**WWII Study Guide** Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Identify the following individuals:**

1. Winston Churchill

2. Hirohito

3. Adolf Hitler

4. Benito Mussolini

5. Joseph Stalin

6. Harry S. Truman

**Vocabulary:**

dictatorship holocaust rationing

Axis Powers concentration camp

Nazi internment (relocation) camp

militarism communism

**Essential Questions:**

1. What were the main “theaters” of war? In other words, in what areas of the world was WWII mainly fought?

2. Which event had the greatest influence on the United States’ entering WWII?

3. What is the holocaust?

4. Who was “Rosie the Riveter” and what did she represent?

5. What happened to Japanese Americans during WWII?

6. Why did the U.S. government ration goods during WWII?

7. When did Japan surrender, and what happened as a result of this?

8. Who became president after Roosevelt died, and how did the new president decide to end the war with Japan?

9. What happened on D-Day?

10. Who was Anne Frank?

11. What happened on V-E Day?

12. What happened on V-J Day?

**Critical Thinking Questions:**

1. How were African Americans discriminated against in the military during WWII? Include a brief discussion of the Tuskegee Airmen.

2. Use a Venn Diagram or a double bubble map to compare and contrast concentration camps and internment (relocation) camps.