# World War I - Vocab Cards

#### alliance ]>

an agreement between people, groups, or nations to work together toward a common goal.

Britain, France, Russia and Italy formed an \_alliance\_ against the Central Powers during World War I.

Synonyms: bond, coalition, league



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

# armistice ]>

an agreement by all sides in a war to stop fighting.

We hoped that an \_armistice\_ would be reached soon to end the war.

Synonyms: truce



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

#### enlist ]>

#### to join the armed forces.

My brother \_enlisted\_ in the army because they offered to help him pay for medical school.



Synonyms: sign up

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

## Great War ]>

World War I, fought from 1914 to 1918 between the Allies (Britain, France, Russia, Italy and the United States) and the Central Powers (Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire). World War I is often referred to as the \_Great War\_. During this four-year period, the Allies and the Central Powers were engaged in



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

different forms of brutal combat.

Make a connection between this word and another word or idea:

# imperialism ]>

a system or policy of one country taking control of other countries using force and diplomacy.

Europeans practiced \_imperialism\_ when they claimed land in Africa, Asia, and Latin America as their own and imposed their governments on the people who already lived there.



Synonyms: expansionism, colonialism

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

# militarism ]>

### policy or belief in a strong military force.

The leaders are committed to \_militarism\_ because they always want the country to be prepared to fight off attacks.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

# nationalism ]>

pride and loyalty to one's nation; in its extreme form, a belief that one's nation should be separate from or is more important than others.

As \_nationalism\_ became popular, people displayed flags outside of their homes.

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Synonyms: jingoism

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

# propaganda ]>

false or biased information that is used to make the general public feel a certain way about a political issue or situation.

The political party used \_propaganda\_ to try to gain support for the war and convince people to support their plans.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

# ration ]>

a set amount of food or supplies given out, especially during war.

The food \_ration\_ included a fixed amount of sugar.

Synonyms: portion



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

### trench ]>

a ditch dug by soldiers in the war where they shelter from enemy fire.

The soldiers dug a \_trench\_, which they hoped would protect them during the battle.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning: