

## WAR COMING TO AMERICA

### I. Why Should US join Allies?

- a. British defends the Four Freedoms
  - i. Freedom of \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii. Freedom of \_\_\_\_\_
  - iii. Freedom from \_\_\_\_\_
  - iv. Freedom from \_\_\_\_\_

### II. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. FDR wanted to support Britain
  - i. Americans wouldn't fight
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
  - i. US would provide weapons to anyone who could pay for it
- c. \_\_\_\_\_
  - i. Allow US to sell, lend or lease items to nations vital to American interests
    - 1. loan money and weapons to Britain and defenders of democracy
  - ii. Replace Cash and Carry – US sell to anyone who had the money
  - iii. Extended to Soviet Union after Germany invades in 1941

### III. Preparing for War

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - i. Allow US to draft men into army during peace time
  - ii. First time US had an army during peace
- b. Atlantic Charter
  - i. FDR and Winston \_\_\_\_\_ establish plan for post war world
  - ii. Principles
    - 1. Say people should have right to \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2. Live in peace
    - 3. Nations should work together

### IV. Japanese Expansionism

- a. Japan attack European colonies in Europe
- b. FDR try to stop expansion by stopping shipment of materials and \_\_\_\_\_
  - i. Threatens Japanese economy

- c. Japan want to take Philippines, British Malaya and Dutch East Indies to get oil
  - i. Need to stop \_\_\_\_\_ to be successful

V. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Day That Will Live in Infamy
  - i. December 7, 1941 – Japanese sneak attack on US Pacific fleet
- b. US had some clues to what would happen, but ignored them
- c. Declarations of War
  - i. December 8 – US declares war on Japan
  - ii. December 11 – Germany and Italy declare war on US
  - iii. US joins Allies in war

VI. Defeats in Pacific

- a. Japan attack throughout Southeast Asia and won
- b. February 1942 General \_\_\_\_\_ retreat from Philippines
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ Death March
  - i. Troops left behind were captured by Japanese
  - ii. Forced to march, starving, beaten, no food or water for 60 miles

VII. War in Africa and Italy

- a. US Army led by Dwight D \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Africa
  - i. US attack in Morocco in 1942
  - ii. British attack from Egypt
  - iii. May 1943 North Africa in Allied control
  - iv. Nazi Panzers led by \_\_\_\_\_
  - v. Allies led by \_\_\_\_\_

VIII. Turning Points in Pacific

- a. Battle of Coral Sea
  - i. US Navy stop Japanese advance to Australia
- b. Battle of \_\_\_\_\_ (June 1942)
  - i. US Navy crush Japanese Navy – **turning point** of war
    - 1. Japan never goes on offensive again