

Video Questions – The Century: 1941-1945 Homefront

1. What happened on December 7, 1941?
2. How many American men died in the attack on Pearl Harbor?
3. What did President Roosevelt tell the American people was needed to win the war?
4. What was the United States military world ranking before World War II?
5. The number of men serving in the U.S. military swelled to _____.
6. How long did it take to transition the Detroit auto industry into war production?
7. Why did the attitude toward women working change?
8. Between 1940-1944 the number of women working rose by _____%.
9. How many tanks and airplanes were produced each month?
10. What kinds of things did people collect for the war effort?
11. How did the U.S. government depict the Japanese?
12. What was required of Japanese-Americans under Executive Order 9066?
13. How many Japanese-Americans were taken to internment camps?
14. What did the gold stars in the windows represent?
15. When was the Invasion of Normandy (a.k.a. D-day)?
16. How long after D-day was Paris liberated?
17. When did FDR die?
18. How did Americans respond to his death?
19. Who became president after FDR?

20. What ultimatum did the Allies send Japan from the Potsdam conference?

21. What was the mission of the Enola Gay?

22. When did Japan surrender?

23. How did America react to the end of World War II?