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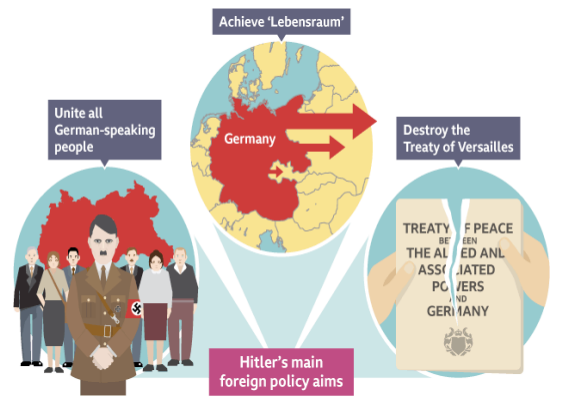
Y9 Summer 2: WW2

	Keyword	Meaning
1	Evacuation	Evacuation is when people move to a safe zone to stay away from danger.
2	Welfare State	The government helps take care of citizens by providing services like healthcare, education, and financial support for those in need.
3	Blitzkrieg	Blitzkrieg is a fast and intense military attack that aims to surprise and overwhelm the enemy quickly, using things like planes, tanks, and soldiers all at once.
4	Socialism	Socialism is a system where the government controls resources and wealth is shared more equally.
5	Dunkirk	The Dunkirk evacuation was the rescue of over 300,000 soldiers from Dunkirk, France, in 1940.
6	Indoctrinate	To indoctrinate is to teach someone to accept a set of beliefs without questioning them.
7	Blitz	The Blitz was a period during World War II when Germany bombed Britain heavily
8	Atomic Bomb	An atomic bomb is a powerful weapon that uses nuclear reactions to create a massive explosion.
9	Adolf Hitler	Adolf Hitler was the dictator of Nazi Germany, responsible for starting World War II and the Holocaust.
10	Winston Churchill	Winston Churchill was the UK Prime Minister during World War II, known for his strong leadership.

10 Facts about WW2

1. The war started on 1st September, 1939.
2. The war ended on 2nd September, 1945.
3. The war started when Germany invaded Poland.
4. The war was against The Allies and The Axis.
5. The Holocaust was one of the most terrible events to happen.
6. There were lots of major battles.
7. The War in Europe finished when Germany surrendered.
8. The evacuation at Dunkirk, code-named 'Operation Dynamo', began on 26th May 1940.
9. On 10th June 1940, Germany's troops blazed through France and other Western European countries using their blitzkrieg (lightning war) technique.
10. On 10th July 1940, British ships in the English Channel were bombed by the German Luftwaffe (air force).

Hitler's Foreign Policy Aims



- The evacuation of children from cities to the countryside in order to keep them safe from air raids began in September 1939.
- Many of London's children were sent to Wales, Cornwall or Devon. Children were also evacuated to other rural areas, such as East Anglia.
- The children who were evacuated were known as **evacuees** and the families they stayed with in the countryside were called **host families**.

The Causes of WW2

