

CHAPTER

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Section 2 Quiz



The War Begins (pages 734–739)



Reviewing Key Terms

From the box below, choose the term that best completes each sentence. Write the letter of the answer in the space provided.

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| a. blitzkrieg | c. Axis | e. Atlantic Charter |
| b. appeasement | d. Allies | f. annex |

- _____ 1. Germany, Italy, Japan, and six other nations formed the _____.
- _____ 2. Germany launched a/an _____ on Poland in September 1939.
- _____ 3. The British and French policy of _____ failed to stop war from breaking out.
- _____ 4. In 1938, Hitler moved to _____ Austria.
- _____ 5. The _____ included the United States, Britain, France, the Soviet Union, and many other countries.
- _____ 6. Roosevelt and Churchill issued the _____ in 1941 to state American and British war aims.

Understanding the Main Ideas

Answer the following questions in the space provided.

- 1. What steps did Adolf Hitler take through the end of 1939 to expand German territory?

- 2. What event triggered World War II? _____


- 3. What was the Battle of Britain? _____

- 4. (a) What was Lend-Lease? (b) Why did FDR extend Lend-Lease aid to the Soviet Union? _____

- 5. What brought the United States formally into World War II? _____

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Section 4 Quiz 

The Allies Advance (pages 746–750) ★

Reviewing Key People and Terms

From the box below, choose the person or term that matches the underlined phrase. Write the letter of the answer in the space provided.

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| a. Dwight Eisenhower | d. D-Day | f. Harry Truman |
| b. Battle of the Bulge | e. Operation Overlord | g. Douglas MacArthur |
| c. Battle of Midway | | |

- _____ 1. The commander of United States forces in the Pacific had to defend a huge area with few troops.
- _____ 2. The naval battle that severely hampered the Japanese offensive was fought in June 1942.
- _____ 3. Years of planning went into the Allied invasion of Europe in 1944.
- _____ 4. On June 6, 1944, Allied troops came ashore in Normandy, France.
- _____ 5. The invasion of France was directed by the commander of the Allied forces in Europe.
- _____ 6. The fierce German counterattack in 1944 slowed the Allies but did not stop them.
- _____ 7. The Vice President became President when Franklin Roosevelt died.

Understanding the Main Ideas

Answer the following questions in the space provided.

- 1. Why was the outlook bleak for the Allies in 1942? _____

- 2. What victories did the Allies win in North Africa? _____

- 3. After winning in North Africa, what move did the Allies make next? _____

- 4. Describe the final Allied drive to victory in Europe. _____

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Section 5 Quiz



Final Victory (pages 751-755) ★

Reviewing Key Terms

From the box below, choose the term that best fits each description. Write the letter of the answer in the space provided.

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| a. island hopping | d. Holocaust |
| b. Bataan Death March | e. kamikaze |
| c. atomic bomb | f. Potsdam Declaration |

- _____ 1. Allied message warning Japan to surrender or face “prompt and utter destruction”
- _____ 2. Hitler’s policy of killing Jews
- _____ 3. brutal treatment of 60,000 American and Filipino prisoners
- _____ 4. weapon dropped on two Japanese cities
- _____ 5. strategy of capturing some Japanese-held lands and going around others
- _____ 6. pilots who carried out suicide missions to destroy Allied ships

Understanding the Main Ideas

Read the following statements. If a statement is incorrect, place an X on the line next to its number. On the line following the statement, replace the underlined word(s) to make the statement correct.

- _____ 1. By mid-1942, the United States had two main goals in the Pacific: to regain the Philippines and to invade Japan. _____
- _____ 2. In October 1944, American forces under General Eisenhower finally returned to the Philippines. _____
- _____ 3. V-J Day marked the end of the war in the Pacific. _____
- _____ 4. Japan surrendered after new weapons were dropped on Hiroshima and Tokyo. _____
- _____ 5. During the war, the Nazis imprisoned and murdered more than 6 million Jews from Germany, Poland, and other countries of Europe. _____
- _____ 6. After the war, the Axis powers put Nazi and Japanese leaders on trial for war crimes. _____