

Hunt Chapter 26: An Age of Catastrophes (52 points)

Read and complete the panel guide for each section prior to the presentation of historical panels. (points awarded separately from this assignment)

Complete the annotated/illustrated timeline, answer the questions on "Totalitarianism" and write a complete outline on one of the Free Response Questions.

Annotated and Illustrated Timeline (35 points)

Place the following events on a timeline. Annotate each entry. Annotations should include a description/definition of the event AND your explanation of how the event led to war. For terms that extend over a period of time (such as appeasement) bracket the appropriate extended years. Illustrate at least 5 terms with original drawings, pictures, images or appropriate political cartoons.

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| 1. Appeasement | 7. Mein Kampf | 12. Remilitarization of the Rhineland |
| 2. Anschluss | 8. Stock Market Crash | 13. Munich Conference |
| 3. Spanish Civil War (Mussolini and Hitler) | 9. The Great Depression | 14. Nuremberg Laws |
| 4. The Ethiopian War | 10. Hitler comes to power | 15. Enabling Act |
| 5. Japanese Expansion | 11. Japanese invasion of Manchuria | |
| 6. "Rape of Nanjing" | | |

Focus on History (5 points)

Read the entry "Totalitarianism" on page 845 and answer the following questions.

1. What is the relationship of totalitarian states to the tradition of rights and individual freedom?
2. What are shared characteristics of totalitarian rule?
3. What was the relationship between the rise of totalitarianism and World War I?

Free Response Questions (from past A.P. Exams)

Choose ONE of the following questions. Write a complete outline as if you were writing for the A.P. exam. Write out and underline the complete thesis statement. Write out complete topic sentences for each body paragraph. List (numerically or with letters) points included in each body paragraph. Close with a concluding statement. (12 points)

A. Compare the rise to power of the fascists in Italy with the Nazis in Germany.

B. Analyze the impact of the First World War on European culture and society in the Interwar period (1919-1939).

Historical Panels

1. Introduction and Great Depression pp.839 - 844
2. Totalitarian Triumph / Hitler's Rise to Power (Skipping Stalin) pp. 844 - 852
3. Democracies on the Defensive pp. 852 - 856
4. Road to Global War pp. 856 - 862
5. World War II: 1939 – Dropping of the Atomic Bomb and Conclusion pp. 862 - 875

