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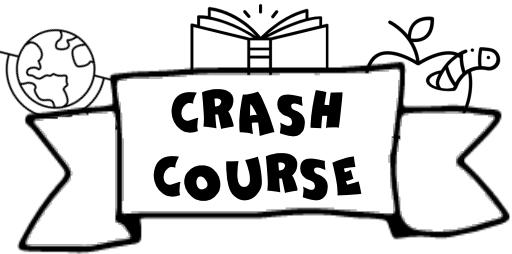
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# US HISTORY #30-AMERICA IN WORLD WAR I

Directions: While watching the video, fill in the blanks.

women	progressives	real	civil	generation
Germany	Britain	great	national	economic

- 1. The \_\_\_\_\_ War, which lasted from 1914 until 1918 and featured a lot of men with hats and rifles, cost the lives of an estimated ten million soldiers.
- 2. But there were a significant number of \_\_\_\_\_ who worried that involvement in the war would get in the way of social reforms at home.
- 3. The United States declared war on \_\_\_\_\_ and the Central Powers on April 2nd 1917, almost two years after the sinking of the Lusitania.
- 4. Also there was our inclination to help \_\_\_\_\_, to whom we had loaned two billion dollars.
- 5. America's primary contribution to the Entente powers winning the war was \_\_\_\_\_, as we sent all sorts of arms and money over there.
- 6. The so-called "Lost \_\_\_\_\_" of writers who lived in Paris in the 1920s tried to make sense of everything.
- 7. World War I made the \_\_\_\_\_ government much more powerful than it had ever been.
- 8. According to one historian, the war inaugurated the most intense repression of \_\_\_\_\_ liberties the nation has ever known.
- 9. The war also raised the question of what it meant to be a \_\_\_\_\_ American.
- 10. So it's true that World War I provided some new opportunities for African Americans and \_\_\_\_\_ but if World War I was supposed to be an opportunity for America to impose its progressive ideas on the rest of the world, it failed.



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Directions: Write one thing you think you know about the topic.

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- \_\_\_\_\_

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**Answer Key**

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