

CURRICULUM GUIDE
High School United States History
Sixth Six Weeks

Unit of Study Chapter 19 - A World in Flames 1931-1941					
TEKS	Concepts/Student Expectations	TAKS	Instructional Resources	Vocabulary	Assessments/Benchmarks
1A-B, 6A, 19B, 24B, 24G, 25A, 25C-D, 8B,	1. Describe how postwar conditions contributed to the rise of antidemocratic governments in Europe.	Gr.10/11 Ob.1: US6A; Ob. 5: US24B, WH25C	Chapter 19 Section 1 –America and the World	Fascism Internationalism Appeasement Blitzkrieg Holocaust Concentration Camp Extermination Camp Hemispheric Defense Zone Strategic Materials	Outside Reading Materials. Quiz 19-1
	2. Explain why many Americans supported a policy of isolationism in the 1930’s.		Chapter 19 Section 2 –World War II Begins		Outside Reading Materials. Quiz 19-2
	3. Explain why Hitler was able to take over Austria and Czechoslovakia.		Chapter 19 Section 3 –The Holocaust		Quiz 19-3
	4. Describe the early events of the war and why Britain was able to resist the Nazis.				World War II Project Begins.
	5. Describe Nazi prejudices against Jews and early persecution of German Jews.		Chapter 19 Section 4 – America Enters the War		Quiz 19-4
	6. Explain the methods Hitler used to try to exterminate Europe’s Jewish population.		Video streaming WWII		Chapter 19 Exam
	7. Explain how Roosevelt helped Britain while maintaining official neutrality.				
	8. Trace the events that led to increasing tensions, and ultimately war, between the U.S. and Japan.				

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Unit of Study Chapter 20 – <u>America and World War II 1941-1945</u>					
TEKS	Concepts/Student Expectations	TAKS	Instructional Resources	Vocabulary	Assessments/Benchmarks
1A-B, 6B, 14A, 15B, 19B, 21A, 21C-D, 22B, 24B, 24G-H, 25A, 25C-D	1. Explain how the U.S. mobilized its economy.	Gr.10/11 Ob.1: US1C, US5B, US6B; Ob.3: US14A, US21A, US21D; Ob.4: US7C; Ob.4: US7C; Ob. 5: US24B, WH25C, WH26C	Chapter 20 Section 1 –Mobilizing for War	Cost-Plus Liberty Ship Disfranchise Periphery Convoy System Sunbelt Rationing Victory Garden Amphtrac Kamikaze Hedgerow Napalm Charter	Reading Essentials and Study Guide -20-1
	2. Describe the issues involved in raising an American army.		Chapter 20 Section 2 –The Early Battles		Quiz 20-1
	3. Analyze how the Allies were able to fight a war on two fronts and turn the war against the Axis in the Pacific, Russia, and the North Atlantic.		Chapter 20 Section 3 –Life on the Home Front		Quiz 20-2
	4. Explain why Stalingrad is considered a major turning point of WWII.		Chapter 20 Section 4 –Pushing the Axis Back		World War II Projects
	5. Describe how wartime economy created opportunities for women and minorities.		Chapter 20 Section 5 –The War Ends		Quiz 20-3
	6. Discuss how Americans coped with shortages and rapidly rising prices.		Video streaming -WWII		Quiz 20-4
	7. Describe the goals of the two major offensives the Allies launched in Europe in 1943.				Quiz 20-5
	8. Explain the American strategy for pushing the Japanese back in the Pacific.				Chapter 20 Exam
	9. Explain the tactics the Allies used to invade Germany and to defeat Japan.				
	10. Outline the reasons the Allies created the United Nations.				

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