



The Holocaust

Answer the following questions !

What does the word "Holocaust" mean ? _____

What does the word "Anti-Semitism" mean ? _____

What kind of law did the Nazis pass in 1935 ? _____

What happened during the "Night of Broken Glass" ? _____

What did the Jews have to wear ? _____

Which ghetto became one of the most famous ? _____

What happened at the Wannsee conference? _____

Name some of the biggest concentration camps ? _____

What happened to the Jews in these camps ? _____

What other people did the Nazis kill ? _____

Who was Anne Frank ? _____

When did Hitler kill himself ? _____

What happened to the Jews after World War II ? _____

What are memorials ? _____



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Complete the text by filling in the correct words !

In the 1930s the National Socialist Worker's Party came to _____ in Germany. They wanted to get rid of all Jews in Europe because they thought they were bad.

When Hitler became _____ of Germany in 1933 , he passed many _____ that took away the rights of Jews. They had to wear a yellow _____ on their clothes. Many were afraid of the Nazis and tried to _____ .

Soon thousands of Jews were _____ and taken to special camps. Others had to live in _____ parts of cities , called _____ .

In 1942 the Nazis met near Berlin and decided that all Jews should be killed. All over Europe _____ were built. The biggest ones were in Poland.

Those who were lucky became _____ in these camps and had to work. But they didn't get enough to eat and many of them _____ . Most Jews were brought to gas chambers, which looked like big _____ . They were killed with _____ gas , then their bodies were burned.

Many countries that fought Hitler knew about the death camps but they couldn't do anything about them. When the _____ soldiers entered Germany in 1945 they _____ the concentration camps.

After the Second World War most Jews had no place to go. In 1948 the United Nations decided to give _____ Jews a new place to live—_____ .

Today there are museums and _____ all over the world that show the world the _____ that happened over 60 years ago.

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| Allied | laws |
| arrested | memorials |
| chancellor | overcrowded |
| concentration camps | poison |
| escape | power |
| freed | showers |
| ghettos | slaves |
| homeless | star |
| horrors | starved |
| Israel | |





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Put the sentences about the story of Anne Frank into their correct order.

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| | The Frank family started hiding in a secret room |
| | The Germans invaded the Netherlands and it was no longer safe |
| | The Germans discovered the hiding place and arrested the family |
| 1 | When Hitler came to power, the Frank family went to the Netherlands |
| | Anne and her sister were taken to Bergen Belsen. |
| | Anne's father set up a small company in Amsterdam. |
| | Margot got a notice that said she would be sent to a labour camp |
| | Anne caught typhus and died. |
| | After the war a book about Anne's life was published. |

Explain in English

to starve _____

slave _____

concentration camp _____

gypsy _____

to get rid of _____

chancellor _____

to liberate _____

Allied soldiers _____

to publish _____

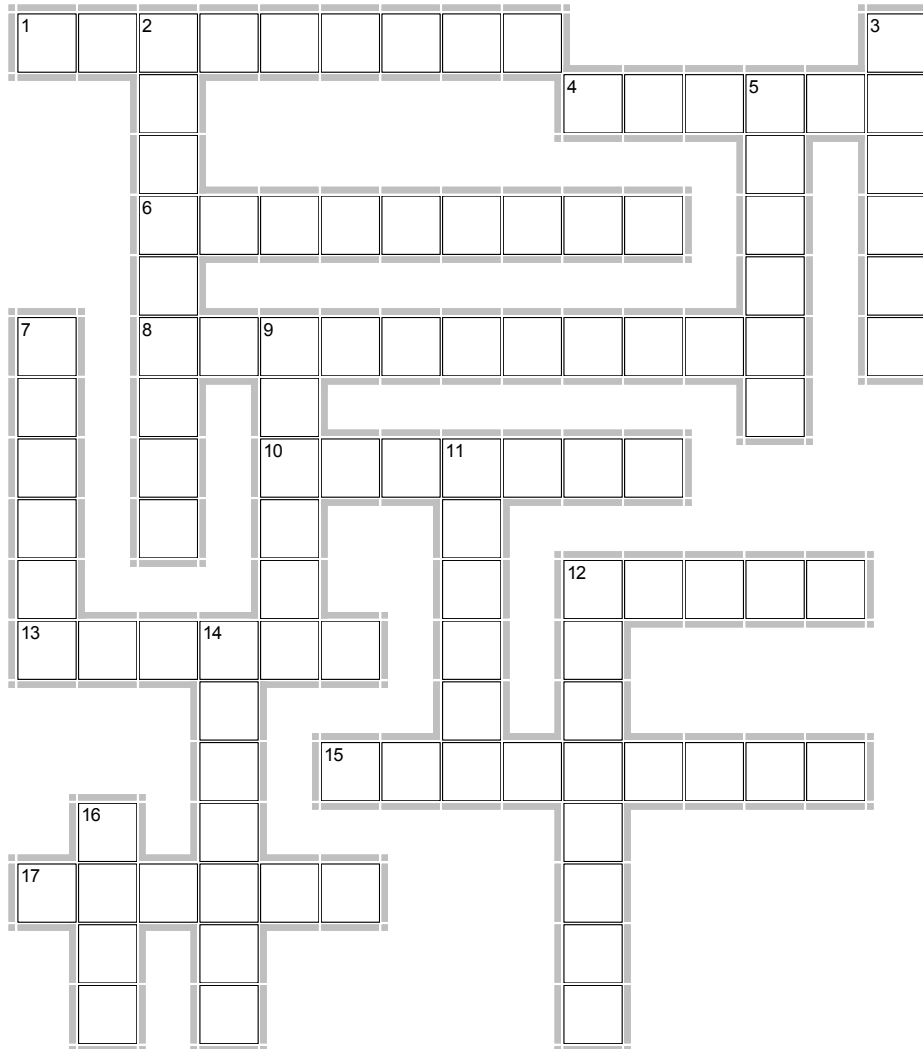
to realize _____

memorial _____



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Crossword—The Holocaust



Across

1. city where the Frank family hid
4. a piece of paper with information on it
6. famous concentration camp
8. filled with too many people
10. a person who belongs to a country and has rights there
12. every Jew had to wear the Star of _____
13. you stand under it and wash your body
15. the mass killing during the Second World War
17. city that had a famous ghetto

Down

2. a place where Jewish people meet to pray
3. something that only a few people know about
5. to enter a country and take control of it
7. a disease carried by insects that live on the bodies of people and animals
9. to get away from a dangerous place
11. state that was founded after World War II
12. to find something or someone
14. place near Berlin where a conference took place
16. short word for the people who ruled Germany from 1933 to 1945