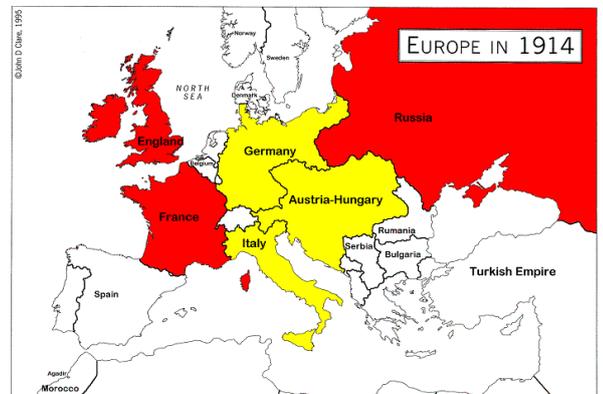


GCSE History

Conflict and Tension 1894-1918



Europe in 1914

Label the countries and colour
in the two alliance blocks.



The Triple Entente =
The Central Powers =

Europe in 1914

Country	Strengths	Weaknesses
Great Britain		
France		
Russia		

Why did it make sense for these countries to be allies?

Europe in 1914

Country	Strengths	Weaknesses
Germany		
Austria-Hungary		
Italy		

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The Arms Race

What can you remember about the Arms Race?



Hint: Think about leaders involved; the military production levels; how it contributed to conflict.

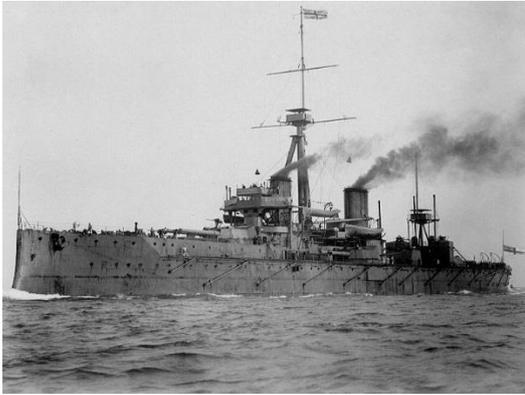
The Outbreak of War

What can you remember about the events that led to the outbreak of war?

Date	What happened?
Before 1900	
1900-1905	
1905-1910	
1911	
1912	
1913	
1914	

Cause of WWI: Militarism

What can you remember about Militarism?



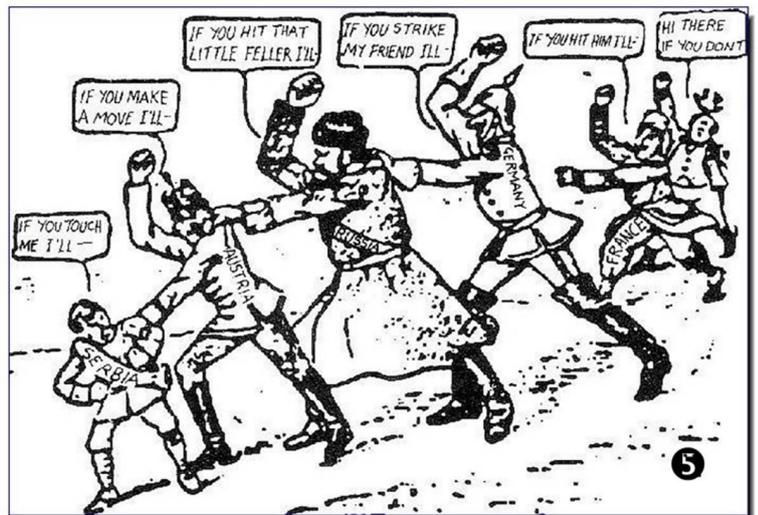
Defense Estimates of the Great Powers, 1870–1914
(in millions of pounds)

	1870	1880	1890	1900	1910	1914
Germany	10.8	20.4	28.8	41.0	64.0	110.8
Austria-Hungary	8.2	13.2	12.8	13.6	17.4	36.4
France	22.0	31.4	37.4	42.4	52.4	57.4
Great Britain	23.4	25.2	31.4	116.0	68.0	76.8
Italy	7.8	10.0	14.8	14.6	24.4	28.2
Russia	22.0	29.6	29.0	40.8	63.4	88.2

Source: A.J.P. Taylor, *The Struggle for Mastery in Europe: 1848–1918*.
Oxford University Press (adapted)

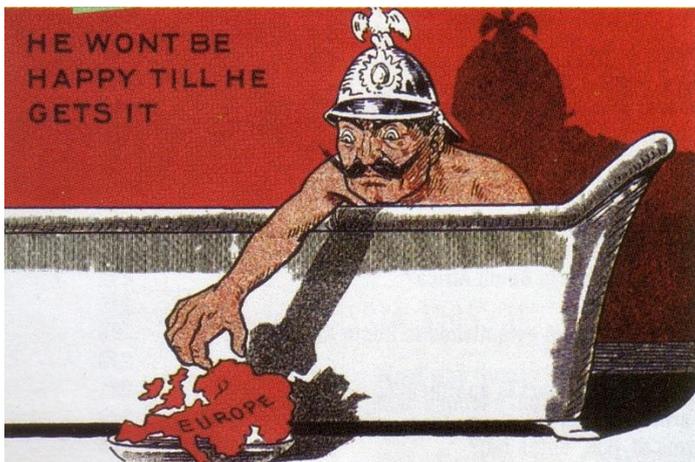
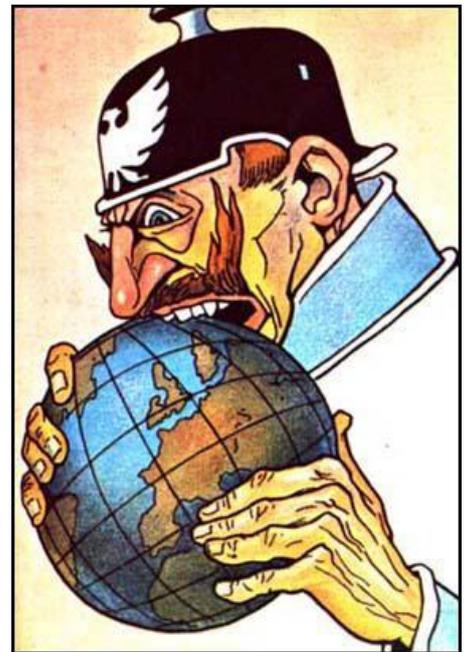
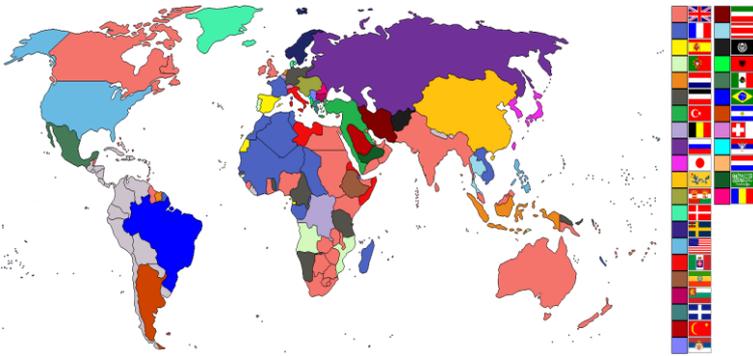
Cause of WWI: Alliances

What can you remember about Alliances?



Cause of WWI: Imperialism

What can you remember about Imperialism?



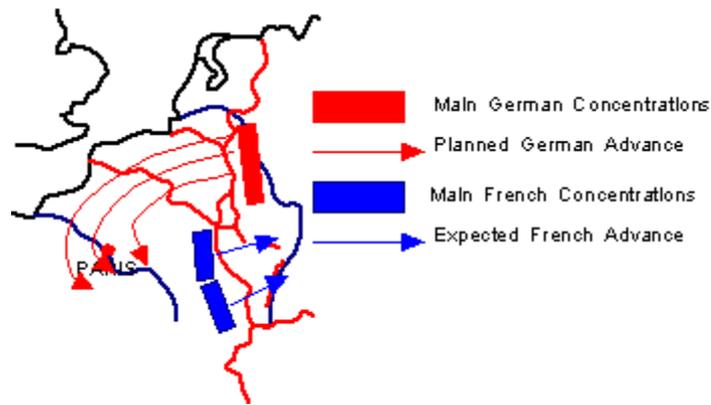
Cause of WWI: Nationalism

What can you remember about Nationalism?



The Schlieffen Plan: The Plan!

SCHLIEFFEN PLAN

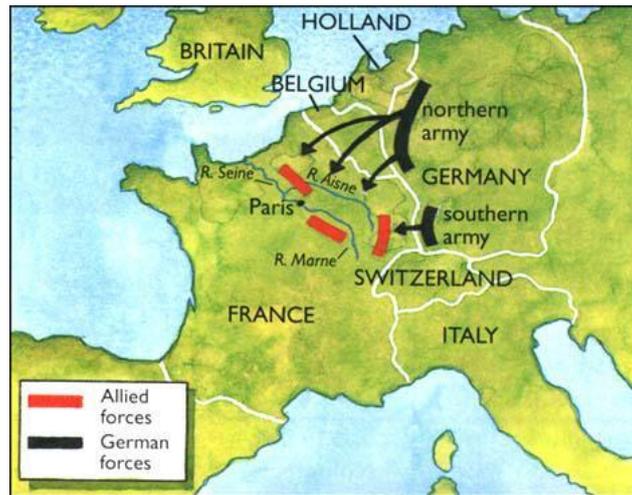


Paris for lunch, dinner in St.
Petersburg.

— *Wilhelm II* —

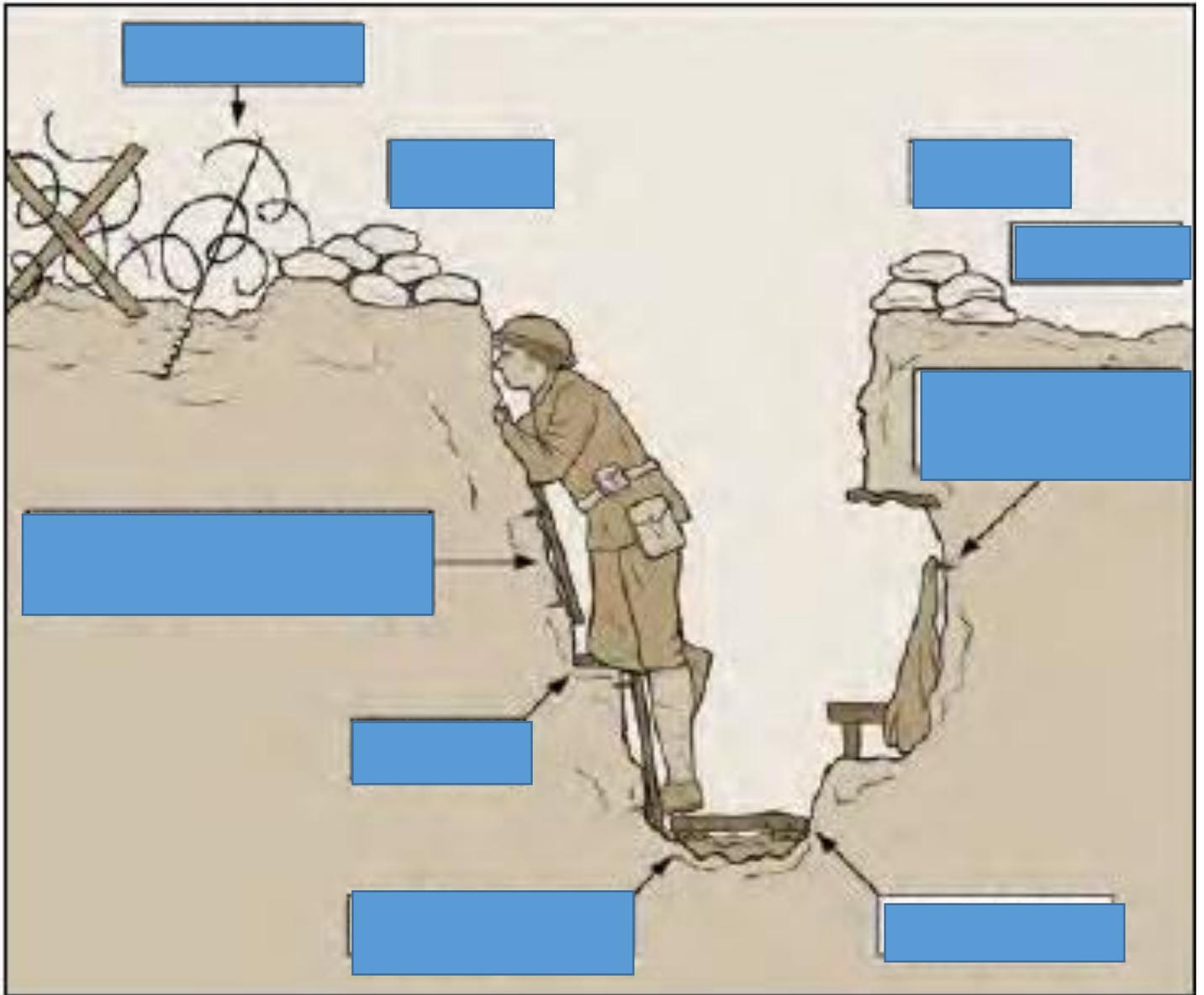
What was the theory of the Schlieffen Plan?

The Schlieffen Plan: The Reality!



What actually happened? What did this lead to?

Trench warfare



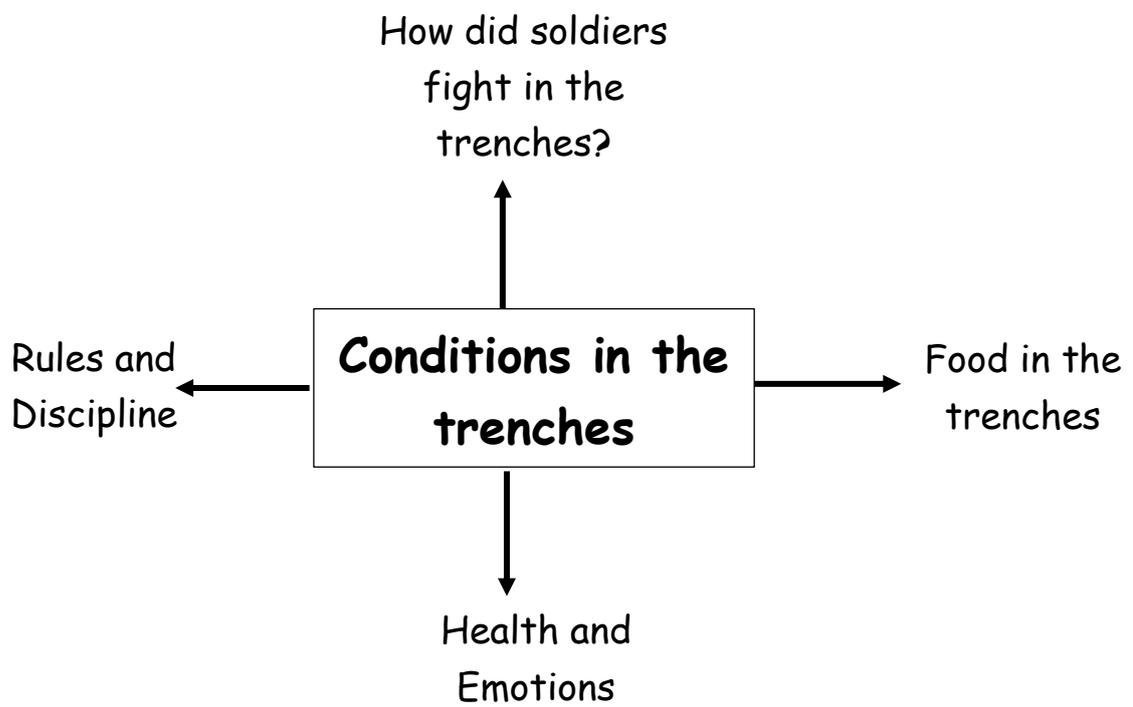
Can you identify the different parts of the trench?

What was their purpose?

A British soldier

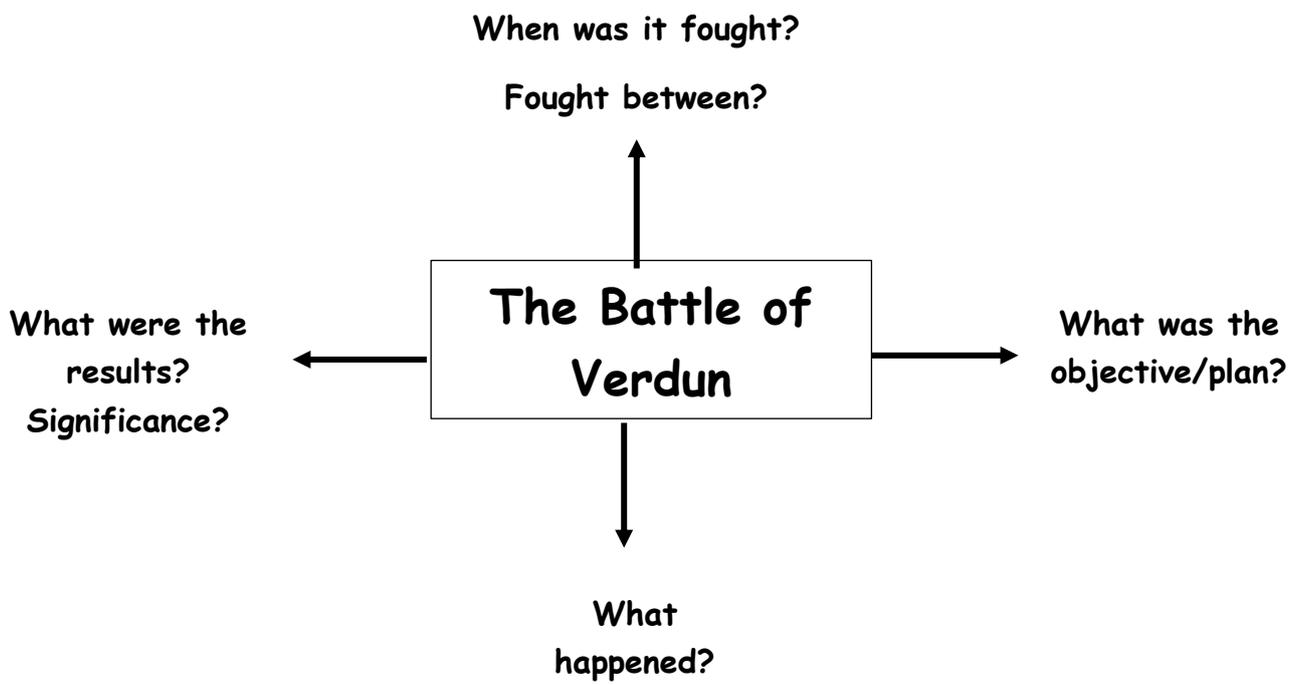


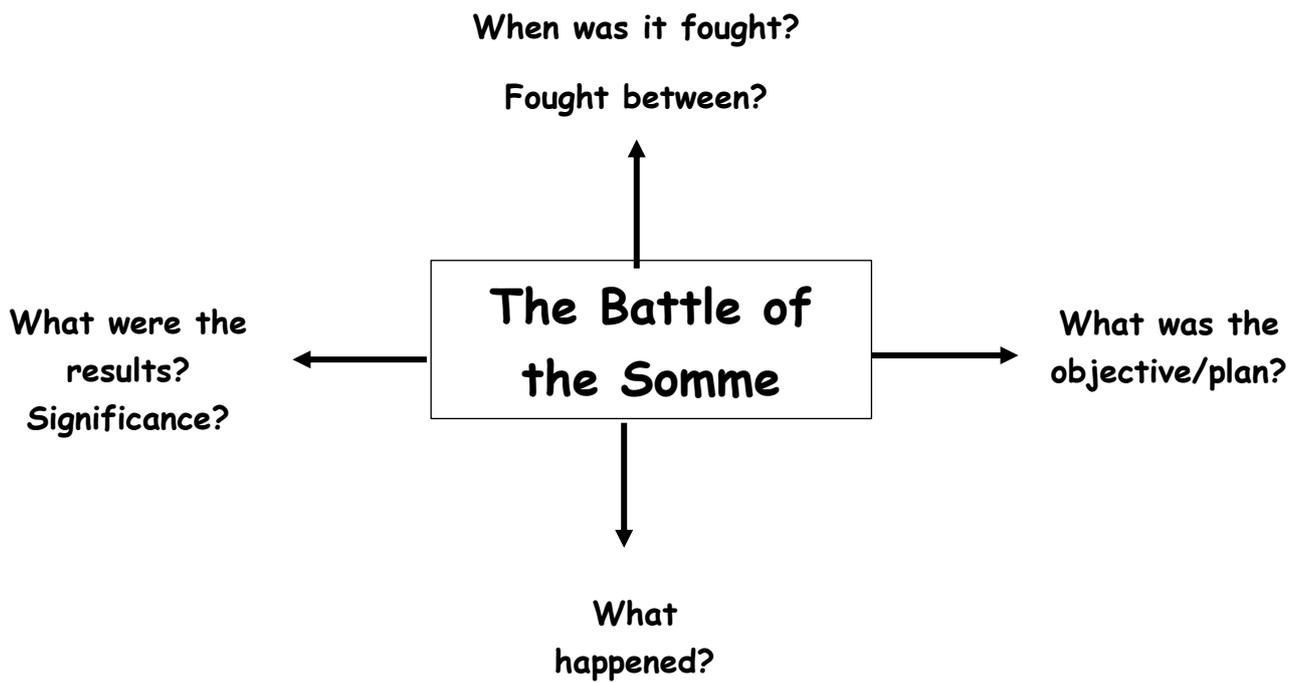
Can you label the clothes and equipment that a soldier would be given?

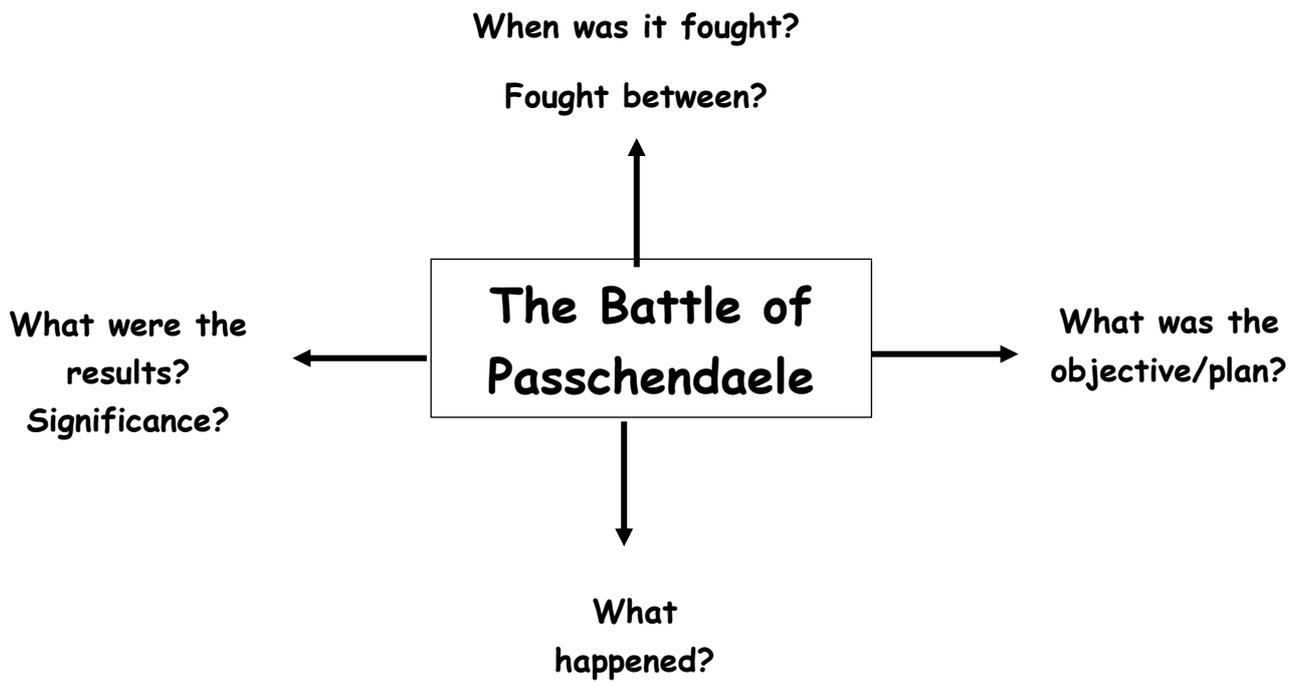


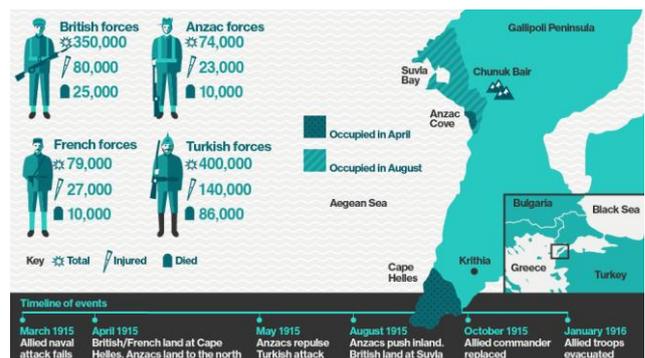
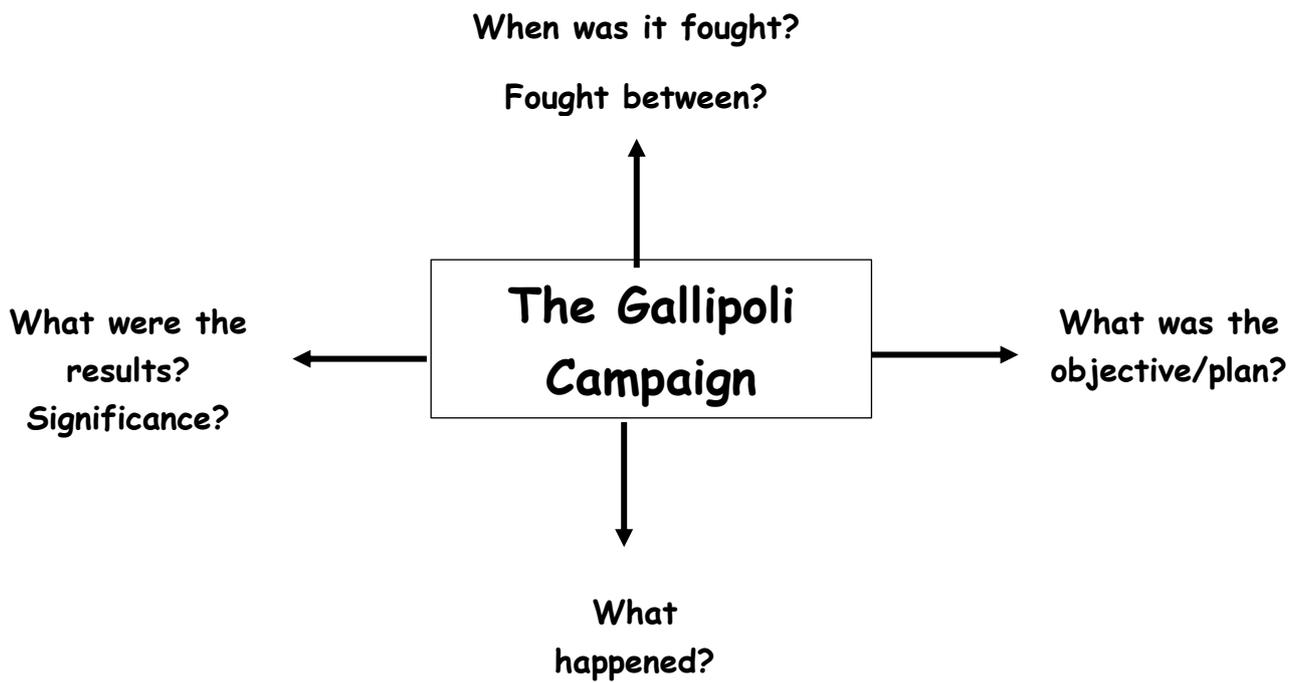
Weapons and Technology

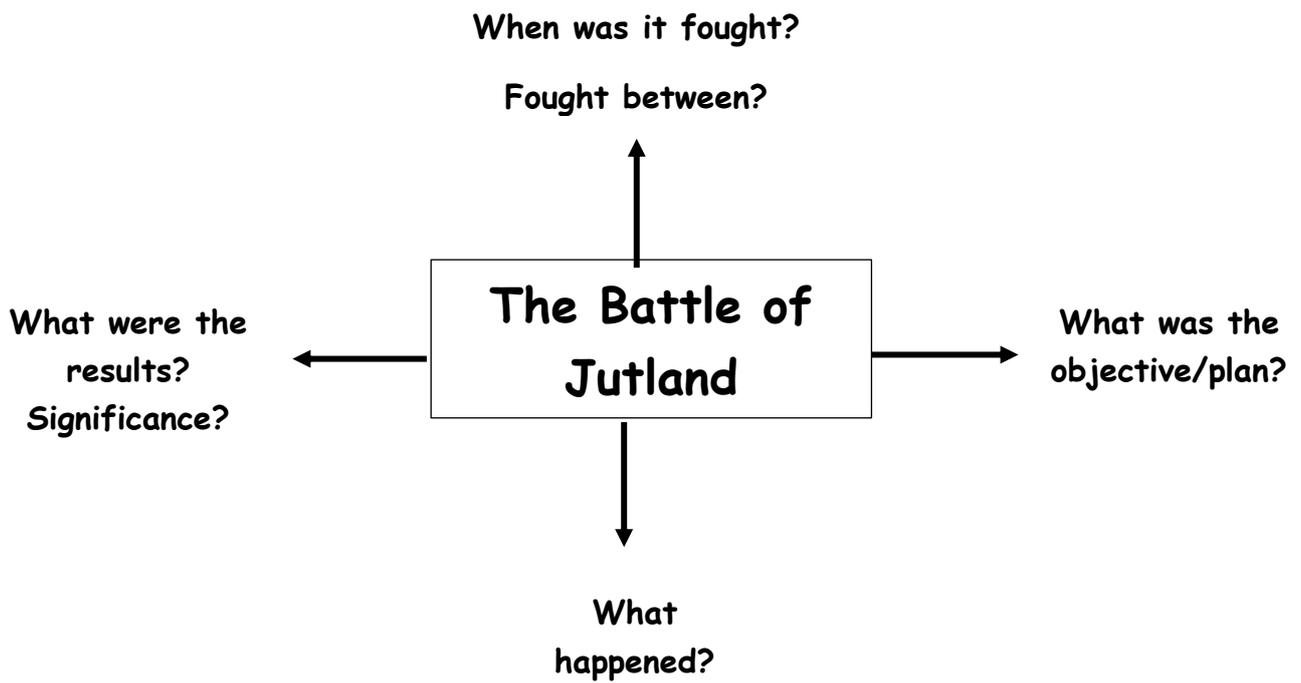
	Artillery	Machine guns	Poison gas	Tanks	Aircraft
					
What was it?					
How was it used? What was its purpose?					
How successful was it? What was its impact?					
How was it developed between 1914 and 1918?					











The end of the war

Date	What happened?	How did it help to end the war?
1915		
1916		
1917		
1918		

The Armistice

What can you remember about the Armistice?



Field Marshal Douglas Haig



What was his role in World War One?

Why was he important?

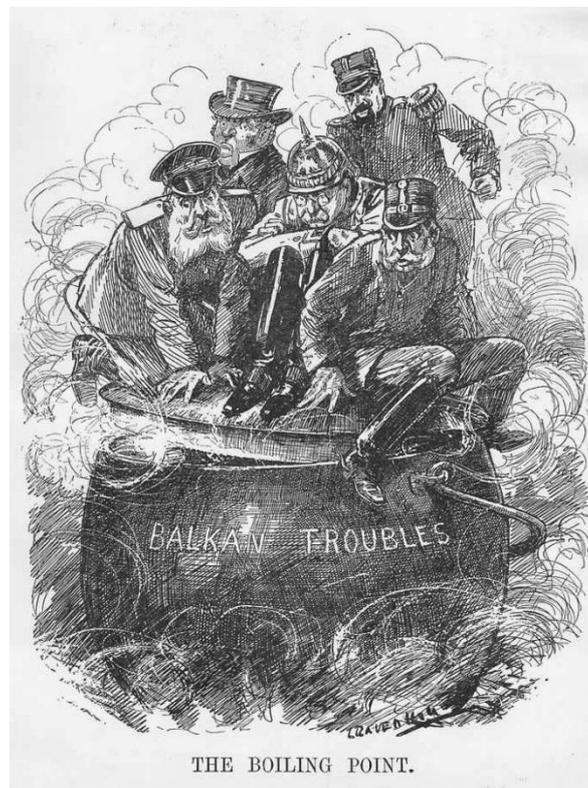
General Ferdinand Foch



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Have a look at the cartoons about World War One. What are the hidden messages?







BITING MORE THAN HE CAN CHEW.

Illustration: August 1, 1914. E.W. Johnson. The N.Y. Observer.



POKER AND TONGS:

OR HOW WE'VE GOT TO PLAY THE GAME.

Kaiser. "I GO THREE DEADBOUGHTS."

John Bull. "WELL, JUST TO SHOW THERE'S NO ILL-FEELING, I RAISE YOU THREE."

