

### **America Joins the Fight**

1. When did the United States officially enter World War II? What event caused them to enter the war and who did they declare war against?
2. What do you think the Tripartite Pact was? What do you think was the pact's significance in relation to whether the United States entered the war?
3. What did President Roosevelt and Winston Churchill decide the top priority for their nations would be in World War II? Why do you think they decided on that?
4. Who were the commanding British, and then American, generals for the Allies in Africa? Explain what major events took place that led to Allied victory in Africa.

5. What happened in Stalingrad? What is the significance of the outcome of the events that happened at Stalingrad?
6. Describe Winston Churchill's reaction to the United States entering WWII.
7. What did Winston Churchill say regarding other countries feelings on the U.S. military?
8. What does Winston Churchill believe England and the United States can achieve together? Explain.
9. Winston Churchill quoted Edward Grey as saying the United States is like "a gigantic boiler. Once the fire is lighted under it there is no limit to the power it can generate..." What do *you* think Edward Grey is trying to say through this statement?