Social Studies 11

- **Directions:** Be sure to complete all of the readings and assigned questions. Be aware that the unit test questions will refer not only to concepts covered in the worksheets, but also to readings from your textbook.
- Keywords: Briefly define each of the following keywords on a separate piece of paper.

Crown Corporations	Axis
Battle of the Atlantic	Holocaust
Inflation	Gross Domestic Product
Internment camps	

Questions:

Answer each question as completely as you can.

- 1. France and Britain declared war on Germany on September 3, 1939. Canada did not declare war until September 10. Explain why.
- 2. Who was Ernest LaPointe? What was his view on conscription?
- 3. On page 100 under Clark's painting it says Canada was committed to "total war". Explain what you think this phrase means.
- 4. What was BCATP?
- 5. The textbook says flight training fields were located on the Prairies near small towns. What effects do you think this would have on a town?

- 6. German forces had great success early in the war with their *blitzkrieg* tactics. What was *blitzkrieg*?
- 7. Briefly describe the evacuation of British troops at Dunkirk.

8. Two major operations during the war were the Battle of Britain and Operation Barbarossa. Briefly explain each.

9. Answer questions 3 (a), (b), (c), and (d) in the "Activities" section on page 110.

- "Britain was almost completely dependent on food and military supplies from Canada and the United States."(page 111) The great French general Napoleon said, "An army marches on its stomach." Explain the connection between these two statements.
- 11. British Prime Minister Winston Churchill described Italy as the "soft underbelly" of Europe. Why was Churchill wrong?

12. In point form outline the main events/factors involved in Operation Overlord.

- 13. Historians estimate that over 6 million people were killed in the Holocaust. Define the word Holocaust.
- 14. What was Hitler's "final solution?"
- 15. Was the Holocaust the last episode of genocide in history? With permission from your instructor, do a brief search on the Internet and respond to the question.

16. Read "Counterpoints" on pages 120-121, and respond to question 4.

17. Wars are fought on the battlefield and at home. In a well-written paragraph describe how life in Canada changed during World War II.

18. What was the NRMA?

19. How did the conscription issue split Canada?

20. War can be good for business. Explain how changes in Canada's economy during WW II support this statement.

21. What happened to Japanese Canadians during WW II?