**The Holocaust**

**January 30, 1933 to May 8, 1945**

Definitions

**Holocaust:** an act of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (especially in war or by fire); "a completely burned sacrifice”

**The Nuremberg Laws**: constitutional laws provided for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_of German Jews from German non-Jews

**Ghettos**: A part of a city set aside by the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to contain only Jews, which was heavily guarded and lacking in food, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, heat, housing, and health care

**Adolf Hitler (1889-1945)**

* Leader of the National Socialist (Nazi) Party
* Appointed chancellor of a coalition cabinet in 1933—immediately set up a dictatorship
* On April 30, 1945--\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Death Totals**

* **6 million Jews**
* **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ children under 12**
* These groups make up 5 of the 11 million lives lost

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**11 MILLION KILLED**

**Timeline of the Holocaust**

**1933**:

**1934:** Hitler becomes Führer after German President von Hindenburg dies

**1935**:

**1936 Olympics**

**1938:**

Nazi troops enter Austria (200,000 Jews)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“The Night of Broken Glass”)-- A massive, coordinated attack on Jews

Many Jews are sent to concentration camps after the attack

**1939:**-Nazi troops seize Czechoslovakia (Jewish pop. 350,000)  
-Jews lose rights as tenants and are relocated into Jewish houses  
-Nazis invade Poland (Jewish pop. 3.35 million, the largest in Europe)  
-England and France declare war on Germany  
-Yellow stars required to be worn by Polish Jews over age 10

**Dec 7, 1941 -**

**Dec 11, 1941 –**

**1942:**

* Mass killings of Jews by gas chambers at Auschwitz-Birkenau
* SS Einsatzgruppe A reports a tally of 229,052 Jews killed

**1943:**

* The number of Jews killed by SS Einsatzgruppen passes one million
* Allies land in Sicily.
* Continuation of Jews being sent to concentration camps

**As the end nears….**

**June 6, 1944 -** D-Day: Allied landings in Normandy

**Oct 30, 1944 -** Last use of gas chambers at Auschwitz.

**1945:**