

Part 1: The World We Live In

1. If history is merely “the study of the past,” what problem do people have? What is the *History At Our House* definition of history?

2. Label the major cultural *blocks* indicated that are part of the world we live in, and answer the prompts in the briefest way you can.

mother country: _____

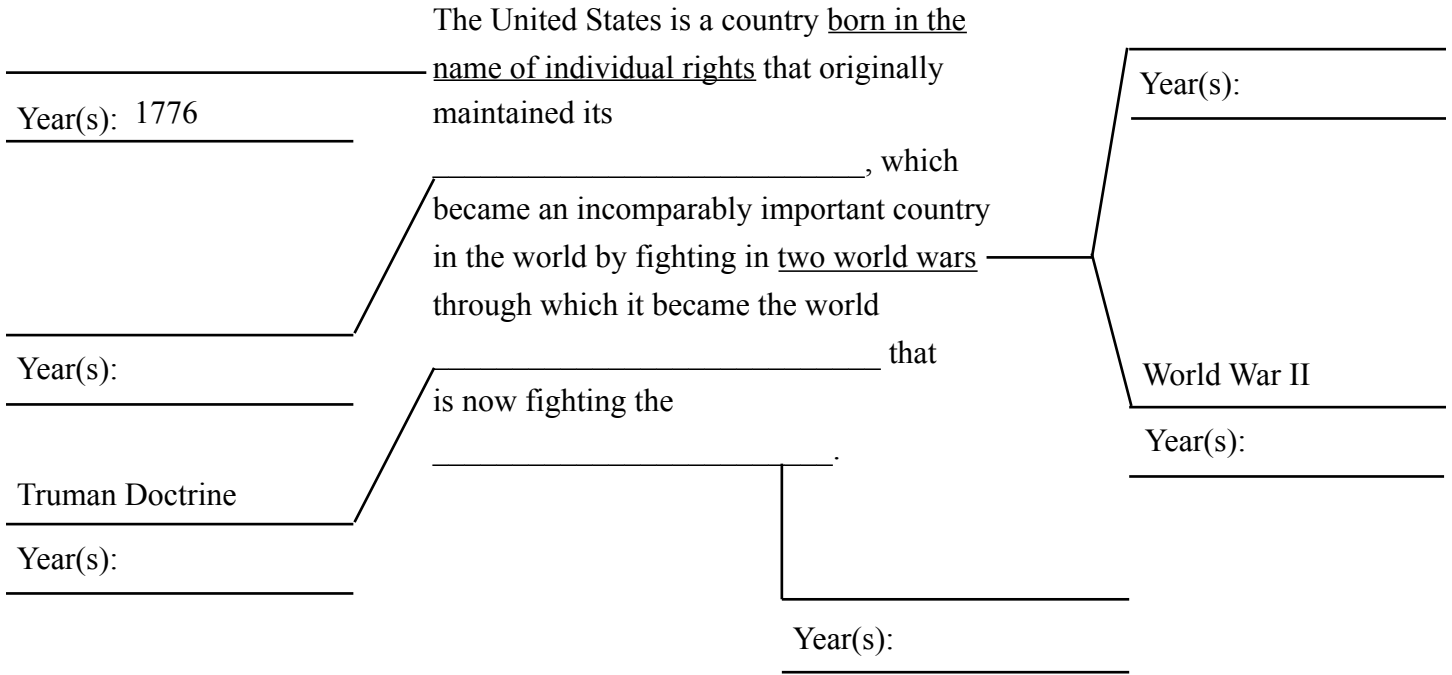
concept of religious war in this block: _____

European mother countries: _____

former champion of: _____

Part 2: The Cardinal Anchor Facts of American History

3. Use the prompts below to write the information requested about the cardinal anchor facts of American history.



4. Who was re-elected president by Americans on the slogan “*He has kept us out of war.*” What did he do next that changed the course of history. What famous quote is the symbol of this change?

5. What country became America’s enemy *after* World War II? What kind of government did it have? What did America become when it chose to contain the threat of this country’s form of government around the world?

Part 3: Two Dimensions and Two Stories

6. What are the *two* differences between early American and modern America we have learned?

Part 4: Bonus

7. What three rights are listed in the *Declaration of Independence*?

8. What president promised a “return to normalcy” after World War I?

9. What law abolished slavery in the United States?
