

Pacific Theater Fill In Notes (part 2)

Japan Refuses to Surrender

- By 1945, the _____ were pushed back to Japan with no way to win the war
- They refused to give up and _____ soldiers made an invasion extremely dangerous

Truman becomes President

- President _____ died a month before the defeat of Germany.
- Vice President Harry S _____ became president. Although Germany surrendered a few weeks later, Truman needed to make many difficult decisions regarding the war as the battle with Japan _____

Einstein to the Manhattan Project

- In 1939, while working at _____ Institute for Advanced Study, Einstein was notified that German scientists had achieved atomic fusion by splitting heavy uranium with a neutron bombardment
- _____ physicist Leo Szilard tried to catch FDR's attention but he wasn't successful
- Einstein _____ his name to the letter

The Manhattan Project

- FDR set up _____ to study if it would work
- In 1941, America started the program to build the _____: The Manhattan Project
- Robert J _____ led the team at the New Mexico laboratory
- July 16, 1945 _____ the world's first atomic bomb

Truman's Decision

- A. _____ Japan with Allied troops; this would result in high deaths on both sides and an Unknown timeline
- B. Drop an _____ bomb out in the Pacific away from people to show Japan our military strength
- C. Drop the bomb without warning to " _____ " Japan into surrendering

Atomic Bombing

- _____, 1945
 - _____
 - _____,000- _____,000 die
- August 9, 1945
 - _____
 - _____,000 die
 - Thousands more effected by _____

V-J Day

- On the same day as the bomb is dropped on Nagasaki, the _____ invaded _____
- Emperor _____ ordered his government to surrender
- _____ day was _____

Changes in Japan

- _____ loses power and becomes figure head
- Japan becomes a _____ . Model their constitution after the United States
- Bill of _____ guarantees freedoms, women have the right to vote
- _____ says Japan cannot attack another country
- In 1951, peace treaty with Japan signed; US occupation ends
- US and Japan become allies

Summary:
