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WORLD HISTORY

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PART I: MULTIPLE CHOICE (10 points)

Choose the correct answer for each question.

1. What event is commonly regarded as the starting point of the Great Depression?
a) The signing of the Treaty of Versailles b) The stock market crash on Wall Street in 1929
c) The invasion of Poland by Germany d) The collapse of the League of Nations

2. Which U.S. President implemented the "New Deal" to combat the Great Depression?
a) Herbert Hoover b) Franklin D. Roosevelt c) Woodrow Wilson d) Calvin Coolidge

3. What economic policy did many countries adopt during the Great Depression that worsened the global economic situation?
a) Free trade b) Protectionism c) Communism d) Globalization

4. Which was NOT a key alliance during World War II? a) The Axis Powers b) The Allied Powers c) The Triple Entente d) The Comintern
5. Which country was NOT part of the original Axis Powers? a) Germany b) Italy c) Japan d) Soviet Union
6. What was the codename for the Allied invasion of Normandy in 1944? a) Operation Barbarossa b) Operation Overlord c) Operation Market Garden d) Operation Torch
7. What technological advancement was directly linked to the end of World War II in the Pacific? a) The airplane b) Radar systems c) The atomic bomb d) Aircraft carriers
8. Which battle is considered the turning point on the Eastern Front during World War II? a) Battle of Britain b) Battle of Stalingrad c) Battle of the Bulge d) Battle of Midway
9. The "Blitzkrieg" strategy was characterized by: a) Trench warfare b) Naval blockades c) Rapid combined arms attacks d) Guerrilla tactics
10. Which peace treaty formally ended World War I and contributed to the economic conditions that led to the Great Depression? a) Treaty of Versailles b) Treaty of Brest-Litovsk c) Treaty of Tordesillas d) Treaty of San Francisco

PART II: TRUE OR FALSE (10 points)

Mark "T" for true statements and "F" for false statements.

11. ____ The Great Depression affected only the United States and not other countries.
12. ____ The Dawes Plan was created to help Germany make reparation payments after World War I.
13. ____ Adolf Hitler became Chancellor of Germany before the worst effects of the Great Depression hit Germany.
14. ____ Benito Mussolini's Fascist Party rose to power in Italy partly due to economic instability after World War I.
15. ____ The Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor occurred after the United States had already declared war on Germany.
16. ____ The Holocaust was the systematic persecution and genocide of approximately six million Jews by the Nazi regime.

17. ____ The Battle of Midway was a decisive naval battle that marked a turning point in the Pacific War.
18. ____ The Manhattan Project was a research and development project that produced the first nuclear weapons during World War II.
19. ____ The Yalta Conference was held among the Allied leaders to plan the final defeat and occupation of Nazi Germany.
20. ____ The United Nations was formed before the end of World War II.

PART III: MATCHING (10 points)

Match each term in Column A with its correct description in Column B.

Column A Column B

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| 21. ____ Kristallnacht | a) Economic policy where a country isolates itself from trade |
| 22. ____ Lend-Lease Act | b) Term for the Japanese suicide pilots during WWII |
| 23. ____ V-2 Rocket | c) Night of coordinated attacks against Jews in Nazi Germany |
| 24. ____ Kamikaze | d) Program where the U.S. supplied the Allies with war materials |
| 25. ____ Hooverilles | e) Allied invasion of Sicily in 1943 |
| 26. ____ Maginot Line | f) World's first long-range ballistic missile used in combat |
| 27. ____ Operation Husky | g) Shanty towns built during the Great Depression |
| 28. ____ Economic autarky | h) American policy of non-involvement in European conflicts |
| 29. ____ Isolationism | i) French defensive fortification along the German border |
| 30. ____ D-Day | j) The Allied invasion of Normandy on June 6, 1944 |

PART IV: (10 points)

Complete each sentence with the appropriate term.

31. The period of severe worldwide economic depression that took place mostly during the 1930s is known as the _____.
32. _____ was the policy of "appeasement" toward Hitler's expansionist aims practiced by Great Britain and France.

33. The _____ was a series of economic and social reforms implemented by President Roosevelt to combat the Great Depression.
34. The _____ was a geographic area in Europe that came under Communist control after World War II.
35. The _____ in Germany after World War I contributed to economic instability and the rise of extremist political parties.
36. The German invasion of the Soviet Union in 1941 was codenamed Operation _____.
37. The _____ Conference established the post-war division of Germany among the Allied powers.
38. The _____ Trials were international military tribunals held to prosecute prominent Nazi leaders.
39. _____ was the American general who led the Allied forces in the Pacific Theater.
40. The Allied strategy of _____ involved the systematic destruction of German industrial centers and civilian morale through air raids.

PART V (10 points)

Answer each question in 2-3 sentences.

41. Explain how the Great Depression affected the rise of fascism in Europe.
42. Describe two key technological advancements during World War II and their impact on warfare.
43. How did the role of women in society change during World War II?

44. What were the main economic causes of the Great Depression of 1929?
45. Explain the significance of the Battle of Stalingrad in the outcome of World War II.
46. How did the Holocaust reflect the ideology of the Nazi regime?
47. What role did propaganda play during World War II?
48. How did the end of World War II set the stage for the Cold War?
49. Compare and contrast the Treaty of Versailles and the post-World War II peace settlements.
50. What were the main differences between the first and second phases of World War II?