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**Chapter 20: World War II, Section 4 🡪 The Holocaust**

Directions: Answer the following questions using your United States History textbook, pages 696-701.

1. What is anti-Semitism?
2. How did the Nuremberg Laws continue the practice of anti-Semitism?
3. What occurred on Kristallnacht?
4. Why do you think the United States refused to accept refugees from the *St. Louis*?
5. What was the theoretical purpose of concentration camps?
6. Read over the infographic on page 698. How did Nazi Germany use concentration camps to carry out the practice of genocide?
7. Look at the map on page 699. Where are the majority of death camps located?
8. How did Nazi kill millions of Jews in the death camps?
9. Why was response to the Holocaust from the Allied nations initially weak?
10. In what ways did the United States government respond to the German campaign against European Jews?

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**Chapter 20: World War II, Section 5 🡪 Effects of the War**

Directions: Answer the following questions using your United States History textbook, pages 702-707.

1. Describe the plans made at the Yalta Conference.
2. How did the Big Three change from Yatla to the Potsdam Conference?
3. What plans were agreed to at the Potsdam Conference?
4. Look at the map on page 704. How did the map of the world change following World War II?

1. On which continent did the largest amount of countries gain their independence?
2. Which nations emerged as superpowers? Which appeared to be the strongest?
3. How did the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade affect world trade?
4. What is the purpose of the United Nations?
5. What does the Universal Declaration of Human Rights proclaim?
6. What occurred at the Nuremberg Trials?
7. How did World War II foster support for civil rights?