

“Britain Declares War on Germany”

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Watch the clip above and answer the questions in the spaces provided.

1. In which month and year did Britain declare war on Germany?

2. After losing World War One, Germany were punished in several ways. Can you give three examples of punishments they suffered as a result of defeat in World War 1?
 - i)

 - ii)

 - iii)

3. What “hit” in 1929 and how did this effect people all over the world, in particular in Germany?

4. Who became the German Chancellor in 1933?

5. What name is given to the terrible hate campaign and massacres inflicted against the Jewish people by the Nazis?

6. What was Hitler’s aim for Germany?

7. Which country did Germany occupy in 1939?

8. What did this mean for Britain and France?

9. What did British Prime Minister, Neville Chamberlain, announce on 3rd September 1939?

10. Give two examples that show that Britain had been preparing for war and expecting it before it was announced in 1939?
 - i)

 - ii)

11. Everyone had to play their part in wartime. What did Princess Elizabeth train as?