Unit 5 Study Guide

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1. Identify the pre-war alliances (names and countries involved) and reasons for them

2. Using complete sentences explain the reasons for getting into the war for

(a) Russia

(b) Great Britain

(c) France

(d) Germany

(e) Austria-Hungary

3. Using complete sentences explain the role of each of the following in leading to war

(a) imperialism

(b) militarism

(c) nationalism

(d assassination of Archduke Ferdinand and the situation in the Balkans

4. a. Explain how propaganda was used to gain civilian support of "total war"

b. Explain the impact on the home front and the role of women in World War I

5. a. List the names of nations belonging to the Central Powers and Allies

b. How did each of the nations come to enter the war on their respective sides

6. Identify the major battles of the war by name and location and using complete sentences, explain strategic decisions for each battle

7. Using complete sentences explain

(a) How trench warfare came about and was fought

(b) The new weapons of war and their impact

8. Using complete sentences explain the reasons for and how the following affected the outcome of the war

(a) the Russian Revolution and the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk

(b) the entry of the United States

9. Using complete sentences explain

1. the human costs of the war in complete sentences
2. how colonial peoples contributed to the war effort

10. Compare the military losses in the following nations

* Russia
* Germany
* British Empire
* United States
* Ottoman Empire
* France
* Austria-Hungary

11. In complete sentences explain

(a) Who were the Big Four and how did Wilson’s and Clemenceau’s goals differ

(b) The major provisions of the Treaty of Versailles and the ***nation’s created by it***

(c) ***Middle Eastern nations created*** at the breakup of the Ottoman Empire

(d) Woodrow Wilson's Fourteen Points,

(e) The reasons the United States' rejected the League of Nations