**Unit 6 Study Guide**

**1. What was a result of the Opium War?**

a. China was broken into spheres of European influence

b. The Moghul Empire collapsed in India

c. Great Britain exerted complete political and military control over China

d. The British East India Company gave control of India to the British government

**2. What was a result of the Versailles Treaty?**

a. the United Nations was created

b. Austria-Hungary remained a dominant power in Europe

c. Italy gained lands in Eastern Europe

d. Germany was given responsibility for starting the war and was punished

**3. What was the “blank check” Germany offered Austria-Hungary before WWI started?**

a. a warning not to attack Serbia for fear of Russian retaliation

b. Germany would end its alliance with Austria-Hungary if it started a war

c. that if war started Germany would offer financial but not military support to Austria-Hungary

d. that if Austria-Hungary invaded Serbia, Germany would assist in the war

**4. All of the following were members of the Central Powers EXCEPT:**

a. Germany c. Austria-Hungary

b. Russia d. Ottoman Empire

**5. Why did both sides in World War I turn to new weapons?**

a. because trench warfare had led to a stalemate

b. because the Central Powers were far behind technologically

c. because both sides wanted to avoid the deaths of too many soldiers

d. because there were not enough weapons to arm the millions of soldiers

**6. Who was the leader of the Bolsheviks and was the first leader of Communist Russia?**

a. Rasputin c. Vladimir Lenin

b. Leon Trotsky d. Josef Stalin

**7. Britain’s colonial empire fueled the development of industry in that country because**

a. workers in the colonies earned far less than workers in Britain.

b. the nation had access to vast amounts of raw materials.

c. colonies provided slave labor for growing industries.

d. the war machine required quick and efficient production of goods.

**8. What was decided at the Berlin Conference?**

a. how Africa would be divided between the European imperial countries

c. a new balance of power system after the unification of Italy and Germany

b. to outlaw child labor from factories

d. that Germany should be a unified country

**9. What was a result of the Russian Civil War?**

a. economic recovery from World War I c. the Whites finally defeated the Reds

b. millions of civilian casualties d. communism spread to become a dominant government type in Europe

**10. In the system of capitalism, who is the driving force of the economy?**

a. political parties c. private individuals

b. the military d. the government

**Imperialism**

1. What was the Scramble for Africa?
2. What was the “jewel” of the British Empire?
3. What is Social Darwinism?
4. What allowed Europeans to be successful in imperializing other countries of the world?
5. What are two conflicts that occurred in China? How were they similar? Different?
6. How was Japan different from China in regards to imperialism?
7. What was an important effect of the British controlling Egypt?
8. What was the impact of the Meiji Restoration?

**WWI**

1. What were the MAIN causes of WWI SPECIFICALLY?
2. Describe the four long-term causes of World War One?
3. What were the short-term causes of World War One?
4. How did the U.S. become involved in WWI?
5. What was Trench warfare? How did it change warfare completely?
6. What is the impact of the Treaty of Versailles?

**Russian Revolution**

1. Who is Karl Marx? What does he believe in?
2. What were causes of the Russian Revolution?
3. Why did Russia leave WWI? Who was their new leader and what did he believe in?
4. What was an effect of Stalin’s industrialization?

**Interwar**

1. How did the American Great Depression impact Europe?
2. Who was Gandhi? How did he plan to free India?
3. How is the rise of Hitler similar to the rise of Napoleon?
4. What could have been done to stop or slow down the rise of Hitler?