

HOLOCAUST EDUCATION RESOURCE GUIDE QUESTIONS AND ASSIGNMENTS

UNIT 1

1. Become familiar with the vocabulary page.
2. Read “Content Overview Genocide and The Holocaust”...then
 - a. Write a paragraph summarizing in your own words what caused each of the following genocides and what the outcome was of each: RWANDA, ARMENIAN GENOCIDE

What makes the Holocaust UNIQUE when compared to other genocides?

UNIT 2

1. Study Table 1.1. “Canonical and Nazi Anti Jewish Measures. Summarize how they are similar.
2. Read “The Other Victims.” Who were they?

UNIT 3

1. Become familiar with the vocabulary terms.
2. Read “Nazi Propaganda.” Write a summary of the article. Also, add one paragraph giving YOUR REACTION to the article.
3. Read “Education for Death: Nazi Youth Movements.” At the end of the article there are 4 questions. Answer each one in a brief paragraph.

UNIT 4

1. Study the vocabulary page.
2. Study the 2 maps and then write a paragraph interpreting what they represent.
3. In the “TESTIMONIES” section read the testimony of one person and write your reaction to it.

UNIT 5

1. React to the poem “Varshe” (Warsaw)
2. Study the vocabulary page.
3. Read “The Issue of Resistance in the Warsaw Ghetto.” Answer only questions 1 and 2 at the end of the article.

UNIT 6

1. Study the vocabulary page.
2. Read “Children of the Holocaust: Their Memories and Our Legacy” and “The Children.” How did you feel after read the two articles?
3. Study the chart “Estimated Jewish Losses in the Holocaust.” Answer question 1 at the bottom of the chart.
4. Read “Babi Yar. (Both the article and the poem that follows it). Answer only questions 1 and 2 at the bottom of the poem.

UNIT 7

1. Study the chronology of resistance.

2. Read “Did Jews Go Like Sheep to the Slaughter?” What did you learn from the article?
3. Read the song, “Jewish Partisan Song.” What does the song tell you about the spirit of the Jews?
4. Read “The White Rose.” What was the White Rose?

UNIT 8

1. Read “Oscar Schindler.” React to the article.
2. Read “On Movies and Memory.” Answer the 2 questions on the bottom of the article.

UNIT 9

1. Read “Excerpts from Eyewitnesses.” Write your reaction and also tell which one touched you the most and why.
2. Read “Edward R. Murrow’s Report from Buchenwald.” What did you think of it?

UNIT 10

1. Read the article by Elie Wiesel and Benjamin Meed. React to them.
2. Read Pastor Martin Niemoeller’s Quote. What did you learn from it? How is it relevant to today?