World War II
Outcome: The Pacific Theater

1. Setting the Stage: Aggression in Asia
   a. 1931: Japan invaded ____________ (NE province of China rich in _________)
   b. 1937: Japan invaded _______ who was experiencing a ________________
   c. Japan needed _______ _________ especially _____ to be #1 in Asia

2. Attack at Pearl Harbor
   a. Japan had hoped to cripple the _______________
   b. Several U.S. carriers were __________ when Japan attacked on Dec. 7, ‘49
   c. Japan also attacked _______, _______ Island, _____________ Island, and the
      Philippine Islands on the same day
   d. Once the home front ________________ hit high production, Japan truly did awaken a
      _______________

3. Doolittle Raid
   a. ______________ led a raid on Tokyo with _______ bombers
   b. Helped boost American __________
   c. Showed the Japanese were not ________________
   d. Inflicted __________ _______ to the city

4. Island Hopping
   a. The Supreme Allied Commander for the Pacific Theater was Gen. ______________
   b. The U.S. adopted the Island Hopping or ________________ strategy moving from
      island to island
   c. The Fighting in the Pacific was ________________ for several reasons:
      i. _______ degree heat ---> humidity caused _____________ & _____________
      ii. Many ________________
      iii. Japanese motto “__________________________”
      iv. ________________ attacks: suicide attacks damaged 300 ships and caused
      15,000 casualties

5. Key Victories for the Allies
   a. Battle of ________________
      i. Japanese hoped to use Midway as a base to ________________
      ii. ___________ of _____________ in the Pacific shifted towards the Allies
   b. Battle of __________________
      i. The Japanese advance was ________________
      ii. All _______________ shifted to the __________
   c. Battle of __________________
      i. ________ Japanese killed and ____________ U.S. lives lost
      ii. Put Americans ___________________________ of Japanese home islands

6. Possible ________________ for Finishing off the ________________
   a. ________________ which could cost over 1,000,000 Allied soldiers
   b. Use of the ________________ (secret)