**AP European History Identifications AND TIMELINE**

**Chapter 26: World War II**

Due to the importance of the events of World War II and their sequence, you will be doing a timeline as well as identifications.

Identification terms/People:

1. Rearmament
2. Appeasement
3. Rhineland occupation
4. Rome-Berlin Axis
5. Blitzkrieg (include the Luftwaffe and panzer division in your identification)
6. Anschluss (union of Germany and Austria)
7. The Munich Conference
8. Neville Chamberlain
9. Winston Churchill
10. Nazi-Soviet Pact (regarding Poland)
11. Maginot Line
12. Vichy France (the German puppet state)
13. Franklin D. Roosevelt
14. Unconditional surrender
15. Great East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere
16. Nazi New Order
17. Resistance movements in:
    1. France
    2. Yugoslavia
    3. Germany
18. The Final Solution
19. Einsatzgruppen
20. Death camps
21. Heinrich Himmler
22. Cost of war- in human lives and in $$
23. Cold War Origins- how did it start?
24. Tehran Conference
25. Yalta Conference
26. Potsdam Conference

**Timeline**

**Directions:** Create a timeline of the following events. The timeline is divided into two sections:

* 1936-December 1941: Axis Advances
* Early 1942- August 1945: Allied Advances

For each event, you must include the date(s), name of the event, and **one** sentence that explains the significance of the event. *The significance explains why that event is important, not just what happened.*

Axis Advances:

* Japanese invasion of Manchuria
* German occupation of the Rhineland
* Spanish Civil War
* Anschluss (union with Austria)
* Occupation of the Sudetenland
* Invasion of Poland
* Rape of Nanjing (China)
* Japanese occupation of Vietnam
* “phony war” with France
* Nazi invasion of Denmark and Norway
* German attack on the Netherlands, Belgium, and Luxembourg
* German and Italian invasion of France
* Battle of Britain/Operation Sea Lion
* Invasion of Greece
* Invasion of Libya/German Afrika Korps
* Invasion of the Soviet Union/Operation Barbarossa
* Attack on Pearl Harbor

Allied Advances:

* Battle of El Alamein
* Battle of Stalingrad
* Battle of Midway
* Allied invasion of Italy
* D-Day/Allied invasion of France
* Battle of the Bulge
* Battle of Koorsk
* Surrender of Germany
* Bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki

Some helpful resources:

Timeline on page 843 of your textbook

https://www.abmc.gov/sites/default/files/interactive/interactive\_files/WW2/index.html