

HISTORY

HOW DID WW2 BREAK OUT? Week commencing 23/3/2020



VOCABULARY

Ceasefire: to stop fighting temporarily

Treaty: a formal agreement between states

Damages: a sum of money claimed in compensation for loss or injury

Reparations: the action of making amends for doing wrong

Territory: area of land that is ruled by a state or leader

Catalyst: a person or an event that speeds up change

Strained: showing signs of nervous tension



LEARN

Follow the links below to find out what the USA, France and Great Britain wanted from Germany after World War I.

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mTxWiCBFAoI>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0jycVFL8CNM>



YOUR TASK

Please answer the following three questions:

1. What did the United States of America want from Germany? Why?
2. What did Great Britain want from Germany? Why?
3. What did France want from Germany? Why?

Now, imagine you are a German citizen in the 1920s. The war has ended, your country has been forced to take the blame and the economy is crashing. How would you feel and why?