

World War II

- **Aim:** Did France and Britain's appeasement of Hitler make World War II inevitable?
- **Do Now:** What factors led to the rise of Hitler in Germany?
- **Homework:**
 - **Due Tues 4/10** - Test Corrections Due- Staple Exam, Answer Key and Corrections together.
 - **Due Mon 4/16** - HW#1 – Read Pages 809-813
Questions:
 - Page 813 Qs 2,3 & 4
 - Define: Axis Powers & Allied Powers



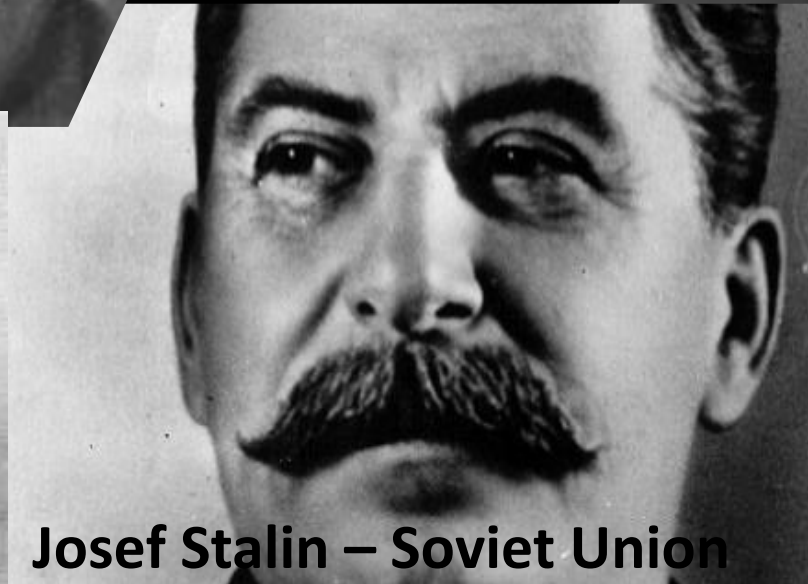
Adolph Hitler - Germany



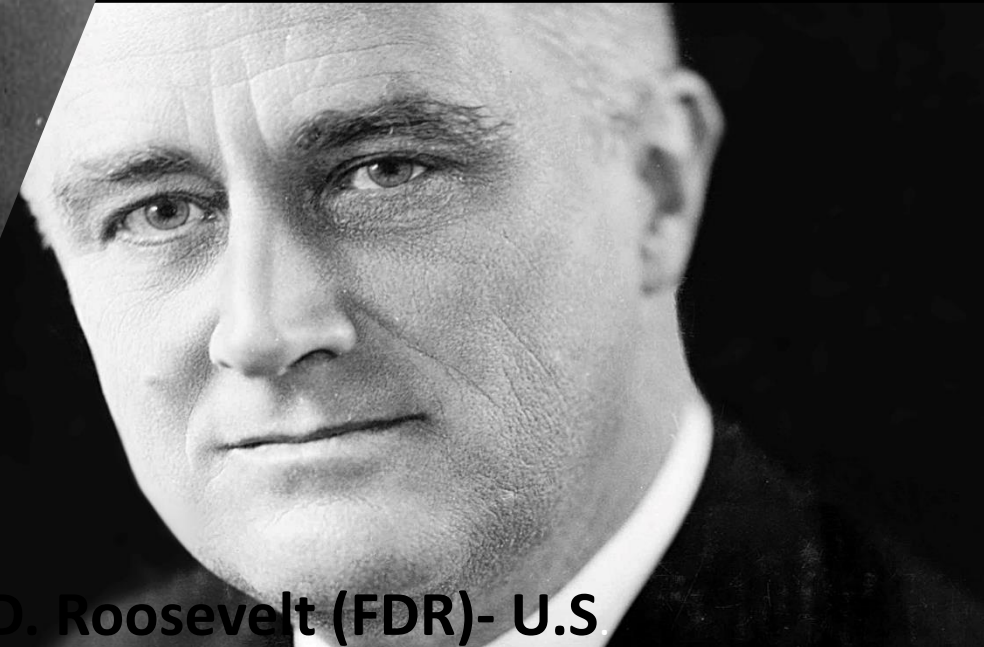
Winston Churchill - Britain



Benito Mussolini-Italy



Josef Stalin – Soviet Union



Franklin D. Roosevelt (FDR)- U.S

Fascism

(1930s-Germany,
Italy, Japan)

Led by a dictator

Glorification of the state above
all else (extreme nationalism)

Racism

No tolerance for opposition

Appeasement:

the policy of making concessions to the dictatorial powers in order to avoid conflict



The Munich Conference - 1938

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- Neville Chamberlain (Britain)
- Edouard Daladier (France)
- Adolf Hitler (Germany)
- Benito Mussolini (Italy)

Hitler's Violations of the Versailles Treaty

- German rearmament
- German occupation of the Rhineland
- German annexation of Austria
- German invasion of the Sudetenland - 1938
 - Munich Conference – 1938 Hitler (Germany), Chamberlain (Britain) Daladier (France)
- German invasion of Czechoslovakia - 1939
- German invasion of Poland – September 1, 1939



Appeasement of Hitler

- Pacifism – anti-war feelings “peace at any price”
- Not prepared to fight militarily
- Didn't have the U.S. or Soviet Union as allies
- Guilt over the Versailles Treaty
- Poor leadership
- Depression/economic problems
- Trusted Hitler

- Were these good reasons to appease Hitler?
- Is a nation obligated to protect other nations?
- At what point do you think Hitler could have been stopped?
- At what point should a country use military force against another country?

<- UNITED STATES



World War II Maps

<https://wwiimaps.homestead.com/world39.html>

Nazi/Soviet Pact (1939)

- Hitler and Stalin agreed not to join a war against each other