

Key Events of World War II - Guided Notes - Part 2 **name:**

World War II

Unit 8

SS.912.A.6.1: to examine causes, course, and consequences of World War II on the United States and the world.**Key Pacific Battles**

- The US stopped the advance of _____ and proves it is still the _____

Battle of Coral Sea

- Making their way, _____, Japan was looking to take over _____
- _____ - Japanese strategy of moving across the Pacific Ocean to control the region (area)
- Even though the Japanese _____, this was the first time the Japanese advance _____

Battle of Midway

- Japan was looking to _____ the US power in the Pacific by _____ the US
- The US force was _____ than the Japanese thought
- The Japanese were _____

Write a brief summary of the video:

Battle of Stalingrad

- _____ battle in history - over _____ killed, wounded, or captured
- USSR forces defended against the advance of _____ at a great cost in human life
- This _____ the Axis ability to _____

Write a brief summary of the video:

Battle of Salerno

- After the successful allied victory over the Axis in _____ and defeating the Italians on _____, the Allies invaded the _____ mainland at Salerno.
- This was the first big battle of _____

Tehran Conference

- Preliminary meeting of _____ leaders (US-FDR, USSR-Stalin, Great Britain- Churchill) to coordinate their _____, and especially _____.

Battle of Normandy (D-Day)

6/06/1944	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allied seaborne invasion of _____ Allied forces take the beaches by having _____ to outlast the Axis defense <p>Write a brief summary of the video:</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
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Battle of the Bulge

12/16/1944 to 1/25/1945	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Germany surprised _____ who were awaiting _____ The German advance was _____, and they were _____ Germany military was severely _____ by this _____ Within months they would _____
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Yalta Conference

2/4-11/1945	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Knowing the _____ defeat was imminent, the _____ Leaders (US-Truman, USSR-Stalin, Great Britain-Churchill) met to discuss the _____ and _____ promising to meet again after _____.
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Victory in Europe Day (V-E Day)

5/08/1945	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Germany officially _____ in Berlin, Germany High command of US, USSR, and Nazi forces sign Germany's _____ ending the war in Europe
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Potsdam Conference

7/17 - 8/2/1945	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow up meeting to the _____ of the leaders of the _____ nations (US-Truman, USSR-Stalin, Great Britain-Atlee) to discuss the _____ now that Germany had surrendered.
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US Bombs Japan (Nuclear War)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The US drops _____ on Japan After years of research the nuclear option was finally available, but should the US use it?
8/06/1945	<p><u>Hiroshima</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For months the US _____ the citizens of Hiroshima of _____ giving them enough time to _____ B-29 bomber, _____ delivered the bomb named " _____ " destroying the city of Hiroshima Casualties: about _____ total - _____ dead, _____ injured

8/09/1945	<p><u>Nagasaki</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The US dropped a _____ on Japan • B-29 bomber, _____ delivered the bomb named " _____ " destroying the city of Nagasaki • Casualties: about _____ total - _____ dead, _____ injured <p>Write a brief summary of the video:</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Victory in Japan Day (V-J Day)	
9/02/1945	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboard the _____, the Japanese sign the _____ • World War II officially ends