P	S	D
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C	H	E	R	N	O	B	Y	L	L	Z	I	U	Y
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K	J	Y	J	D	E	T	L	A	N	D	I	N	G
N	A	G	A	S	A	K	I	X	K	C	C	H	L

AMERICA - APOLLO - ATTACK - BERLIN - CHERNOBYL - EMPIRE - FALL -  
 HIROSHIMA - JAPAN - LANDING - MOON - NAGASAKI - ROMAN-TSUNAMI -  
 USA - WAR - WORLD

## 6. Connect the historical event with the corresponding country

JAPAN

Nineteen terrorists hijacked four commercial airplanes on September 11, 2001 and crashed two of them into the twin towers of the World Trade Center.

AMERICA

Apollo 11 was the fifth manned mission of the United States Apollo Program and the first in history to land a human being on the Moon. The Apollo mission spacecraft was sent into space on July 16, 1969.

USA

In November 1989, peacefully and without bloodshed or firing a firearm, the German population tore down the Berlin Wall. This structure divided the German capital for almost three decades

GERMANY

Discovery of America is the name given to the historical event that occurred on October 12, 1492, consisting of the arrival in America of an expedition from Castile, in the Iberian Peninsula, led by

JAPAN

Germany invaded Poland on September 1, 1939, starting World War II. In response, Britain and France declared war on Germany.

ITALY

In 1986, an explosion at the Chernobyl nuclear power plant spread a radioactive cloud across much of what was once the Soviet Union and is now the territories of Belarus, Ukraine, and the Russian

USA

The United States dropped the only two nuclear bombs ever used in war on Hiroshima and Nagasaki. Together they were the deadliest attacks ever, killing an estimated 200,000 people.

UCRAINE

George Washington was the first president of the United States

GERMANY

The 2011 earthquake and tsunami, officially referred to by the Meteorological Agency as the 2011 Pacific coast earthquake in the Tōhoku region or great earthquake

USA

This fact marks the end of the Roman Empire: the western empire disappears while the Byzantine eastern empire survives until the fall of Constantinople