WORLD WARS
(1914 to 1918 and 1939 to 1945)

First World War (1914 to 1918)

I. One mark questions (Answer in one sentence each)

1. When did the First World War begin?
First World War began on 28th July 1914.

2. Name the German Emperor during the First World War.
Kaiser William II was the German Emperor during I World War.

3. When did the First World War end?
The First World War ended on 11th November 1918.

4. Name the treaty which ended the First World War?
The First world war ended by the treaty of Versailles.

5. Name the incident which led to the outbreak of First World War.
The assassination of Austrian prince in Sarajevo.

6. Name the prince who was killed in Sarajevo.
Arch duke Francis Ferdinand was the prince who was killed in Sarajevo.

7. Name the capital of Bosnia.
Sarajevo is the capital of Bosnia.

8. Who was the President of America during the First World War?
Woodrow Wilson was the President of America during the First World War.

9. Name the American ship which was destroyed by Germany.
Lusitania is the American ship which was destroyed by Germany.

10. When was Arch duke Francis Ferdinand assassinated?
Arch duke Francis Ferdinand was assassinated on 28th June 1914.

11. When was the treaty of Versailles signed?
The treaty of Versailles signed in 1919.

12. What are Wilson’s 14points popularly called as?
Wilson’s 14points are popularly called as treaty of Versailles.

13. Who drafted the treaty of Versailles?
American President Woodrow Wilson drafted the treaty of Versailles.
14. Name the battle in which Russia was defeated in First World War.
In the battle of Tannenberg Russia was defeated.

15. Name the World Organization established after First World War.
League of Nations is the World Organization established after First World War

II. Two marks questions (Answer in Two sentences each)

1. Name the three important allies of the First World War.
England, France and Russia are three important allies of the First World War.

2. Name the countries which fought with the allies in the First World War.
Germany, Austria and Italy fought with the allies in the First World War.

3. Name the new nations which were born after the First World War.
Poland, Czechoslovakia, Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia and Finland were born after the First World War.

4. Name the countries defeated in First World War.
Germany, Austria and Turkey were defeated in the First World War.

5. What is Sarajevo incident?
The Austrian prince Francis Ferdinand was murdered in Sarajevo in 1914 and it became the immediate cause of the First World War.

6. Name the two rival blocks of First World War.
Triple Alliance (Germany, Austria and Turkey) and Triple Entente (England, France and Russia) are the two rival blocks of First World War.

7. Name the emperor of Germany during the First World War and which policy did he believe in?
Kaiser William II was German emperor. He believed in the policy of world power or downfall.

8. Name the Treaty signed by the Allies with Germany after First World War and When was it signed?
Treaty of Versailles. In 1919 signed by the Allies with Germany after First World War.

9. Name the territories which France wanted to retrieve from Germany during First World War?
Alsace and Lorraine are the two territories which France wanted to retrieve from Germany during First World War.

10. Why did America enter the First World War?
Germany sunk a ship called Lusitania, in which many Americans were drowned. This even made America to enter the First World War.

11. Who drafted the Treaty of Versailles and what is the Treaty also called as?
American President Woodrow Wilson drafted the Treaty of Versailles. It is also called as Paris peace conference of 1919 and Wilson’s fourteen points.

12. Who won the First World War?
Triple Entente i.e. England, France, Italy and America, Won the First World War.

III. Five marks questions (Answer in 15 to 20 lines each)

1. Briefly state the results of First World War.
Following are the results of First World War.
   • Territorial reorganization.
   • War indemnity
   • Disarmament of Germany
   • Establishment of Mandatory body
   • Establishment of League of Nations.

2. State the main causes of the First World War.
   • Aggressive nationalism
   • Colonial expansion.
   • Establishment of alliances
   • Arms race
   • Policy of Kaiser William II
   • Balkan problem
   • Immediate cause (28th June 1914).

3. Describe the Treaty of Versailles.
Treaty of Versailles which was signed in 1919 is one of the most humiliating treaties in human history. It was drafted by American President Woodrow Wilson and signed between the allies and Germany.
   • Territorial reorganization
   • German disarmament
   • Establishment of Mandatory body
   • Establishment of League of Nations.

4. Describe the course of the First World War.
   • First World War commenced on 28th July 1914 with Austria attacking Serbia.
   • When Germany attacked Russia France came for Russia’s help.
   • England the friend of France attacked Germany.
   • As war progressed Italy and Russia withdrew from the battle.
• America which was silent entered the war field when Germans drowned American ship Lucitienia.
• With the arrival of America, Germany began to loose the battles.
• 11th November 1919 Germany surrendered to allies.
• Kaiser William II fled to Holland.

IV. Ten marks questions (Answer in 30 to 40 lines each)

1. Describe the causes and the results of First World War.
   Between 1914 and 1919 world has witnessed a great battle. Since it was fought between two rival groups by dividing the entire world in two it is known as world war. Following are some of the important causes.
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   • Colonial expansion.
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   • Arms race
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SECOND WORLD WAR
(1939-1945)

I. One mark questions (Answer in one sentence each)

1. Who established Nazi Party?
   Hitler established Nazi Party.

2. Name the Prime Minister of England during the Second World War?
   Winston Churchill was the Prime Minister of England during Second World War.

3. What was the name of the German Air force?
   The German Air Force was called as Luftwaffe.

4. What was the symbol of the Nazis?
   The Swastika was the symbol of the Nazis.

5. Name the nation which bombarded the Pearl Harbor?
   Japan bombarded Pearl Harbor.

6. Name the leader of Italy during the Second World War?
   Mussolini was the leader of Italy during the Second World War.

7. Who established Fascist party?
   Mussolini established Fascist party.

8. What is Gestapo?
   Hitler’s secret agency is called as Gestapo.

II. Two marks questions (Answer in Two sentences each)

1. Name the cities of Japan where atom bombs were dropped during the Second World War?
   Hiroshima and Nagasaki are the cities of Japan where atom bombs were dropped during the Second World War.

2. Who was Hitler? Name his autobiography.
   Hitler was the Dictator of Germany. Mien Kemp is his autobiography.

3. Name the two dictators who were responsible for the outbreak of the Second World War.
   Hitler and Mussolini are the two dictators who were responsible for the outbreak of the Second World War.

4. Name the Allied Nations in the Second World War.
Allied Nations in the Second World War are England, France, America and Russia.

5. Who has authored Mien Kemp?
Hitler, the dictator of Germany has authored Mien Kemp.

6. Name the axis nations during Second World War.
Germany, Italy and Japan are the axis nations during Second World War

III. Five marks questions (Answer in 15 to 20 lines each)

Briefly explain the results of the Second World War.
Following are the results of Second World War:

- Destruction
- End of Dictatorships
- Partition of Germany
- Japan under allied countries.
- Cold War
- America became super power.
- Establishment of Communist governments.
- Establishment of U.N.O