World War I Review

Choose one answer per question. Circle A, B, C, or D.

1. World War I opened in which year?
   A. 1914
   B. 1905
   C. 1917
   D. 1919

2. Which state declared war on Serbia on July 28, 1914?
   A. Italy
   B. Russia
   C. Austria-Hungary
   D. The Ottoman Empire

3. Which of these states fought with the Central Powers in World War I?
   A. France
   B. The Ottoman Empire
   C. Japan
   D. Serbia

4. Which U.S. president asked Congress for a declaration of war against Germany in April 1917?
   A. Warren Harding
   B. Theodore Roosevelt
   C. William Howard Taft
   D. Woodrow Wilson

5. Which event occurred after the fighting stopped on the Western Front in November 1918?
   A. The U.S. declaration of war against Germany
   B. The opening of the Paris Peace Conference
   C. The First Battle of the Marne
   D. The Gallipoli landings

6. Which September 1914 battle checked the initial German advance into France and is associated with the failure of the Schlieffen Plan?

A. First Battle of the Marne
B. Battle of Jutland
C. Battle of Verdun
D. Battle of Cantigny

7. On which peninsula did Allied forces including Australians and New Zealanders land in April 1915?

A. Jutland
B. Brittany
C. Crimea
D. Gallipoli

8. Germany’s Zimmermann Telegram proposed an alliance with which country if the United States entered the war?

A. Spain
B. Brazil
C. Mexico
D. Argentina

9. Which major 1916 naval battle involved Britain’s Grand Fleet and Germany’s High Seas Fleet?

A. Battle of Jutland
B. Battle of Dogger Bank
C. Battle of the Falkland Islands
D. Battle of Coronel

10. Passchendaele was another name for which World War I battle?

A. Battle of the Somme
B. First Battle of the Marne
C. Second Battle of the Aisne
D. Third Battle of Ypres

11. Which agreement ended Soviet Russia’s participation in World War I in March 1918?

A. Treaty of Lausanne
B. Treaty of Trianon
C. Treaty of Brest-Litovsk
D. Treaty of Versailles

12. Which September 1918 operation was the first major offensive led by General John J. Pershing’s American Expeditionary Forces?

A. Amiens
B. Saint-Mihiel
C. Vittorio Veneto
D. Cambrai

13. Which country joined Britain, France, and the United States in the group known as the Big Four at the Paris Peace Conference?

A. Russia
B. Japan
C. Belgium
D. Italy

14. Which late-1918 battle dealt a decisive defeat to Austria-Hungary on the Italian Front?

A. Vittorio Veneto
B. Meuse-Argonne
C. Passchendaele
D. Saint-Mihiel

15. Which statement describes the United States’ final relationship to the League of Nations after the Paris Peace Conference?

A. The United States joined before the treaty was drafted
B. The United States entered when the armistice was signed
C. Wilson advocated for it, but the United States did not join
D. Congress created it as an agency of the United States