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The End of World War II

**Directions:** Use the video and the notes to complete the information in your notes today. When you are finished, use the notes to complete your exit ticket.

**War Ends in Europe**

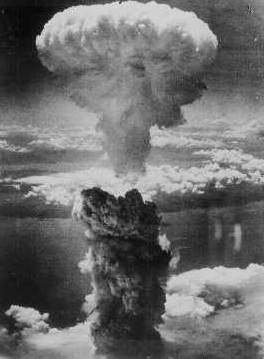
* List three events that helped bring World War II to a close in Europe:

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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**The Germans Surrender**

* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ reached Berlin first
* Adolf Hitler found dead in a bunker—a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Berlin surrendered on May 2, 1945: Germany five days later
* Victory in Europe (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) proclaimed May 8, 1945 after 6 years of fighting

**War Ends in the Pacific**

* Final Battles
  + By mid-1944, regular bombing raids on Japanese cities, including Tokyo
  + Great distance made raids difficult, dangerous
  + Americans needed bases closer to Japan
* List three battles that helped end the war in the Pacific:
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The Atomic Bomb
  + After Okinawa, mainland \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was next
  + **What two cities were targeted by the atomic bombs?**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* + Emperor Hirohito surrendered on August 15, 1945. This day is known as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for Victory in Japan.
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was finally over.

**The Post War World**

The Allies planned for the end of the war for years!

Complete the chart below to describe the plans the Allies had for how the world would look after the Second World War:

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| **Conference/Meeting Name** | **Year** | **Results** |
| Atlantic Charter |  |  |
| Tehran Conference |  |  |
| Yalta Conference |  |  |
| United Nations Charter |  |  |
| Potsdam Conference |  |  |

**List some of the major effects of World War II:**

* **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
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