



Key

WORLD WAR I

PRE/POST TEST 11

MULTIPLE CHOICE

1. Which country did America fight in World War I?
 - a. England
 - b. Germany**
 - c. Russia
 - d. Italy

2. Which ruler was overthrown by the Russian Revolution?
 - a. Kaiser Wilhelm II
 - b. Emperor Franz Joseph
 - c. Archduke Franz Ferdinand
 - d. Tsar Nicholas II**

3. What year did America enter World War I?
 - a. 1914
 - b. 1915
 - c. 1916
 - d. 1917**

4. What German policy called for the sinking of any and all vessels bound for Britain, regardless of type or nationality?
 - a. Restricted submarine warfare
 - b. Unrestricted submarine warfare**
 - c. No-holds-barred cagefighting
 - d. Laissez-faire

5. What document encouraged Mexico to reconquer three American states in return for German help?
 - a. The Zimmermann Telegram**
 - b. The White Album
 - c. The U.S. Declaration of War
 - d. Woodrow Wilson's Fourteen Points

SHORT ANSWER

6. World War I is best remembered for the hundreds of miles of **trenches** in which soldiers lived and fought.
7. U-boats were German **submarines** that prowled the North Atlantic, looking for enemy ships to sink.
8. The British and French fought together against the **Germans** on the Western Front.
9. On April 16, 1917, President **Wilson** asked Congress for a declaration of **war** against Germany.
10. After **Russia** surrendered to Germany in March of 1918, the Germans were able to transfer their armies from the **Eastern** Front to France.

VOCABULARY

11. French casualties in the war were appalling, and their army's _____ was very low.
 - a. uniform
 - b. equipment
 - c. indifference
 - d. **morale**
12. The Russian leader, Tsar Nicholas II, ruled a country that was already unstable and _____ by revolutionary movements.
 - a. blessed
 - b. **plagued**
 - c. annoyed
 - d. surrounded
13. The British were blockading German ports with the aim of starving the entire population into _____.
 - a. **submission**
 - b. existence
 - c. hysteria
 - d. laughter

14. What made the attack on the *Lusitania* so _____ was the fact that the German Embassy warned its passengers beforehand not to sail on it.
- a. festive
 - b. sinister
 - c. wonderful
 - d. inexplicable
15. The Zimmermann Telegram outraged the country with its behind-the-back deal between Germans and Mexicans for a piece of _____ American territory.
- a. uninhabited
 - b. dry
 - c. sovereign
 - d. lost
16. As a direct result of the Zimmermann Telegram, President Wilson _____ a joint session of Congress to ask for a declaration of war against Germany.
- a. ignored
 - b. celebrated
 - c. convened
 - d. disbanded
17. As soon as the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk was signed in March 1918, Russia _____ into civil war.
- a. descended
 - b. ascended
 - c. maneuvered
 - d. avoided
18. The Germans soon asked for surrender terms, and on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of 1918, Germany signed an _____ with the Allies.
- a. injunction
 - b. audit
 - c. contract
 - d. armistice

