



The Third Reich DVD – In Class Part 1

Note: When viewing this film, pay close attention to **who** is saying each of the quotes used.

1. This is not the story of how Adolf Hitler gained power. It's the story of how and why the German people _____ power to him.

The Rise of the Third Reich

2. The 1919 Treaty that ended the First World War had _____ clauses. _____ were devoted to punishing Germany.
3. If you were German in 1919, your peace was humiliation and _____.
4. Money was _____.
5. What appeared everywhere?

<input type="radio"/> money	<input type="radio"/> wealth beyond belief	<input type="radio"/> "saviors" offering hopeful solutions
<input type="radio"/> new homes	<input type="radio"/> strong moral thinking	<input type="radio"/> Christian spiritual awakening

A Man to Lead the Fatherland (1923-1928)

6. Hitler had persuasive lines about

1 – German _____
2 – Rights for _____
3 – A New _____
7. On November 8, 1923, Hitler tried to incite _____ from a Munich Beer Hall. (This is referred to as "The Beer Hall Putsch".) Sixteen of his followers were _____.
8. At this point, Hitler became... a national figure a National Socialist an alcoholic
9. What symbol did the National Socialist Party adopt to inspire the people? _____

Now Build Your People (1929)

10. The National Socialists (Nazis) filmed their party rally in Nuremberg. At this rally, Hitler consecrated the _____ by touching them to a bloodstained swastika from his revolution.
11. When Wall Street in America had its stock market crash, the German economy prospered crashed too.
12. Within a year of the Wall Street crash, the National Socialist (Nazi) Party became

<input type="radio"/> the smallest political party in Germany	<input type="radio"/> one of the largest political parties in Germany
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13. Germany descended into misery and called loudly for a _____.
14. If you were a German and you wanted change, you had two choices:

1 – join growing number of _____
2 – join the growing _____ (National Socialist) Party

Vote for Hitler (1932-1933)

15. The National Socialist (Nazi) campaign pamphlets appealed to the German

<input type="radio"/> worker	<input type="radio"/> father	<input type="radio"/> mother	<input type="radio"/> businessman
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16. In 1932, Hitler ran for the German

<input type="radio"/> Senate	<input type="radio"/> House of Representatives	<input type="radio"/> Chancellor	<input type="radio"/> Presidency
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17. On March 13, 1932, Hitler got 11 million votes and [won lost] the election for the presidency of German.
18. In less than a year, on February 10, 1933, Hitler became the _____ of Germany. (a non-elected position)

19. According to Hitler's speech, what is the task of politics?
- to build up a master race
 - to overcome divisions for the greater good
 - to elevate the superior people and undermine the inferior
20. After Hitler's first radio broadcast, what happened to the membership application requests for the Nazi party?
- _____
21. On February 28, 1933, two weeks after Hitler became Chancellor, what happened in Berlin?
- the people threw a party for Hitler's Birthday
 - someone set fire to Germany's Parliament
 - Berlin was bombed by the Soviets

Howl with the Wolves (March 1933)

22. Do historians know exactly who set fire to Reichstag? Yes No
23. Who did Hitler blame for the fire of the Reichstag? Hitler blamed his rivals – the _____
24. The press said that the fire had been set as a signal to Communist cells all across Germany to rise up and revolt.
25. Hitler was not one to "waste a crisis", so within only 24 hours of the Reichstag fire, freedom of the _____, freedom of expression, and freedom of public _____ were suspended.
26. Within days of the fire, thousands of _____ were arrested.
27. March 23, 1933 - It took Hitler only _____ days from being named the Chancellor to have all the power.

No Harm Whatsoever (April 1, 1933)

28. Were *all* Jewish people concerned about Hitler and the harm that would come to the Jews under the Nazis? Y N
29. By April 1, 1933, the Nazis boycotted all _____ businesses in Germany.
30. Most Jews in Germany thought of themselves as Germans primarily Jews primarily

Sing, Attack, and Triumph (April-December 1933)

31. By the end of 1933, _____ Germans had been arrested. At least _____ of them were murdered while in police custody.
32. In the story where the man was beaten to death for owning a gun, was the gun actually found as evidence against him? Yes No

I Have Done Nothing Wrong (January 1934)

33. In 1934, the Socialist leaders began preventing German parents with undesirable traits from _____
34. You could be forcibly _____ for anything considered a flaw.
35. At least _____ Germans were sterilized for _____, epilepsy, homosexuality, mental depression, alcoholism, _____, sexual promiscuity, and physical deformity.

Absolute Obedience (February 1934)

The Socialist collective oath of allegiance chanted by the people:

36. "I swear to _____....
37. steadfast loyalty to _____...
38. and to him, absolute _____."

39. Is this oath of allegiance like the American Pledge of Allegiance? In the American Pledge of Allegiance we “pledge allegiance to the _____ of the United States of America and to the _____ for which it stands.”
40. What was the mandatory German greeting learned at school? “ _____ !”
41. What happened to adults who did not say the mandatory greeting? _____

One People, One Germany, One Fuhrer (September 1934)

42. The National Socialist (Nazi) Party Rally of 1934 was particularly special. The most influential piece of Nazi propaganda ever made was filmed there. It was a movie entitled “ _____ of the _____.”
43. Within a year of this film, Adolf Hitler was named Time Magazine’s _____ of the _____.
44. Beginning in 1935, *Triumph of the Will* was required viewing in all German _____.
45. Today the film is _____ in Germany.

A Beast That Smells Blood (Sept 1935)

46. The Nuremberg Laws: In speaking about the new Jewish laws passed, Hitler said, “*This law is an attempt to find a legislative solution. If it fails, it will be necessary to transfer the problem to the National Socialist Party for a _____ solution.*” – Adolf Hitler

According to the new law...

47. Jews were no longer German _____
48. Marriage between Germans and _____ was now outlawed

The First Olympiad of Our New Era (August 1936)

49. The Olympics was held in what city that year? _____
50. Did the Nazis hide their policies from the visiting tourists who came to Germany for the Olympics? Yes No
51. For the first time in three years, what was available?
 cigarettes foreign newspapers contemporary music albums
52. Signs prohibiting Jews from public places were _____
53. Which country won the most Olympic Medals that year (with 89)? _____
54. Which country came in second (with 56)? _____

Fuhrer, We Belong to You (1936)

55. By 1936, all children over the age of 10 were required to join the _____
56. In the song the Hitler Youth sang, they sing that they belong to _____.
57. According to the story of one family, their son had been taught he belongs to the _____ first and to the _____ second.
58. 8 million young people had taken the oath: “I swear to devote myself to _____ I am willing and ready to give up my _____, so help me, God.”

A New and Proud Generation (1937)

59. “In the eyes of our beloved leader, the _____ is the most important person in the nation.”
60. Participation in the Hitler Girls Camp was mandatory optional
61. In 1936, nine hundred girls came home from the Nuremberg Rally _____. Unwed mothers were known as “The _____ Brides.”

62. Did the National Socialistic policies and practices strengthen or weaken the German family?

- strengthen weaken

The Newest Annex of the German Nation (March 1938)

63. On March 12, 1938, Hitler took over what country? _____

64. Most Austrians ...

- wanted Austria and Germany to be united
 wanted Austria to remain separated from Germany

65. Within days of Hitler taking over, 70,000 Austrians were sent to _____.

Plans for World Conquest (Summer 1938)

66. In Munich in July of 1938, the Nazis held a 72 hour festival dedicated to German _____

67. According to a shocked American journalist, the trend in German _____ was eroticism.

68. After the 3 day art orgy, they held a 6 mile, 3 hour parade celebrating two thousand years of German culture, and at the end, it was _____-stepping soldiers that brought the spectators to their feet.

69. In less than twelve weeks, Hitler moved to invade neighboring _____

70. To leave Germany, a person had to pay next year's _____ in advance.

71. Jews who left Germany were forced to leave behind _____ % of their assets.

72. Confiscated Jewish wealth would fund at least _____ % of the German war effort.

Peace or War (September 1938)

73. Hitler demanded that _____ give a large portion of its land to the Third Reich. If this country refused, Hitler vowed to invade.

74. What did Hitler do on the evening of September 27, 1938? _____

