**US HISTORY - KEY TERMS**

**SPRING SEMESTER**

**Unit 1 – Roaring 20s – New Deal**

**People**

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|  | **Image** | **What they were** | **Why they were important** |
| **Henry Ford** | http://a1.files.biography.com/image/upload/c_fill,dpr_1.0,g_face,h_300,q_80,w_300/MTE5NDg0MDU0OTY2NDA0NjIz.jpg | Businessman  Owner of Ford Motor Company | Made mass production popular |
| **Charles Lindberg** | http://www.charleslindbergh.com/pictures/lindberg.jpg | Aviator (pilot) | First person to fly over Atlantic Ocean |
| **Louis Armstrong** | http://www.thefamouspeople.com/profiles/images/louis-armstrong-1.jpg | Musician  One of first popular African Americans entertainers | Started integration of African Americans into entertainment |
| **Langston Hughes** | https://hennessyhistory.wikispaces.com/file/view/Langston.jpg/76178089/325x353/Langston.jpg | Writer  One of first popular African American writers | Brought attention to life of African Americans |
| **Irving Berlin** | http://mediad.publicbroadcasting.net/p/wamc/files/201406/irvingberlin.jpg | Composer  (writer of music) | Wrote songs that united Americans  (‘God Bless America’) |
| **Eleanor Roosevelt** | https://dausonstimpsongagnon.files.wordpress.com/2012/08/eleanor_roosevelt2.jpg | Franklin Roosevelt’s wife  Humanitarian | Helped the US progress and include all citizens in social life |
| **Franklin Roosevelt** | http://www.51voa.com/images/201104/whitehouse.gov-fdr-se-480-21apr11.jpg | President during Great Depression | Made several programs that helped US get out of Depression |
| **Huey Long** | http://130.18.140.19/stennis/hpl.jpg | Senator from Louisiana  Critic of FDR | Did not support New Deal programs |
| **Herbert Hoover** | http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/first-family/masthead_image/31hh_header_sm.jpg?1250881969 | President at beginning of Great Depression | Did not help US get out of Depression  Made Americans very angry |

**Groups of People**

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| **KKK** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/f/f4/Ku_Klux_Klan_Virgina_1922_Parade.jpg | White terrorist group | Created anti-immigrant feelings  Negative feelings made govt pass laws about how many people could come into the US from another country |
| **Critics of the New Deal** | http://www.authentichistory.com/1930-1939/2-fdr/2-reception/New_Deal_Waste_%20Basket_Button.jpg | Conservatives  (people who wanted less govt) | Thought govt was too powerful and did not give individuals enough power |
| **Tennessee Valley Authority** | http://www.occupy.com/sites/default/files/tva.jpg | Group that built dams and power plants in TN rivers | Created jobs during Depression  Prevented floods in TN |
| **Civilian Conservation Corps** | http://www.dcnr.state.pa.us/cs/groups/public/documents/multimedia/dcnr_003350.gif | Job program  Worked on outdoor projects (dams | Began to ease unemployment  Established national parks  Created electricity for the South through dams (hydroelectric power) |

**Places**

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| **Hoovervilles** | http://depts.washington.edu/depress/images/hoovervilles/hooverville3.jpg | Small groups of shelters  Made from cardboard or other unsturdy materials | Showed to dislike of President Hoover  (named their shelters after him) |

**Events**

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| **Palmer Raids** | http://mps.mpsomaha.org/mnhs/Meyer%201920s%20Project/Alan-Meyer-6/The_Palmer_Raids_files/index.1.jpg | Government officials try to jail and send out of the country people who did not support US govt | Showed anti-communist feelings in US |
| **Scopes Trial** | http://wwnorton.com/college/history/america9/full/ch/25/assets/ch25_01.gif | Court case where teacher charged for teaching evolution theory | Started Showed divide between religion and schools |
| **Harlem Renaissance** | http://th05.deviantart.net/fs13/300W/f/2007/058/e/2/Harlem_Renaissance_by_ramsbowler16.jpg | Creative time period led by African Americans | African American culture began to come into mainstream society |
| **Tin Pan Alley** | http://parlorsongs.com/insearch/tinpanalley/streetmusic.jpg | Group of musicians  (named for street where they worked) | Gave popular songs to American culture  (God Bless America, White Christmas) |
| **Scandals of the Harding Administration** | http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/first-family/masthead_image/29wh_header.jpg?1251138785 | Corrupt things that government officials did while Harding was president | Made people want a more respectable president |
| **Great Depression** | http://dailysignal.com/wp-content/uploads/evhistorypix027753.jpg | Highest time period of unemployment in US History  1930s | Showed US that economy could decline severely  Showed that some government support was needed in economy |
| **Dust Bowl** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/3/34/Dust-storm-Texas-1935.png | Large layers of soil were blown off in Midwestern states | Showed that land could not be overfarmed without damage |

**Ideas & Concepts**

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| **Labor Unrest** | http://www.yamasun.net/Images/Labor.jpg | Some groups felt they were not being represented  Creation of Nat Labor Relations Act  Creation of CIO (becomes AFL-CIO) | Led to more labor union legislation, which led to anti-socialist feelings |
| **Limits on Immigration** | http://discrimination1920.weebly.com/uploads/1/2/1/4/12149534/7740049.jpg?418 | Requirement that set quota (# of people who could come in) on certain countries | Shows anti-communist feelings |
| **Mass Production** | http://www.elginpk.com/worsley1213_2/jeon_marketing/production_files/image012.jpg | Industrial process where each worker had one job for the group | Many products were able to be produced in large numbers  Made things cheaper |
| **Impact of the Radio & Movies** | http://1920ssocialaspectsbwmv.weebly.com/uploads/1/7/7/7/17773657/698023576.jpg | Radio and movies influence people’s ideas | Showed government how entertainment industry could change people’s minds |
| **Origins of Jazz** | http://s.hswstatic.com/gif/jazz-4.jpg | Type of music that began in African American communities | AA culture starts to become part of mainstream society |
| **Red Scare** | https://s-media-cache-ak0.pinimg.com/236x/86/02/68/860268003dd1c6574748bb737e50fb44.jpg | Fear that communism would spread into the US | Responsible for limitations on immigration |
| **Industrial Unionism** | http://www.iww.org/graphics/agitators/classic/228x176xiu.jpg.pagespeed.ic.yGp6PqW5sJ.jpg | Idea that industry workers should organize for rights | Went against idea that only skilled workers could unionize (organize) |
| **Overproduction** | http://foundsf.org/images/9/98/Rulclas1$del-monte-workers-photo.jpg | Making too much stuff | One of reasons for Great Depression  (too much stuff, not enough people buying stuff) |
| **Stock market speculation** | http://users.humboldt.edu/ogayle/hist111/BuyBuyBuy.png | Opinions that people had about stock market  (really good –really bad) | Made too many people buy or sell stocks at once, which greatly impacted the US economy (roller coaster) |

**Legislation**

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| **Court Packing Bill** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/en/d/d9/Supreme_Court_1932.jpg | A law that would change how many justices were on Supreme Court | President tried to get more supporters, but Congress would not allow  (checks & balances) |
| **Wagner Act** | http://www.gwu.edu/~erpapers/teachinger/images/nlrb_seal.jpg | Law that gave collective bargaining power to workers | Industrial workers began to unionize after this |
| **Social Security Act** | http://www.proquestk12.com/bulletins/10SEP/images/SS.jpg | Finacial aid program for elderly, unemployed, and families | Gave financial relief to these groups |
| **New Deal** | http://media-2.web.britannica.com/eb-media/19/78319-004-545F8CDD.jpg | Programs that FDR put in place after Great Depression  Helped specific areas – not huge group as whole | Americans greatly respected him for his help getting out of Great Depression – elected 4 terms |

**Unit 2 – World War II**

**People**

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| **Hitler** | http://media-2.web.britannica.com/eb-media/58/129958-004-C9B8B89D.jpg | Leader – German Nazi Party | Wanted Germany to become world power |
| **Mussolini** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/en/8/8b/Benito_Mussolini_Face.jpg | Leader – Italian Fascist Party | Wanted Italy to return to Roman glory |
| **Stalin** | http://a1.files.biography.com/image/upload/c_fill,dpr_1.0,g_face,h_300,q_80,w_300/MTE5NTU2MzE2Mzc0NDY4MTA3.jpg | Leader – Russian Communist Party | Hurt Germany on Eastern front  Helped bring down Germany |
| **Eisenhower** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/8/88/General_of_the_Army_Dwight_D._Eisenhower_1947.jpg | General – European Theater | Tactics helped end WWII in Europe  Established trust w American public – becomes president |
| **Harry Truman** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/c/cf/Harry_S._Truman.jpg | President – after FDR | Known for making decision to drop atomic bomb  Very controversial in later years (human rights, civilized warfare) |
| **Douglas MacArthur** | http://a1.files.biography.com/image/upload/c_fill,dpr_1.0,g_face,h_300,q_80,w_300/MTE4MDAzNDEwNjA2MzkyODQ2.jpg | General – Pacific Theater | Tactics helped end WWII in Japan |
| **Rosie the Riveter** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/1/12/We_Can_Do_It!.jpg | Advertisement | Symbolized women’s strength during WWII |
| **Philip Randolph** | http://www.georgemeany.org/archives/apr.JPG | Leader of march on Washington | March gets AA males equal pay in wartime industries |

**Groups of People**

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| **Big Three** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/d/d2/Yalta_summit_1945_with_Churchill,_Roosevelt,_Stalin.jpg | Winston Churchill (GB), FDR (US), Joseph Stalin (USSR) | Symbol of unity against Germany |

**Places**

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| **Pearl Harbor** | https://www.pearlharboroahu.com/images/MapsG.jpg | Military base in Japan | Bombed by Japan  Brings US into WWII |
| **Second Front** | http://creationwiki.org/pool/images/thumb/e/ea/654px-Second_world_war_europe_1941-1942_map_en.svg.png/300px-654px-Second_world_war_europe_1941-1942_map_en.svg.png | Attack of Germany from the west by Allies | US comes into WWII in Europe at USSR request |
| **Iwo Jima** | http://www.learnnc.org/lp/media/collections/nc/ww2/WWIIAsia01a-iwojima.png | Island off coast of Japan | Battle won by US –  turning point of war |
| **Hiroshima** | http://c3270052.r52.cf0.rackcdn.com/ports/maps/hiroshimamap.jpg | City in Japan | Atomic Bomb dropped  – kills many civilians  Aug 6, 1945 |
| **Nagasaki** | http://alexquinn.org/nihon/images/maps/map-nagasaki.png | City in Japan | 2nd Atomic Bomb dropped – Japan surrenders unconditionally  Ends war in Japan  Aug 9, 1945 |
| **Internment Camps** | http://4.bp.blogspot.com/-OWsxomvF8Qg/U0Wwtt2AezI/AAAAAAAAITw/JpSq9-pkIjo/s1600/WW2_map_Japanese_internment_camps_300g120.gif | Shelters in the US for Japanese Americans | Japanese Americans sent to camps during WWII  Caused by/causes prejudicial feelings towards Japanese Americans |
| **D-Day** | http://media.web.britannica.com/eb-media/38/110738-004-46400CD3.gif | June 6, 1944  Invasion by allied forces on French coast (Normandy) | Turning point of WWII  Allied forces successful, liberate some areas |
| **Battle of the Bulge** | http://web.durand.k12.wi.us/hs/history/BattleBulge/bulgemap.jpg | Surprise attack by Germany on Allies | Turning point of WWII  Allied forces successful due to German’s loss of supplies  Major loss of life – 100,000 |
| **Fall of Berlin** | http://cuabroad.cua.edu/res/images/berlin-map.gif | Capital of Germany destroyed by USSR forces | War ends in Europe |
| **Bombing of Tokyo** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/d/dc/Iwo_jima_location_mapSagredo.png | Capital in Japan destroyed by US forces  Bombing over time (years) | Leads to war ending in Japan |
| **Los Alamos** | http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/5/5b/Manhattan_Project_US_Canada_Map_2.svg/700px-Manhattan_Project_US_Canada_Map_2.svg.png | Secret US govt laboratory in New Mexico | Place where scientists built atomic bomb |

**Events**

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| **Death of FDR** | http://www.us-coin-values-advisor.com/images/Roosevelt-Dead-Headline.jpg | FDR dies in Warm Springs, GA of brain hemorrhage (bleeding) | Ends four  presidential terms  Longest serving president in US history |
| **Doolittle Raids** | http://www.homeofheroes.com/wings/part2/01_map_raid.jpg | First bombing of mainland Japan | Shows US strength  Japan retaliates through Pearl Harbor bombing |
| **Yalta Conference** | http://www2.needham.k12.ma.us/nhs/cur/Baker_00/2002-p3/baker_p3_12-01_sn/Scottberlinmap | Meeting btwn  Big Three leaders  (GB, US, USSR) | Decided future of European nations with USSR  Later – became controversial  (people weren’t happy) |
| **Manhattan Project** | http://3219a2.medialib.glogster.com/media/ef/ef95bfe229cea7f606c41e7a0145b07fc58720075f3d0d62ce94e0a93e3f6ddb/nagasaki-jpg.jpg | Code name  for atomic bomb plans | Shows US strength militarily  Negative effects  (radiation fallout)  debated later  Nuclear power later begins to be used for civilian use  (electricity, brain scans) |
| **Holocaust** | https://flashtrafficblog.files.wordpress.com/2014/04/holocaust-photo.jpg | Genocide (mass killing)  of Jewish population in Europe by Hitler’s forces | Shows how Germany not to be trusted in any respect  Makes US reconsider neutrality stance |

**Ideas & Concepts**

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|  | **Image** | **What they were** | **Why they were important** |
| **Isolationism** | http://stedsman.files.wordpress.com/2013/12/us-isolationism-1940s-granger.jpg | Concept of neutrality | US reluctant to  enter WWII |
| **Totalitarianism** | http://dcclothesline.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/06/big-brother.jpg | Govt leadership where total control of subjects is enforced | Idea leads Germany/Japan to desire to be world power |
| **Fascism** | http://s.hswstatic.com/gif/fascism-movement-2.jpg | Govt led by  nationalistic dictator | Leads to Italy’s desire to be world power |
| **Causes of WWII** | https://multimedialearningllc.files.wordpress.com/2012/12/major-causes-of-wwii.jpg?w=368&h=273 | Reasons that WWII started | Germany still has negative feelings about WWI  Japan wants to expand  Italy quickly expanding |
| **Cash & carry** | http://adventuresinmommydom.org/wp-content/uploads/Cash-Carry-act.jpg | US supplies allies w weapon sales | Gets US WWI debt money paid back  Helps US economy  Allows US to claim neutrality stance |
| **Peacetime draft** | http://img.photobucket.com/albums/v404/pkdickian/_430178_star_paper300.jpg | US govt requires men to be available for war | First time men  required to register  for military |
| **Lend lease** | http://www.ectolearning.com/File.aspx?f=0F8D7227-2836-47E3-A870-3A6CC0A12776 | US lends weapons  to countries | Helps allies in WWII |
| **Island hopping** | http://weaponsandwarfare.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/05/dfsrggrdgrdz-1024x617.jpg | Crossing an ocean to get to a destination by stopping on islands | Strategy used in WWII to attack Japan |
| **Decision to drop Atomic Bomb** | http://www.truthmove.org/workspace/photos-content/ArtilleryShell.jpg | US decides to use atomic bomb on Japan | Ends war in Pacific Theater |
| **Conversion to war time production** | http://rationalrevolution.net/images/wsu_ms97-02.3.9.1.jpg | Vehicles and weapons begin to be made – instead of household appliances | Women become part of workforce  Increases US economy |
| **Inflation** | http://news.bbcimg.co.uk/media/images/58950000/jpg/_58950109_orangeline..jpg | Increase in prices | Caused by WWII (resources & military) |
| **Rationing** | http://www.learnnc.org/lp/media/uploads/2009/10/ww0207-63_500.jpg | Idea of using less products | US consumers use less products so that military have more  (meat, sugar, coffee, gas) |

**Legislation/Agreements**

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|  | **Image** | **What they were** | **Why they were important** |
| **Munich Pact (1938)** | http://teacherweb.ftl.pinecrest.edu/snyderd/MWH/Webquests/9-Dep&Tot/images/map1.jpg | Agreement to give Germany land | Believe that this will keep Germany happy  (out of war) |
| **Non-Aggression Pact (1939)** | http://s1.hubimg.com/u/8710746_f496.jpg | SU & Germany agree not to invade each other | Allows Germany to invade Poland & begin expansion |
| **US Neutrality Acts (1936)** | http://img.whenintime.com/tli/jhonan3801/the_breakdown_of_american_neutrality_timeline/139506dc-19e2-4b17-8c83-43c163eec33a/Neutrality%20Acts-1935-1937%20.png | Legislation to remain neutral | Keeps US out of world affairs in the 1930s |

**Warcraft**

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|  | **Image** | **What they were** | **Why they were important** |
| **Aircraft carriers** | http://www.iforidiot.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/12/us-aircraft-carriers.jpg | Warship (boat)  Carries aircraft (planes) | Helped get bomber planes to other areas of world - conserves fuel |