

## Multiple-Choice Questions

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Use the chart on page 892 and your knowledge of world history to answer questions 1–3.

1. According to the chart, which of the following would be the best date to set the beginning of the global Great Depression?
  - a. 1926, when Germany's unemployment rate increased
  - b. 1929, when Germany, Great Britain, and the United States saw increases in unemployment
  - c. 1932, when unemployment peaked in Germany, Great Britain, and the United States
  - d. 1938, when unemployment rose in Great Britain and the United States
2. Which answer below best explains the rapid decrease in Germany's unemployment rate after 1933?
  - a. Germany's communist government began its first five-year plan in 1933, investing in sweeping agricultural programs.
  - b. Massive foreign aid from the United States revived Germany's economy.
  - c. The National Socialist government in Germany began public building projects and increased military spending.
  - d. The Weimar government sent all workers from Germany's African and Asian colonies back to their homelands, freeing up jobs for German-born citizens.
3. Which of the following is the most likely explanation for why Great Britain appeared to be less affected by the Great Depression than either Germany or the United States?
  - a. Because of its colonies, Great Britain was more able to be self-sufficient in the global economy.
  - b. Because it lost millions of men in World War I, Britain's unemployment rate stayed artificially low.
  - c. Great Britain experienced a boom-and-bust cycle that was less intense than that of Germany and the United States.
  - d. Because its share of the global economy was twice that of the United States and Germany, Great Britain was able to maintain a low unemployment rate.

## Short-Answer Question

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4. Answer parts A, B, and C.
- Briefly explain ONE specific historical example of how a change in state economic policies of the Soviet Union influenced another nation's economic policies in the period 1920–1990.
  - Briefly explain a SECOND specific historical example of how a change in state economic policies of the Soviet Union influenced the economic policies of a nation other than the one discussed in part A in the period 1920–1990.
  - Briefly explain ONE specific historical example of how continuity in state economic policies of the Soviet Union influenced another nation's economic policies in the period 1920–1990.

## Document-Based Question

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*Directions:* Question 5 refers to the following documents. You will likely need to flip back and forth between these documents to answer the question adequately. Use scrap pieces of paper or sticky notes to tab these documents. When answering the question, refer to the “Advice for Responding to a DBQ” on the inside of the back cover.

5. Using the following documents from this textbook and your knowledge of world history, analyze political, social, and economic themes related to the global wars of the twentieth century: World War I, World War II, and the cold war.

DOCUMENT	PAGE	DOCUMENT NAME
1	880	Military recruiting poster
2	887	Women and the Great War
3	923–25	Adolf Hitler, <i>Mein Kampf</i>
4	925–27	<i>Cardinal Principles of the National Entity of Japan</i>
5	954–55	The Cuban Revolution

## Long-Essay Question

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*When answering the following question, refer to the “Advice for Responding to an LEQ” on the inside of the back cover.*

6. Evaluate the extent to which World War II (1937–1945) marked a turning point in colonialism, analyzing what changed and what stayed the same from the period before the war to the period during and after it.