## **WAR BEGINS - Notes Organizer**

**Instructions**: Write these notes in a diagram that shows the information falling off a cliff. Review with a highlighter.

- AUSTRIA-HUNGARY GIVES SERBIA A LIST OF VERY HARSH DEMANDS, SERBIA FULFILLS ALL BUT ONE ON TIME
- SERBIA DECLARES WAR ON JULY 28, 1914
- RUSSIA, BECAUSE OF ITS TREATIES AND PLEDGE TO PROTECT SLAVIC PEOPLES, MOBILIZES
  ITS HUGE & UNWEILDLY ARMY TO BACK SERBIA
- GERMANY WAS TIED TO AUSTRIA-HUNGARY AND MOBILIZED TO DEFEND THEM AGAINST RUSSIA
- FRANCE HAD A TREATY WITH RUSSIA, DECLARED WAR ON GERMANY, AND CONSEQUENTLY ALSO ON AUSTRIA-HUNGARY
- WHEN THE GERMANS MARCHED THROUGH BELGIUM, ENGLAND ENTERED THE WAR TO DEFEND IT AS WELL AS HELP THEIR ALLY FRANCE
- THREE WEEKS LATER, JAPAN SIDED WITH GREAT BRITAIN
- IN THE SUMMER OF 1914, 6 MILLION YOUNG MEN WERE MOBILIZED. BY THE END OF DECEMBER 1914, 1 MILLION WOULD BE DEAD