

Senior II

History

MAIN TOPICS: Peace Treaties, League of Nations, Weimar Germany to Rise of Hitler, Roaring 20's to Wall Street Crash. The main comparison will be between Weimar Germany and the Roaring 20's in the USA.

UNIT ONE: AFTERMATH OF THE WWI

Review of causes of WWI and Treaty of Versailles. Minor Peace Treaties. Birth of the League of Nations.

UNIT TWO: WEIMAR GERMANY TO RISE OF HITLER

The Birth of the Weimar Republic. Reactions to Treaties. Hyperinflation and depression. Threats from the Left and Right to stability. Culture in Germany. Rise of the Nazis. Who was Hitler. 1933 Elections.

UNIT THREE: CONFLICT AND COOPERATION

League of Nations: Why the USA did not join. How the League worked, Border disputes and other projects. Locarno Treaties and Kellogg-Briand Pact. Problems with the League. Japanese invasion of Manchuria.

UNIT FOUR: THE USA DURING THE 20'S

Temperance. Prohibition. Women's right to vote. Changing women's roles. The Boom. Urbanization. Red Scare. Immigration quotas. The KKK. Different Leaders. Monkey Trial. Gangsters. Wall Street Crash. Great Depression.