Social Studies 11

World War II Interwar years Learning Adventure Review

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1. Why the 30’s were known as the “Dirty Thirties”?
2. What is Regionalism?
3. Who founded the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation (CCF)?
4. Explain the factors leading up to the depression?
5. Who led Canada through the Great Depression? When were they in office?
6. What were the causes and effects of the King-Byng Affair?
7. What was the significance of the Balfour Report?

8. What were Canada’s two largest exporting resources in 1929?

1. Which factors contributed to the end of the Great Depression in Canada?

10. What Canadian PM instituted the work relief camps?

11. What was the estimated daily cost of relief camps per worker?

12. What was a Bennett Buggy?

13. What were the requirements for funding from the government during the depression?

14. How many provinces were bankrupt by 1932?

1. Describe the conditions on the Canadian Prairie during the Great Depression, what made conditions so bad?

16. When did WWII start and end?

17. Why were unemployed men called ‘transients ‘during the depression?

1. What was the Pogey and how did you receive it?
2. What was The Rowell-Sirois Commission, and why was it significant

20. Why were international trade tariffs unsuccessful during the Great Depression?

21. Why was the CBC (originally the CRBC) founded?

1. What was the policy of Appeasement? Why did Western democracies agree to the Policy of Appeasement?
2. What Canadian PM met with Adolf Hitler? What was his opinion of Hitler?
3. What was The St. Louis and what happened to it?

25. What happened to Japanese Canadians during WWII?

26. What specific event led to the outbreak of WWII?

27. What are the turning points of WWII?

28. What was The Appeasement Policy?

29. What is “Blitzkrieg”?

30. Describe Canada’s policy of “Total War”?

31. In, 1939 why did Canada declare war on Germany one week after Great Britain?

32. What convinced the American government to declare war on Japan?

33. What is the significance of the following quote “Not necessarily conscription, but conscription if necessary”

34. Outline the battles in which Canada played an important role.

35. What was Canada’s role at the beginning of WWII? How did this change

36. What three German actions all occurred prior to the beginning of WWII?

37. When did Canada declare war on Germany in WWII?

38. What was the name of the country where the D-Day dodgers fought?

39. Describe fascism?

40. When did Hitler take control of Germany?

41. What was the Phoney War?

42. When was the Battle of Britain?

43. When did Japan capture Hong Kong?

44. Outline the Dieppe Raid?

45. What country did Churchill call “the soft underbelly of Europe?”

46. What was the Canadian objective on D-Day?

47. What country was liberated nearly entirely by the Canadian soldiers in WWII?

48. Where were the Atomic Bombs dropped in WWII?

49. What was the result of the conscription crisis referendum in Canada during WWII?

50. What role was played by civilian Canadians in the War at Home during WWII?

51. Outline the Italian Campaign?

52. Which groups were persecuted in concentration camps?

53. Approximately how many people did Hitler kill in concentration camps during his time in power?

54. In which province did the majority of residents vote “no” in the 1942 plebiscite on conscription?

55. Outline the importance of The War-Measures Act, the Lend-Lease Act, the National Resources Mobilization Act and the National Selective Services Act

56. What was Canada’s policy regarding immigration of Jewish refugees during WWII?

57. What convinced the Canadian government an attack on Canada by Japan was probable?

58. What benefits were kept from members of the Canadian Merchant Navy, post WWII?

59. What were ‘Wolf Packs?