Test Review over World War II

Beginning of War

* Rise of Dictators in Europe
  + Mussolini in Italy
  + Hitler in Germany
  + Stalin in Soviet Union
  + Military Regime (under Emperor Showa “Hirohito” and Hideki Tojo) in Japan
* Nazism and Fascism versus Communist ideologies
* German Acts of Aggression Under Hitler
  + Violation of Treaty of Versailles
  + Austrian Anschluss
  + Annexation of Sudetenland
  + Appeasement & the Munich Conference
  + Nazi Soviet Nonaggression Pact
  + Invasion of Poland on September 1, 1939
  + Invasions of Norway, Denmark, Benelux countries
  + Fall of France
  + Battle of Britain

American Isolationism/Involvement at the Start of the War

* America First Committee
* Neutrality Acts of 1935: no arms sales
* Roosevelt & Internationalism
* Neutrality Act of 1939: Cash and carry
* Destroyers for Bases Deal
* America First Committee (Lindbergh, Nye)
* Fight for Freedom Committee (Dr. Seuss)
* Political cartoons
* Lend Lease Act
* Hemispheric Defense Zone
* Atlantic Charter
* Refusal to sell strategic materials to Japan
* Attack on Pearl Harbor-December 7, 1941

Mobilizing for War & the American Home Front

* Converting to war production before 1941
* Women working in factories
* Office of War Information
* Selective Service and Training Act
* Segregation in the military
* Tuskegee Airmen
* Flying Tigers
* Oveta Culp Hobby and the Women’s Army Corps
* Propaganda
* A. Philip Randolph & Executive Order 8802
* Bracero Program
* Migration Trends (from Rustbelt to Sunbelt)
* Zoot suit riots
* Japanese American internment camps (Executive Order 9066)
* *Korematsu v. United States*
* Rationing, price control, victory gardens
* Selling E bonds

Battles of World War II

* Fall of the Philippines
* Bataan Death March
* Battle of the Midway
* Patton in North Africa
* Operation Overlord/D-Day June 6, 1944
* Battle of Berlin
* V-E Day May 8, 1945
* Island hopping in the Pacific
* Truman’s decision to drop atomic bombs on Japan
* Manhattan Project
* V-J Day August 15, 1945

Individuals Associated with World War II

* Adolf Hitler
* FDR
* Harry Truman
* Josef Stalin
* Winston Churchill
* Dwight Eisenhower
* George Patton
* Chester Nimitz
* Douglas MacArthur
* Omar Bradley
* George Marshall
* General Tojo

Effects of War

* Creating the United Nations
* Nuremberg Trials (for the Holocaust)
* Ending the Great Depression in America
* International Military Tribunals in Europe and Japan