Instructions for Creating a WWII Jeopardy Game

- Choose the topic for your WWII Jeopardy Game (examples: Home Front, D-Day, Women in the War). Give your quiz a title on slide 3.
- Research your topic using classroom resources, your library, the Internet or other local resources like a museum or a WWII Veteran you know.
- Break your topic into four categories for the game questions. For example, if your topic is the Home Front, your question categories could be rationing, scrapping, war production and entertainment.
- Compose five questions for each subject (each question should only have one correct answer-which you know). You may style your game after the real Jeopardy, providing answers and requiring questions or you may give questions and provide answers.
- On slide 4, type your categories in the boxes along the top. You can change the font size and style if you would like. Type in each question/answer set on slides 5-24. Make sure each question/answer set is on the correct slide. They go <u>across</u> the first row 1, 2, 3, 4, and then the second row, 1, 2, 3, 4, etc.
- Customize your game by adding images to each question box, or color your slides by clicking each slide and adding the fill and line colors you choose.

When you are finished, you can safely delete this first slide.

WARNING: do not change the order of your slides or add any slides past the first game board slide. If you do, the number buttons will not take you to the correct questions.

How to play your WWII Jeopardy Game

There are several ways to play this game. Choose the style you want.

Who can play?

You can play by yourself, against another person, or have two teams play against each other.

How do you play?

If you are playing with more than one person, you can play a buzzer-type game where the first team to ring in gets a chance to answer; or you can just take turns back and forth trying to answer questions.

Click on the question you want to answer

Click the Answer button to reveal the answer

Click on the Home button to return to the main board

Keep score to see how you did

How do your keep score?

You can simply add up the points you get for *correct* answers or, to make the game more exciting, you can also deduct points for *incorrect* answers (this can lead to negative points!).



GOOD LUCK!

A WWII Jeopardy Game created by: The Boss



Review	Review	Review	Review
<u>100</u>	100	100	100
200	200	200	200
300	300	300	300
400	400	400	400
500	500	500	500

Col. Jimmy Doolittle

What American military personality led a daring raid over Tokyo

Click here for answer



• Row 1, Col 1

Albert Einstein

Who was able to convince FDR that pursuing an atomic bomb was something the U.S. should pursue?

Click here for answer



Row 1, Col 2

Admiral Chester Nimitz

Who was the American Admiral who was victorious at Midway?

Click here for answer



Row 1, Col 3

Enrico Fermi

Who was the Italian physicist who was first to split the atom on U.S. soil?

Click here for answer



Row 1, Col 4

Robert Oppenheimer

The father of the atomic bomb. A German born physicist.

Click here for answer



Harry Truman

Which U.S. President issued the Potsdam Warning?

Click here for answer



General Douglas MacArthur

U.S. commander who vowed to return to the Philippines.

Click here for answer



Admiral Isoroku Yamamotto

Japanese Admiral who led the attacks on Pearl Harbor and Midway.

Click here for answer



Magic

Term which refers to our ability to decode Japanese coded messages.

Click here for answer



The Interim Committee

A group of military personnel, scientist, politicians and others who advised President Truman as to whether he should use the bomb.

Click here for answer



Kamikazes

Japanese pilots who attempted to fly bomb laden planes into U..S. ships.

Click here for answer



Clark Field, an American air base in the Philippines

Within hours of the attack on Pearl Harbor the Japanese attacked

Click here for answer



Island Hopping

The American strategy that was utilized in the Pacific.

Click here for answer



Alamagordo, New Mexico; Trinity

Where the atomic bomb was first tested. What was the test called?

Click here for answer



The Potsdam Warning (Declaration)

"Surrender or prompt and utter destruction will occur".

Click here for answer



Guadalcanal, The Solomon Islands

Where did the Island Hopping campaign begin? Which island group is it part of?

Click here for answer



The Battle of Midway

This conflict marked a major turning point in the war in the Pacific.

Click here for answer



The Manhattan Project

The name given to the rather complex undertaking of building an atomic bomb.

Click here for answer



Following the mass surrender of U.S. and Filipino troops in the Philippines what wartime atrocity occurred?

Click here for answer



Japanese Surrender – Sept 2, 1945



Click here for answer

