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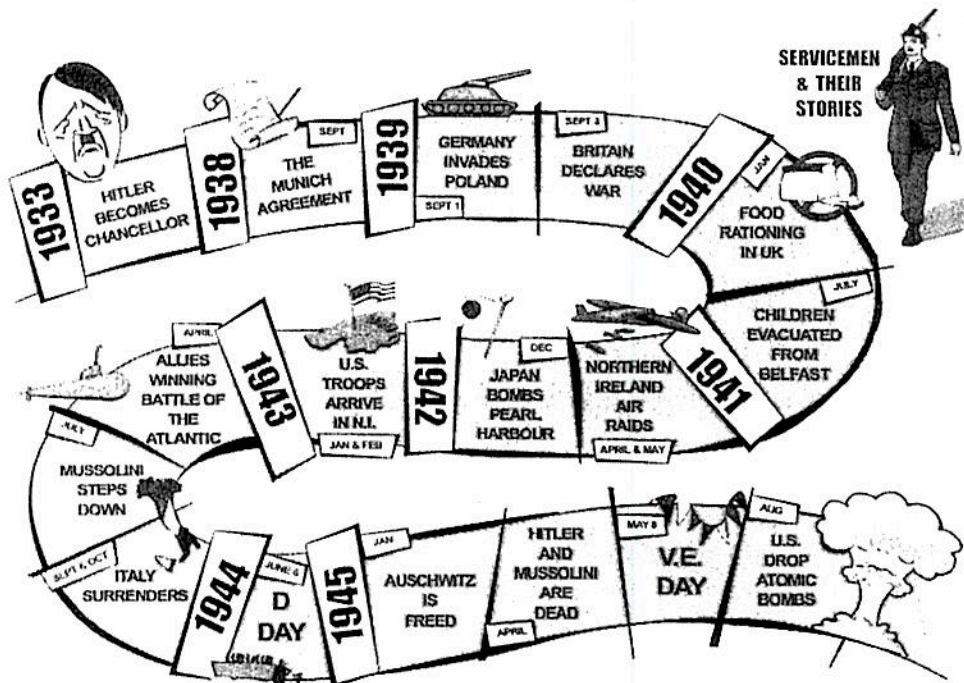
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Directions: Complete the tasks below to understand the major causes for the world engaging in warfare for a second time during the mid-20th century.

I. Provide an example for each of the MAAIN causes listed in the table.

Mobilization	
Aggression	
Appeasement	
International expansion	
Nationalism	

II. Use the WWII timeline graphic featured below to help fill out additional information pertaining to the dates and events. Use EACH of the timeline graphic dates/info by writing their significance in the correlating box on the next page.



 <p>1938</p>	 <p>1939</p>	 <p>1940</p>	 <p>1941</p>
 <p>1942</p>	 <p>1943</p>	 <p>1944</p>	 <p>1945</p>

III America Moves Towards War

Using a SEPARATE sheet of paper, answer the questions featured below.

1. What was the Lend-Lease Act? How did this piece of legislation keep America out of WWII? (Pg. 760)
2. Why did the U.S. enter into an undeclared shooting war with Germany in the fall of 1941? (Pg. 760)
3. Describe the events leading up to the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor in 1941? (Pg. 761)
4. Take a look at the map on Page 762. Which countries had Japan invaded by 1941?
5. What problems would the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor solve for Roosevelt? What new problems could the attack create?

in the war for North Africa, Europe and The Pacific

Using a SEPARATE sheet of paper, answer the questions featured below.

1. Who was Dwight D. Eisenhower? (Pg.778) Who was Douglass MacAuthur (Pg.785)
2. Why was the Battle of the Bulge important? (Pg.782)
3. In what ways were the American victory at Midway and the Japanese triumph at Pearl Harbor alike? (Pg. 785)
4. Why was Okinawa a significant island in the war in the Pacific? (Pg. 789)
5. Explain how the Americans were able to defeat the Japanese in the Pacific. (Pg.790)
6. What decisions did Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin make at the Yalta Conference? (Pg. 792)
7. Why did President Roosevelt order the internment of Japanese Americans? Describe the conditions the Japanese endured. (Pg. 800)



II. Use the WWII map below to color in the Allied, Axis and Neutral powers during the war. Be sure to configure your map key to coordinate with the colors of your map.

