Modern European History

Unit 8 – WWI and Its Aftermath

Suggested Areas of Study for Quiz

We will be taking an essay quiz next class. You will choose one essay to write from a list of three possible prompts. You will be required to provide an outline for your essay.

Areas of focus will include:

WWI

MAIN

militarism

alliances

imperialism

nationalism

Three Emperors’ League

Triple Alliance

Entente Cordiale

Triple Entente

Archduke Francis Ferdinand’s assassination

Gavrilo Princip, Black Hand

“The Great War”/“The War to End All Wars”

Schlieffen Plan

new weaponry

Eastern/Western Front(s)

trench warfare

Unterseeboot/U-boat warfare

*Lusitania*

Zimmerman Telegram

Selective Service Act/“doughboys”

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Wilson’s Fourteen Points/League of Nations

“Big Four”

Treaty of Versailles

Russian Revolution

origins of the Revolution

Romanov dynasty

Alexander II & II; Nicholas II

Industrial Revolution in Russia

Trans-Siberian Railway

Karl Marx/Marxism; proletariat

Mensheviks v. Bolsheviks

Vladimir Ilyich Ulyanov [Lenin]/ the “Father of the Revolution”

Russo-Japanese War

Bloody Sunday

Duma

WWI

Rasputin

The March Revolution

Alexander Kerensky

“Peace, Land, and Bread”

Bolshevik Red Guards [Army] v. White Army

Leon Trotsky

New Economic Policy (NEP)

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR)

the Communist Party

Josef Stalin