

Guided Reading Activity

The logo for 'networks' features the word 'networks' in a bold, lowercase sans-serif font. A stylized graphic of intersecting lines forms a starburst or network pattern behind the letter 'o'.

World War I and Its Aftermath, 1914–1920

Lesson 3 *A Bloody Conflict*

Review Questions: Identifying Supporting Details

DIRECTIONS: Read each main idea. Use your textbook to supply the details that support or explain each main idea.

A. Main Idea: Powerful weapons devastated the European landscape and caused millions to lose their lives.

1. **Detail:** In 1914 warfare had changed with the use of powerful _____ guns.
2. **Detail:** To protect themselves from artillery fire, the troops _____ .
3. **Detail:** To break through enemy lines, the Germans used _____ and the British used _____ .
4. **Detail:** World War I marked the first time _____ and _____ were used in combat.

B. Main Idea: When the Americans entered into World War I, many Germans believed the war was lost.

1. **Detail:** The use of _____ at sea greatly reduced shipping losses and saved lives.
2. **Detail:** When Lenin took power in Russia, his first act was to _____ . This allowed Germany to _____ .
3. **Detail:** A massive U.S. attack led by _____ near the Argonne Forest pushed the Germans back.
4. **Detail:** World War I ended when the German government signed an _____ on November 11, 1918.

C. Main Idea: The peace treaty that officially ended World War I was called the Treaty of Versailles.

1. **Detail:** The peace plan after World War I presented by Wilson was called _____ . It called for the creation of a _____ and _____ instead of secret agreements.
2. **Detail:** The Treaty of Versailles punished Germany, demanding that it pay _____ of \$33 billion. It also reduced Germany's _____ and _____ it for the war.
3. **Detail:** The Senate _____ to ratify the Treaty of Versailles and so the United States did not join the _____ .

Guided Reading Activity *Cont.*



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Summary and Reflection

DIRECTIONS: Summarize the main ideas of this lesson by answering the question below.

How did World War I change the world?
