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1. According to the text, what did Germans look for after World War I?
  - a. a powerful leader
  - b. trade opportunities with the United States
  - c. peaceful ways to build relationships with other European countries
  - d. a different form of government
  
2. The text describes the series of events that led to the outbreak of World War II and the involvement of the United States in World War II. What happened after the United States was attacked by Japan?
  - a. World War II began.
  - b. The U.S. declared war on Japan.
  - c. Italy and Japan built up their armies.
  - d. Hitler became chancellor of Germany.
  
3. Read the following sentences from the text:

“On September 1, 1939, Germany invaded Poland. World War II began. Britain and France were allies with Poland and declared war on Germany. Hitler’s strategy was called *blitzkrieg*. This German word translates to ‘lightning war.’ The German army toppled countries before the countries knew what hit them.”

Based on this information, what can be concluded about the European countries Germany attacked?

  - a. They were prepared to defend themselves against Germany.
  - b. They wanted to make peace with Germany and support Hitler.
  - c. They were not prepared to defend themselves against Germany.
  - d. They were able to easily fight off Germany.
  
4. How did Hitler seek power?
  - a. by making peace treaties with other countries
  - b. by creating a larger parliament for Germany
  - c. by taking over Japan and Italy
  - d. by building an army and defeating other countries
  
5. The passage is mostly about
  - a. Hitler’s leadership
  - b. the relations among the Axis powers.
  - c. what led up to World War II
  - d. the United States’ role in World War II

6. According to the text, what did Hitler threaten?

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7. Based on the information in the text, was Hitler the type of leader Germany was looking for? Use evidence in the text to support your answer.

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8. Choose the answer that best completes the sentence.

People in the United States did not want to get involved in another European war. \_\_\_\_\_, when the country was attacked by Japan, it decided to enter World War II.

- a. In summary
- b. However
- c. For example
- d. For instance

9. Answer the following questions based on the sentence below.

Britain and France declared war on Germany when it invaded Poland because they were allies with Poland.

What is the subject of this sentence? Britain and France

What did Britain and France do? \_\_\_\_\_

When? \_\_\_\_\_

Why? \_\_\_\_\_

10. **Vocabulary Word:** humiliation: feeling of embarrassment or shame.

Use the vocabulary word in a sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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