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European History Study Guide – Scramble for Africa until World War II

1. What did European countries want to control and use from Africa during the 1800s?

2. How did economics play a role in the Scramble for Africa?

3. What were the main reasons Great Britain colonized Australia?

4. Who colonized Australia for Great Britain?

5. What is militarism?

6. What are alliances?

7. What is imperialism?

8. What is nationalism?

9. How did alliances play a role in causing WWI?

10. The assassination of who led to the start of WWI?

11. Which country was forced to drop out of WWI because of riots and civil unrest?

12. Who was Czar Nicholas II?

13. How did his actions lead to the collapse of Russia?

14. At this time of his reign, Czar Nicholas II had the only _____ government in Europe.

15. What is a дума?

16. Which group gained control of Russia and renamed it the Soviet Union?

17. The Soviet Union was based on which form of government that controls all aspects of economics and creates an equal system?

18. Who was Rasputin?

19. What were the consequences of the Treaty of Versailles?

20. What are reparations?

21. What is appeasement?

22. Which event specifically caused the beginning of WWII?

23. Who were the Allied Powers?

24. Who were the Axis Powers?

25. What is genocide?

26. What was Kristallnacht?

27. Who was Hitler? Which political party did he lead? What happened to those that were against Hitler or the Nazi party?
