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Mr. Ott - Global History

Russian Revolution Webquest

Task #1

Directions: Below you will find a number of significant figures/players in the Russian Revolution. After each figure's name is a website you need to visit. After you read about each political figure, summarize (in your own words) 3 to 5 things you believe is significant about each.

1. Vladimir Lenin http://www.biography.com/articles/Vladimir-Lenin-9379007

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2. Karl Marx http://www.biography.com/articles/Karl-Marx-9401219

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3. Joseph Stalin http://www.biography.com/articles/Joseph-Stalin-9491723

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4. Leon Trotsky http://www.biography.com/articles/Leon-Trotsky-9510793

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5. Czar Nicholas II http://www.biography.com/people/nicholas-ii-21032713

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6. Bolsheviks http://www.infoplease.com/encyclopedia/history/bolshevism-menshevism.html

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

7. White Russians http://www.spartacus.schoolnet.co.uk/RUSwhite.htm

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

8. Proleteriats http://www.wisegeek.org/what-is-marxism.htm

a.

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Task #2

Directions: Explore the sites listed below which discuss different systems of social organization. After you have explored the site, give a 3 to 5 point summary (in your own words) of the important elements of each system.

1. **Communism** http://www.diffen.com/difference/Communism_vs_Socialism

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2. **Socialism** http://www.diffen.com/difference/Communism_vs_Socialism

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3. **Totalitarianism** http://worldbookonline.com/student/article?id=ar562260&st=totalitarianism

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Task #3

Directions: View the three part video on the Russian Revolution.
(Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on "The Russian Revolution-part 1/3" to begin)

Task #4

Directions: Based on your research, and the video that you watched, how would you describe the Russian Revolution? Write a newspaper article describing the Russian Revolution. Your article should include a brief description of some of the major figures, events causes and effects of the Revolution.

(type your newspaper article here)

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