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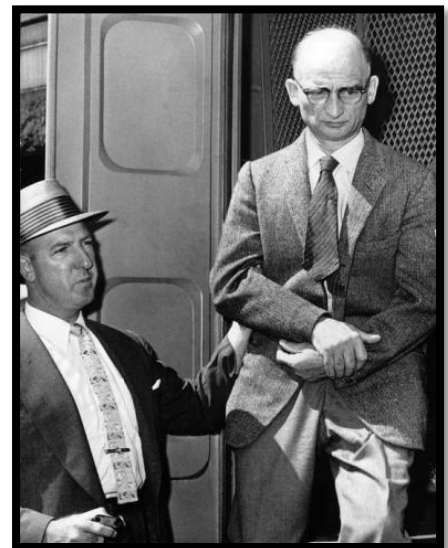
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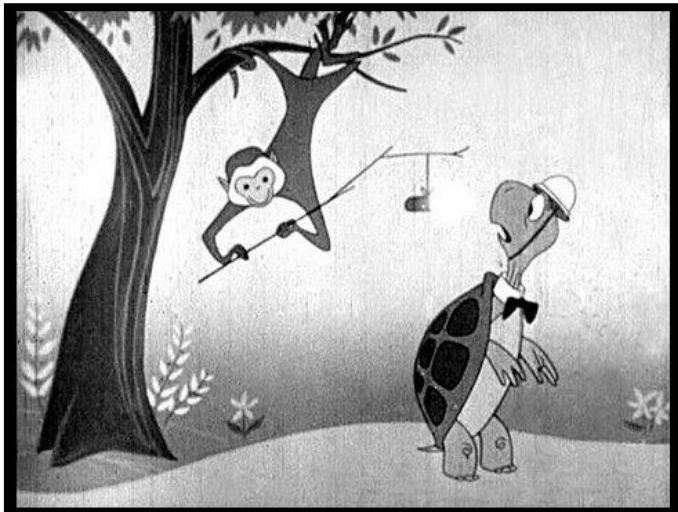
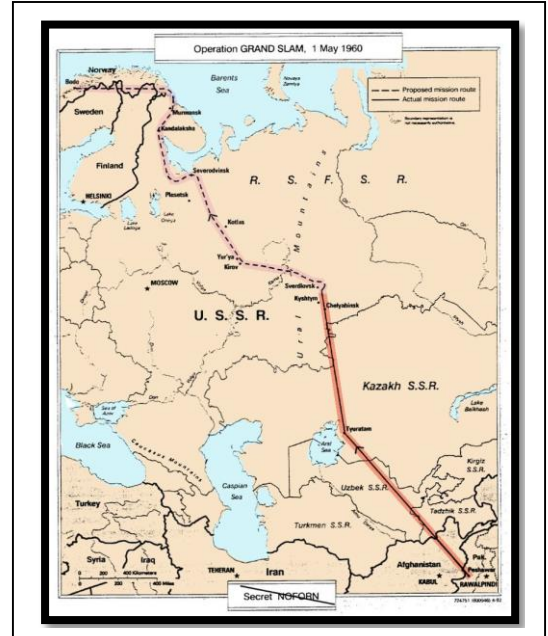
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A fake nickel with a coded note inside

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3. At the start of the movie James Donovan is an insurance attorney who is asked to defend Rudolf Abel. Why is it important Rudolf be seen as getting a fair trial? **American Justice will be on trial**

4. When James Donovan sits down to dinner with his family and tells them about the Rudolf Abel case they compare Abel to the Rosenberg's. Why does Donovan insist that Rudolf Abel is not a traitor like the Rosenberg's? Who are the Rosenberg's? **Julius and Ethel Rosenberg were U.S. citizens who sold atomic secrets to the Soviet Union betraying their country. Rudolf is a Soviet citizen so he is not betraying his country.**



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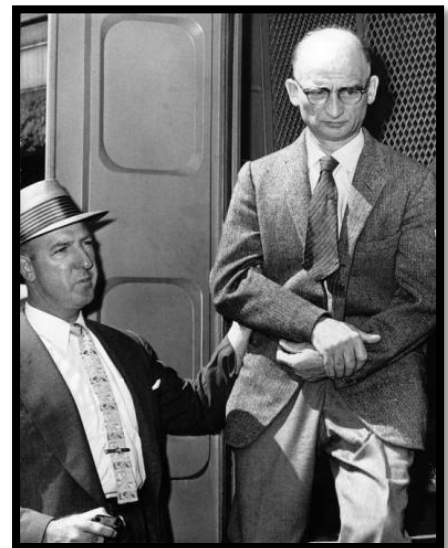
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10. How does the Judge respond to James Donovan's request to delay the Trial? **Not favorably – it is denied and the Judge expresses his hope for a conviction.**
11. Who is following James Donovan in the rain? Why? **C.I.A. agent Hoffman – wants Donovan to violate Attorney client privilege and inform the C.I.A. regarding Abel.**
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16. Why does James Donovan file a motion disputing the evidence gathered against Rudolf Abel? How does the court rule on this motion? **The evidence against Abel was gathered without a search warrant. The court denied the motion.**
17. How were children in the 1950's informed in school about the atomic bomb? **Survival techniques and Duck and cover**
18. How do people on the train respond to James Donovan when they realize he is defending Rudolf Abel? **Disapproval and condemning looks**
19. How does the Jury rule on the three counts against Rudolf Abel? **Guilty on all three counts**
20. Why does Rudolf Abel compare James Donovan to "The Standing Man"? **He receives setbacks but continues to fight on.**

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21. Why does Donovan visit the Judge at his home? **To talk to the Judge about the Sentencing**

22. Why does Donovan believe it is in the United States best interest not to execute Rudolf Abel?

To have someone to trade if a spy from the United States finds themselves in a similar situation in the near future.

23. How does Judge Mortimer Byers rule in the sentencing? **Imprisonment for 30 years**

24. What happens to James Donovan's home shortly after the sentencing?

Someone does a drive by shooting to intimidate Donovan and his family

25. Should it become necessary to abandon the aircraft over Soviet territory what instructions are the pilots given? **2.5 explosive charge in the fuselage – destroy the plane**

26. Why are the pilots given the silver dollar? **It has a pin hidden inside it and if they scratch their skin with it they will die instantly. Spend the dollar**

27. When Powers is shot down, is he able to push the self-destruct button in the plane? **No**



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28. How did the U.S. President attempt to explain the missing plane? **A NASSA weather plane had disappeared**

29. How did the Supreme Court rule in Rudolf Abel's Case? **Against 5-4**

30. What sentence does Francis Gary Powers receive from the Soviet Court? **10 years of confinement with first 3 years in prison**

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33. Why does the American Graduate student from Yale Frederic Pryor cross over to East Germany? **He is trying to help his girlfriend and her father cross the border to West Berlin**

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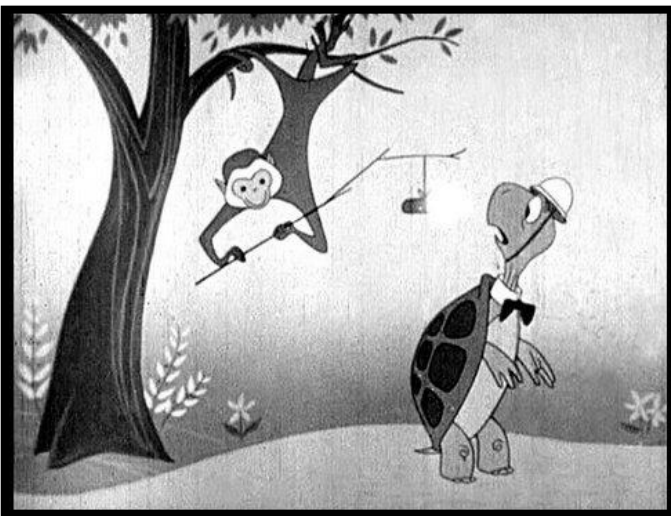
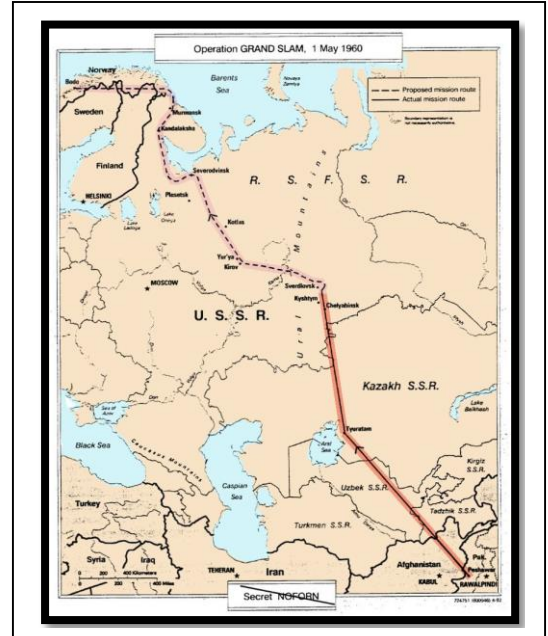
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36. Explain the dialogue between the Soviet representative and Mr. Donovan at the Soviet Embassy. **Mr. Donovan and the Soviet representative discuss the exchange of Powers for Abel. The meeting becomes tense as both men are deciding how to proceed.**

37. In the movie how is the Soviet treatment of Powers in prison portrayed? **Powers is treated poorly, Sleep deprived and interrogated constantly.**

38. When Mr. Donovan is riding in Mr. Vogel's car what happens? **Mr. Vogel drives too fast and because Mr. Donovan does not have the correct papers he is temporarily arrested and taken to jail.**

39. Mr. Donovan returns to East Germany to negotiate with the German leader. When Mr. Donovan is asked to leave what message is given to the young aid? **The deal is Abel for Powers and Pryor. No Abel if two men are not returned.**
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Checkpoint Charlie
41. Why is it possible that Abel will be shot by the Soviets?
If they believe Abel has given secrets to the west.
42. Following his return to Russia what happened to Rudolf Abel? **Reunited with his wife and daughter**
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Kennedy – Cuba – 1,113 prisoners from the Bay of Pigs invasion



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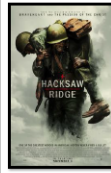
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11. Private Doss is introduced to the rest of his company by his sergeant as a C.O. How is he treated after they find out?

Desmond is interviewed and given a psychological review for a section B disqualify from the army. What is the result of this evaluation?

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4. What happens when Desmond tries to kiss the nurse Dorothy Doss after the movie? **She slaps him. She is upset that Desmond did not ask her first.**

5. Why is Desmond's father so upset about Desmond's brother signing up for military service? **Because his friends had been killed in WWI.**
6. What happened to Desmond's father's friend during WWI? **He was killed.**

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What is a C.O.? **Conscientious Objector**

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20. The movie quickly transfers to the Pacific and the island of Okinawa. Doss has a conversation with another medic. What advice does the medic give Doss regarding his white armband with a red cross? **Remove the medic arm band because the Japanese aim for it.**

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for survivors. How does Doss hide from the Japanese? **He hides under a dead soldier.**

25. As Desmond walks the battlefield he is chased by Japanese troops. Desmond goes into a tunnel and ends up where? **In an underground cave that is being used as a barracks for the Japanese.**

26. What phrase does Desmond repeat over and over as he is helping the wounded soldiers? **Please Lord Help me get one more.**

27. How does Doss react when he finally arrives at the bottom of the Ridge? **He is in relief but is in shock.**

28. What happened to the other medic? **Desmond is told he died of shock – because he was not given a chance to live.**



Desmond Doss

34. According to Doss where are the real hero's? **Buried over there.**
35. How old was Desmond Doss when he died? **37.**

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for survivors. How does Doss hide from the Japanese? **He hides under a dead soldier.**

25. As Desmond walks the battlefield he is chased by Japanese troops. Desmond goes into a tunnel and ends up where? **In an underground cave that is being used as a barracks for the Japanese.**

26. What phrase does Desmond repeat over and over as he is helping the wounded soldiers? **Please Lord Help me get one more.**

27. How does Doss react when he finally arrives at the bottom of the Ridge? **He is in relief but is in shock.**

28. What happened to the other medic? **Desmond is told he died of shock – because he was not given a chance to live.**



Desmond Doss

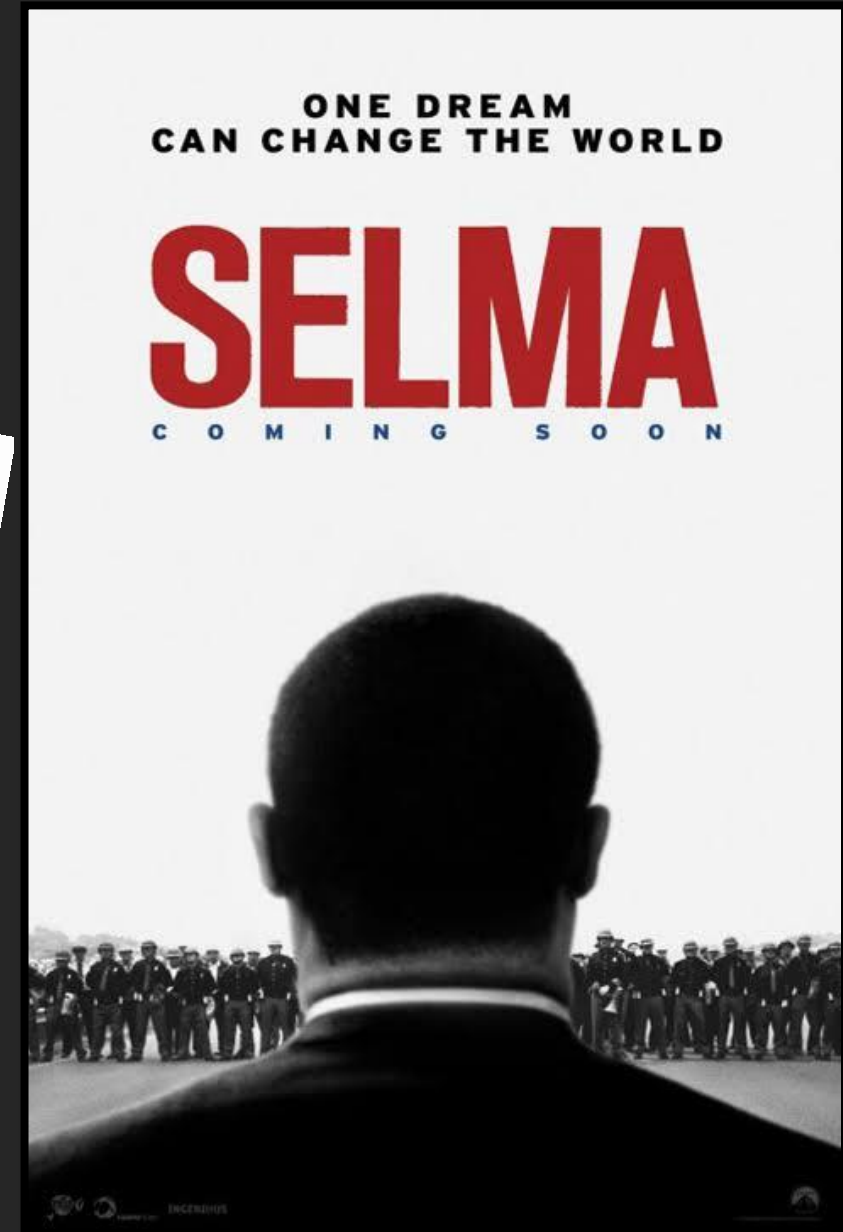
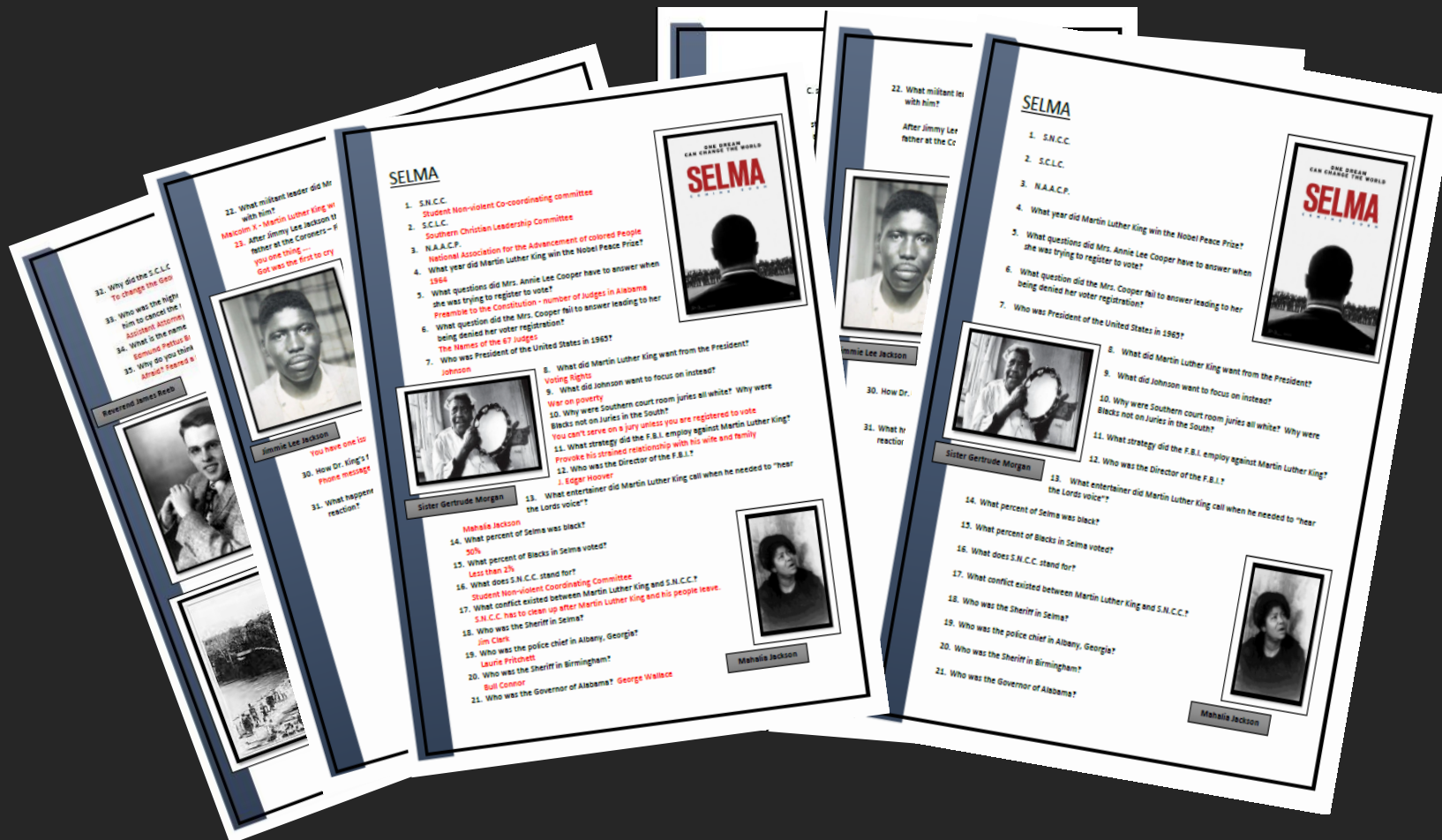
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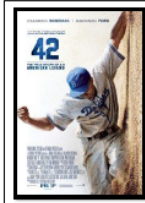
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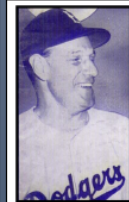


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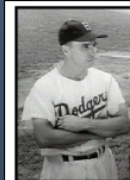


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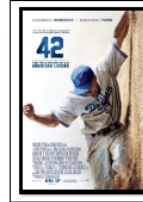
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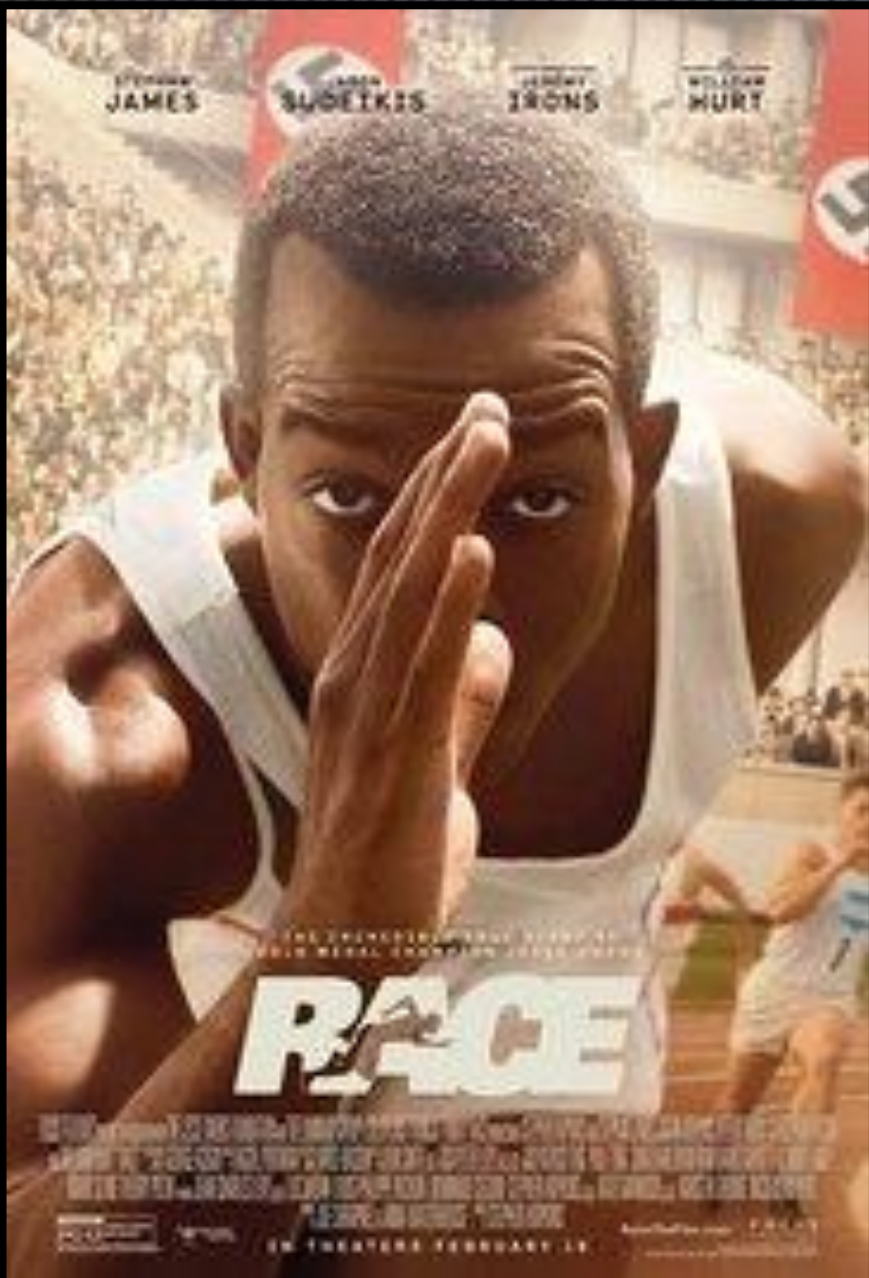
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Race is a 2016 biographical sports drama film about African American athlete Jesse Owens, who won a record-breaking four gold medals at the 1936 Berlin Olympic Games. Directed by Stephen Hopkins and written by Jon Shrago and Anna Waterhouse, the film stars Stephen James as Owens, and co-stars Jason Sudeikis, Jeremy Irons, William Hurt and Cateera Huston.

Owens's greatest achievement came in a span of 45 minutes on May 25, 1936, during the Big Ten meet at Ferry Field in Ann Arbor, Michigan, where he set three world records and broke a fourth, he equaled the world record for the 100 yard dash (9.4 seconds), and set world records in the long jump (26 ft 8 in or 8.13 m), a world record that would last 25 years; 220 yard (20.9 sec) (20.9 seconds), and 200 yard (20.9 sec) (20.9 seconds), becoming the first to break 20 seconds. In 2005, University of Central Florida professor of sports history Robert C. Cripeus chose these wins on one day as the most impressive athletic achievement since 1895.

1. Who was the Track Coach at Ohio State University when Jesse Owens attended the school?
Larry Snyder

2. What happened in the Ohio State Locker room between the Track Team and the Football team?
The football team did not want the black track athletes to shower with them after the white football player's win.

3. When Jesse Owens meets his Ohio State Track coach he is asked if he has a work ethic or knows how to work. How does Jesse respond to his coach?
He says he was picking over 100 lbs of cotton after when he was in prison cell. He is a fighter.

4. Why was the American Olympic Committee considering a boycott of the 1936 Olympics?
The American Olympic Committee was considering a boycott of the 1936 Olympics because of the situation in Germany.

5. Who was sent by the American Olympic Committee to Germany to observe the situation in Germany?
Avery Brundage

6. What type of part time job did Jesse Owens get to send money home to his family?
Jesse Owens worked as a janitor at the Ohio State University.

7. Who was Larry Reberstadt's boss?
Joseph Gombosi

8. Describe the what occurred during the meeting with Avery Brundage and Joseph Gombosi.
Very tense and awkward. An arrangement for a potential contribution project is discussed.

9. What did Jesse's track coach arrange for Jesse?
A trip to the Ohio State University.

10. How much did it pay a month?
\$60

11. What happened to Jesse three days before the big 10 championships?
Sprained his ankle.

12. How did Jesse do at the Big 10 Championship in a span of 45 minutes?
3:15 The 100 yard dash - 9.3 or 9.4 sec.
3:35 The 200 Yard Dash - 20.9 sec and a 100 yard World Record
3:45 The 200 Yard Dash - 20.9 seconds World Record
4:00 The 225 Yard Dash - 21.5 seconds World Record

13. Who does Jesse meet at the night club after his track meet on June 25th, 1936 at USC in Los Angeles?
Miss Quinella Robinson

14. What happened at the Nebraska track meet?
Jesse Owens won the 100 yard dash and the 200 yard dash.

15. Jesse returned to Cleveland to marry his high school girlfriend and mother of his daughter. What was her name?
Lillian

16. What happened at the US Olympic vote on December 23rd, 1935?
The committee voted to participate in the Olympics by a vote of 58-56.

17. Ohio State Representative visits Jesse's family on behalf of the NAACP?
No

18. How does Eugene Peacock help convince Jesse to go to the Olympics?
He convinces Jesse by showing him the Olympic Games and the American Olympic Committee's financial situation.

19. How many cameras does Larry Reberstadt request to use during the filming of the Olympic Games?
45

20. Are the Olympic athletes segregated in Germany?
No

21. How is Jesse Owens coach exposed to the other side of Germany?
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22. What do the runners do with the small hand shovels before the race?
They use them to dig up the track.

23. What happens to Jesse on his first two official attempts?
He fails both times.

24. After Jesse Owens wins his first medal who does Avery Brundage attempt to introduce Jesse to?
Carl Lutz

25. How long was Jesse's winning long jump?
7.94 meters or 8.06 meters

26. What is Owens winning 200 meter?
20.9 seconds

27. How does Gombosi force Avery Brundage to withdraw the two men from the relay team?
Gombosi threatens to tell the world that Brundage and the American Olympic Committee financially collaborated with Germany to win additional contribution contracts for a new German Embassy in Washington.

28. Jesse is placed on the relay team - does he have any experience with relay races? The relay team wins the 4x100 yard relay and sets a new world record of 38.8 seconds.

29. When did Germany invade Poland beginning WWII?
September 1, 1939

30. What happened to the German Track start Carl Lutz?
He and Jesse remained friends until Lutz died during the Holocaust.

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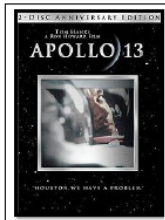
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April 9, 1970 - 2 Days prior to launch

9. Why is Ken Mattingly not allowed to go on the mission? Who is named as his replacement?
10. What happens the first time Jack Swigert goes into the flight simulator with his new crew?
11. What happens to Marilyn Lovell in the shower the day of the launch?

April 11, 1970 - Cape Kennedy, Florida

12. What happens to Gene Krass follow at the launch?

Launch Control Center Cape Kennedy, Florida

13. What happens to engine five shortly after launch?

Launch Control Center Cape Kennedy, Florida

14. Jim Lovell's daughter is upset about the breakup of what band? Look up the day's band breakup was announced.

Day 3 - April 13

15. On April 13 the crew was scheduled to be on national television. This broadcast was to occur as the crew was 200,000 miles above earth. Why was Branch Lovell - Jim Lovell's cousin, not able to watch the broadcast? The network dropped the broadcast as they claimed it was boring.

Day 3 - April 13

16. What happens when Jack Swigert dms the oxygen tanks?

Day 3 - April 13

17. What famous phrase was spoken by Jim Lovell?

Day 3 - April 13

18. When Houston decides to close the reactive valves to the fuel cell, what problem have they made regarding a lunar landing?

Day 3 - April 13

19. How long does it take to "fine up the LEM?"

Day 3 - April 13

20. The NASA workers start discussing options of direct ascent or using the Moon's gravitational pull to sling shot around the moon and get a free ride home. What decision is made?

Day 3 - April 13

21. The President asks NASA to give him odds the mission will have a safe return? What odds are given to the President?

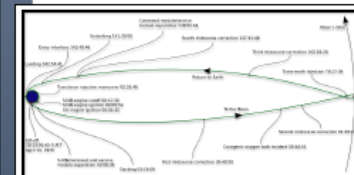
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22. What happens when the astronauts go into the shadow of the moon?

Day 3 - April 13



Gene Krass



23. How fast are they going and how far from the moon are the astronauts when they emerge from the dark side of the moon?
24. How many hours does NASA think the astronauts have before they run out of power?
25. Why does NASA not allow the astronauts any more waste dumps? They might get pushed off course by the venting.
26. A problem with Carbon Dioxide filters develops - what is the solution? Put a square bag in a round hole. Use the square cartridge available and put them where round cartridges are used.
27. Jim Lovell's family goes to visit Jim's mother Blanch. When Blanch is told an accident has happened, how does she respond to Jim Lovell's "squared" daughter? What does she say about a washing machine? If you could get a washing machine to fly, my daddy could land it.
28. What medical malady occurs? The crew takes off the medical monitoring equipment.



29. During day 4 the crew must correct their trajectory without the computer. If the crew is too steep they will burn up. If the crew is too shallow they will bounce off the atmosphere. How long do they have to get it right? Is it successful? 10 hrs. Yes.
30. The network sits at an old broadcast with Jim Lovell in which Lovell discusses a contact station when he had to land his plane on an aircraft carrier with no lights, a jammed radar, no usable landing signal available, low fuel and shorted out instruments. How did Jim Lovell find the carrier? The propeller plane being turned up by the carrier land Jim back.
31. When Jack Swigert is going through the procedure with Ken Mattingly and about to start flipping switches he calls Jack about all the conversation. Jim is concerned with the possibility of an electrical short. How does Jack describe the procedure? He describes it as trying to blow a toaster through a car wash.
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35. How hot does the heat shield get upon re-entry? 3000-4000 degrees Fahrenheit.
36. If heat shield is damaged it may have caused damage to the parachutes. If the parachutes do not open how far will the lunar re-entry vehicle hit the ocean? Just a gentle 20 mph but 300 mph.

37. What was the name of the South Pacific U.S. Naval Ship sent to recover the crew? USS Intrepid.
38. When a NASA administrator makes the statement that "This could be the worst disaster NASA has ever experienced", how does Gene Krass respond? With all due respect sir, I do believe this will be our finest hour.
39. Why was the mission called a successful failure? Safe return but not a successful lunar landing.



40. In the following month what was determined to be the cause of the explosion? A damaged cold bath inside the oxygen tank punctured during launch.

Unbroken Movie Guide
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The image displays four overlapping worksheets for the movie "Unbroken". Each worksheet contains a mix of multiple-choice questions, short-answer questions, and a paragraph about the movie. The worksheets are titled "Unbroken" and feature a small image of the movie's cover art. The questions cover various aspects of the movie, including the characters' backgrounds, the events of the war, and the characters' experiences in captivity. The worksheets are arranged in a way that shows they are part of a larger set of materials.

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1. Where did Zamperini attend college to run track?

2. What type of airplane was Zamperini flying when they went down?

3. What was his job on the plane?

4. What nickname did Louie get in school?

5. What was Zamperini's fastest mile in high school? Fastest mile at the time in America?

6. In the movie ... a moment of pain is worth a lifetime of what?

7. What mission was the crew on when they had to crash land into the ocean?

8. What Olympics did Zamperini attend? Where was it?

9. What American won four track gold medals at this Olympics?

10. How did Louie do in his event? Last lap time?

11. How many of the crew survived the initial crash?

12. How long did American pilot Eddie Rickenbacker admit at sea?

13. What happened during the storm?

14. What happened to the survivors on the 27th day?

15. How many days were the soldiers in the raft?

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5. Explain the reference to Munich and Appeasement that occurs several times throughout the movie.

6. Who is Robert McNamara?

7. Who is Robert (Bossy) Kennedy?

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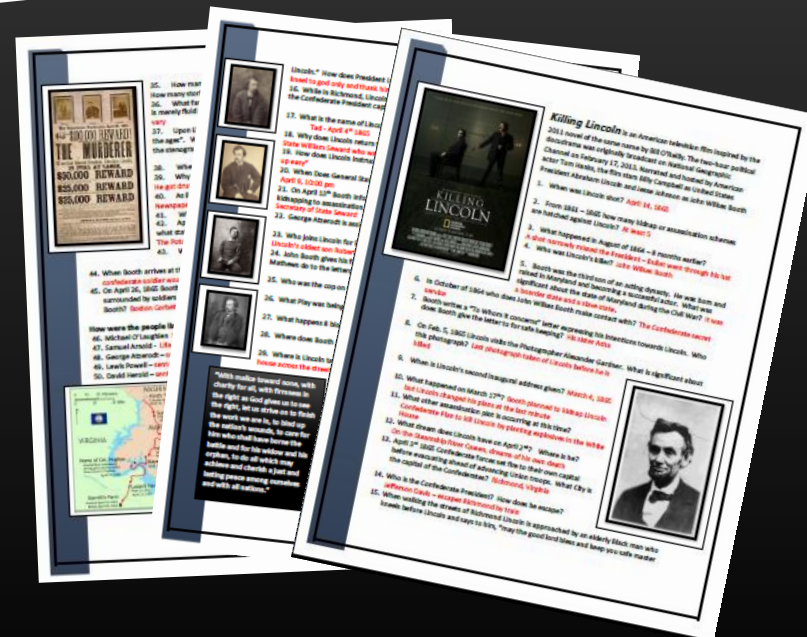
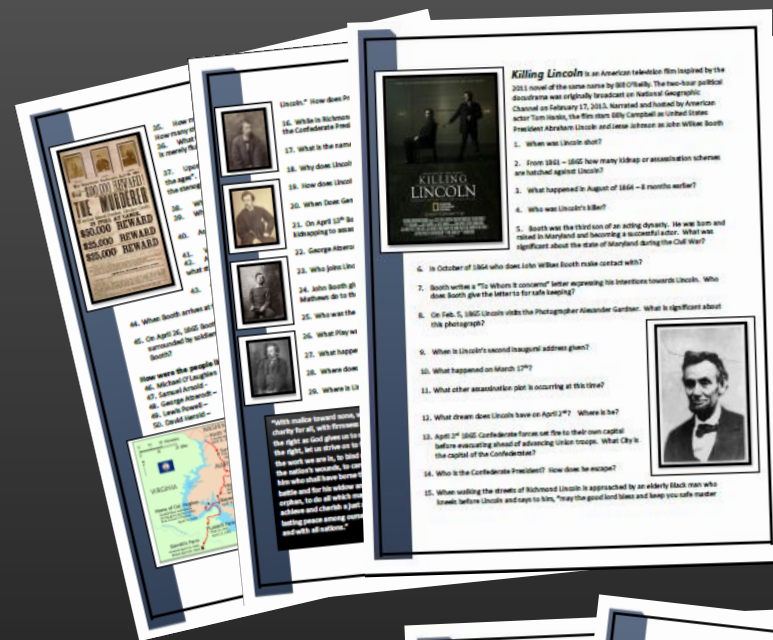
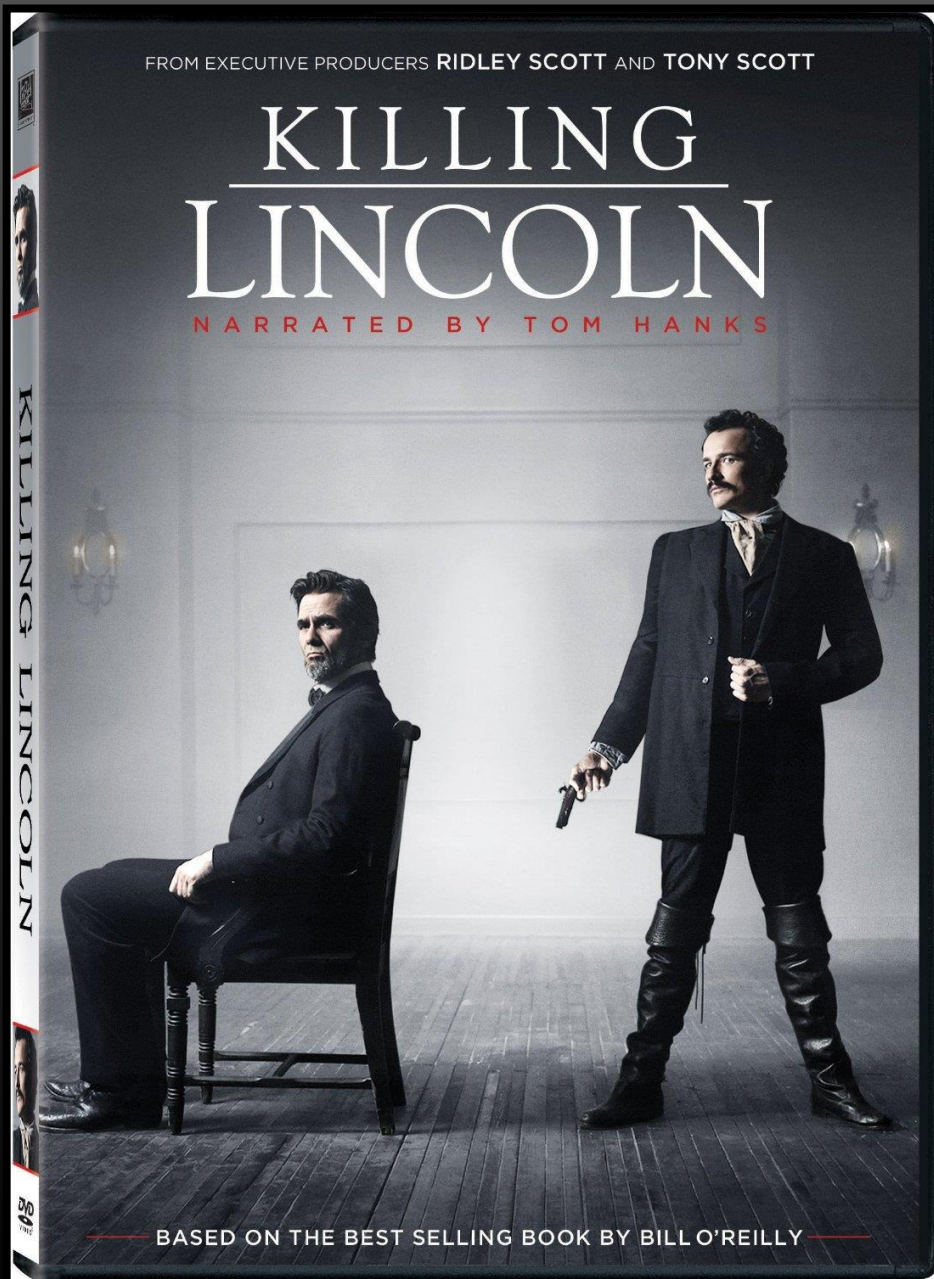
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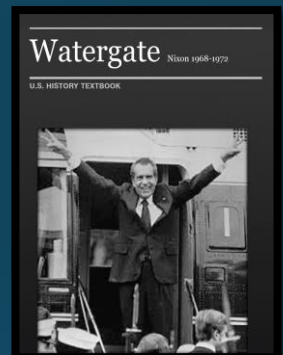
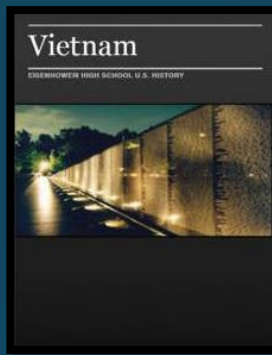
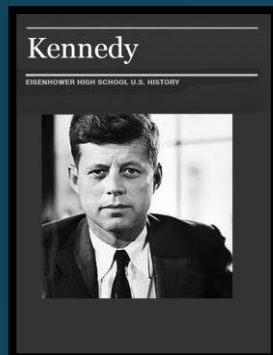
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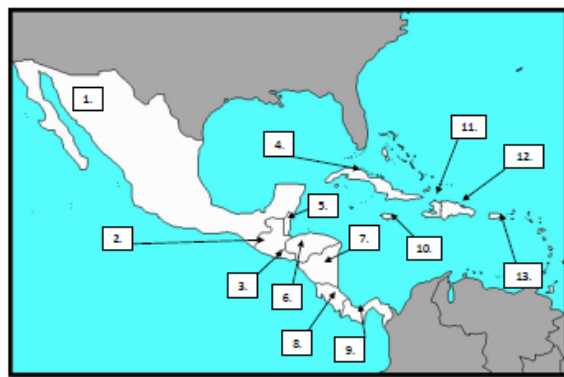


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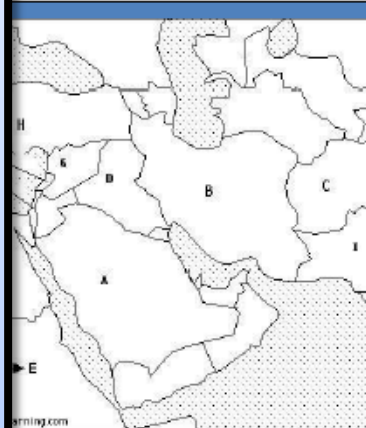
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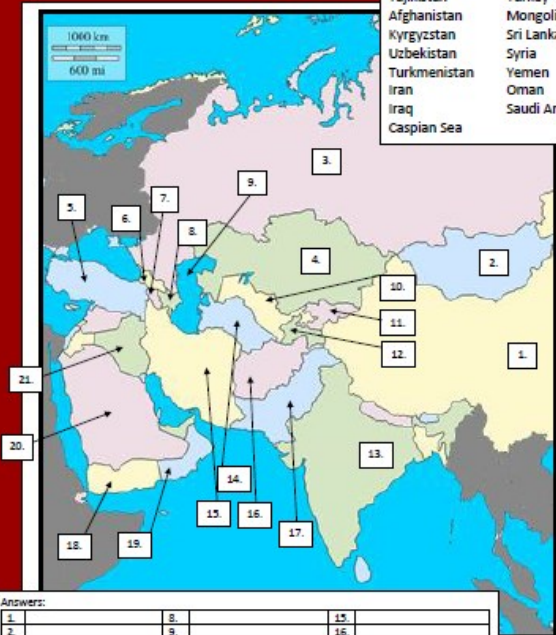
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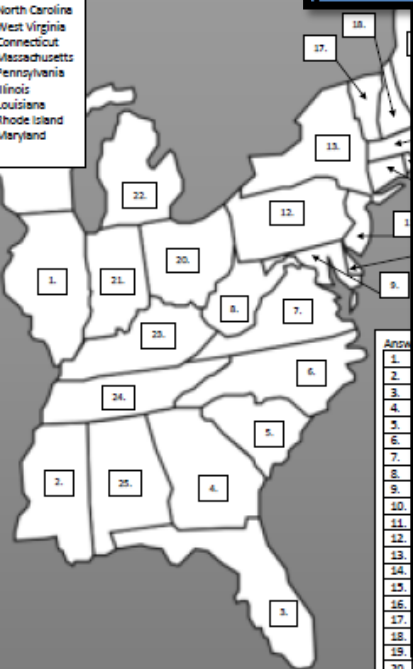


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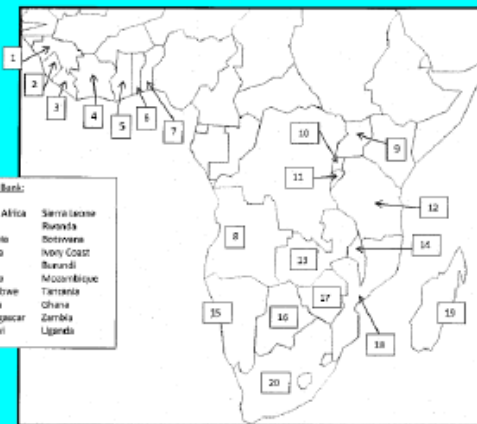
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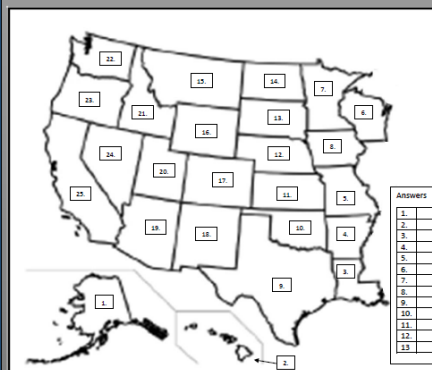
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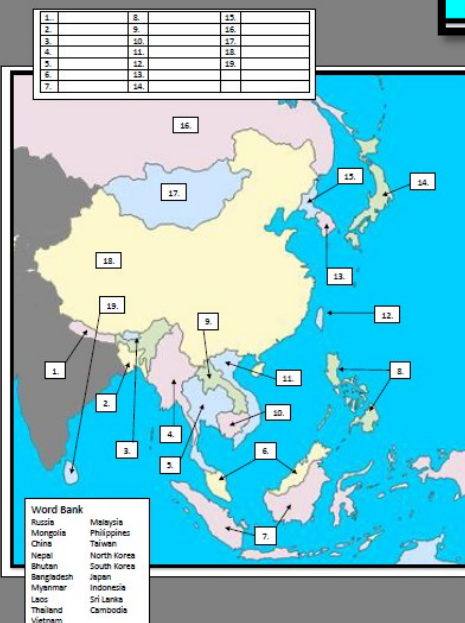
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U.S. Western States Map Test



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