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World War I - Unit Test

Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence or answers the question.

1. Why was World War I called the “Great War” at the time it was happening?
 - a. Its effects were more significant than those of World War II.
 - b. People thought that fighting in battles would be enjoyable.
 - c. It was the largest war in history because World War II hadn’t occurred yet.
 - d. Not all nations in the world were truly members.

2. Which of the following is the best example of militarism?
 - a. France entering an alliance with England
 - b. England building a powerful navy
 - c. French people singing their national anthem, La Marseillaise
 - d. British people teaching the English language to people in India

3. The Triple Entente and the Central Powers are examples of which of the four main causes of World War I?
 - a. alliances
 - b. militarism
 - c. nationalism
 - d. imperialism

4. What was the name of the new style of warfare during World War I?
 - a. tank warfare
 - b. plane warfare
 - c. train warfare
 - d. trench warfare

5. Which of the following happens only during “total war”?
 - a. Soldiers are given education grants after the war.
 - b. Armies use modern weaponry.
 - c. Families need to ration their food to supply troops.
 - d. The president gives orders to the military.

6. Which vehicle did armies use for the first time in World War I?
 - a. railroad trains
 - b. submarines
 - c. horses
 - d. cars

7. How did the U.S. entry into World War I affect the war?
 - a. The bombing of Hiroshima brought an end to battle.
 - b. The U.S. declaration of war on Germany broke a two-year stalemate.
 - c. The U.S. declaration of war on Britain allowed Germany to gain strength.
 - d. The bombing of Russia set the stage for the Cold War.

8. Which treaty ended World War I?

- a. The Treaty of Paris
- b. The Treaty of Versailles
- c. The Peace of Westphalia
- d. The Treaty of Brest-Litovsk

9. Which country suffered the most from the treaty that ended World War I?

- a. France
- b. England
- c. Austria-Hungary
- d. Germany

10. Pablo Picasso, Ernest Hemingway and Gertrude Stein were members of what artistic group that dealt with the horrifying effects of World War I?

- a. The Bloomsbury group
- b. The baby boom
- c. The Lost Generation
- d. The Impressionists