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1. What year was the USS Arizona Memorial founded?

- A. 1965
- B. 1979
- C. 1985
- D. 1991

Answer: _____

2. Which country attacked Pearl Harbor, leading to the United States entering World War II?

- A. Germany
- B. Italy
- C. Japan
- D. Soviet Union

Answer: _____

3. How many carriers did Japan use in the attack on Pearl Harbor?

- A. 3
- B. 4
- C. 6
- D. 8

Answer: _____

4. What was the primary goal of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor?

- A. To conquer Hawaii
- B. To eliminate the US Pacific Fleet
- C. To gain control of the Pacific Ocean
- D. To start World War II

Answer: _____

5. How did the United States respond to the attack on Pearl Harbor in terms of military production?

- A. Decreased military production
- B. Maintained the same level of military production
- C. Slightly increased military production
- D. Massively ramped up military production

Answer: _____

6. Approximately how long did the attack on Pearl Harbor last?

- A. 1 hour
- B. 2 hours
- C. 3 hours
- D. 4 hours

Answer: _____

7. What was the immediate effect on the US aircraft in Hawaii during the attack?

- A. 20% of all allied aircraft in the Pacific were destroyed or heavily damaged
- B. 50% of the aircraft were redeployed elsewhere
- C. No significant damage occurred to the aircraft
- D. All aircraft were safely evacuated before the attack

Answer: _____

****Written Response Questions****

8. Explain the strategic significance of Pearl Harbor to both the United States and Japan before and during World War II.

9. Discuss the impact of the attack on Pearl Harbor on the civilian population of Hawaii, both immediately and in the long term.

10. How did the attack on Pearl Harbor change the course of World War II for the United States, and what were some of the key responses by the US following the attack?
