

Activity 2 – The Great Depression

- I. Read pages 1-3 related to [The Great Depression](#) and decide if the following statements are True or False.

	True	False
1 Germany succeeded in dealing with its economic problems by putting out more money in circulation.	•	•
2 Only European countries suffered financial crises after WWI.	•	•
3 The United States enjoyed financial stability during the 1920s.	•	•
4 The production of weapons was more beneficial than that of everyday products for the American industry.	•	•
5 Germany was the most affected country by the end of the 1930s with the highest unemployment.	•	•
6 Excessive production and financial inequality influenced the economic crisis in the US.	•	•
7 The Great Depression only affected those in the middle- and lower class.	•	•
8 President Roosevelt fought the crisis with programs that helped economy and society.	•	•
9 Governments of other countries decided they would take measures different from the US.	•	•
10 Workers in some European countries decided to stop working when they felt their rights and financial stability were at risk.	•	•

Faces of the Great Depression (Photo Gallery)

