

<p>a claim that someone has done something wrong or illegal</p>	<p>accusations</p>
<p>the branch of a nation's military that battles in the air</p>	<p>air force</p>
<p>an agreement between nations to work together for a common goal or to defend each other in the event of war</p>	<p>alliance</p>
<p>the bullets or shells shot from a weapon</p>	<p>ammunition</p>
<p>to make a region or territory a part of your nation</p>	<p>annexed</p>

when two or more nations compete to have the best armed forces, weapons, and military technology	arms race
the branch of a nation's military that battles on land	army
a collection of weapons and military equipment stored by a nation	arsenal
to kill a famous or important person usually for political reasons	assassinated
to stop people or supplies from entering or leaving a country during a war	blockade

North, South, East, West	cardinal directions
those in the military who are lost through death, wounds, injury, sickness, internment, capture or that are missing in action	casualties
someone who is not wild or savage; an educated person who uses self control and understands their culture	civilized
an area under the control of a mother country, whose purpose is to provide resources to help the mother country	colony
an outline of procedures for what to do if your plan of action fails	contingency plan

<p>an attack made in order to defend against an enemy or opponent</p>	<p>counter-offensive</p>
<p>the belief in freedom and equality between people</p>	<p>democracy</p>
<p>to move troops into position for military action or to send troops into war</p>	<p>deployed</p>
<p>when one nation sends one representative or a small group of representatives to another nation to talk about issues, work out negotiations, or make alliances</p>	<p>diplomatic mission</p>
<p>combat or fighting with military airplanes</p>	<p>dogfight</p>

<p>a situation in which many of the people in a country are angry and hold protests or act violently</p>	<p>domestic unrest</p>
<p>when one event sets into motion a chain of similar events where each event is triggered by the previous event</p>	<p>domino effect</p>
<p>a system in which young people are required to join the armed forces of a country for a period of service</p>	<p>draft</p>
<p>the way in which a nation uses its resources and how it makes and spends its money</p>	<p>economy</p>
<p>a group of countries under the rule of one country</p>	<p>empire</p>

<p>to join or enroll in the military</p>	<p>enlist</p>
<p>the things that are done to find out secrets from enemies or competitors or the activity of spying</p>	<p>espionage</p>
<p>to use someone or something in a way that helps you unfairly</p>	<p>exploited</p>
<p>a group of people that believe in and support an idea that is very far from what most people consider correct or reasonable and are prepared to go to drastic measures to persuade people they are right</p>	<p>extremist faction</p>
<p>a nation's strategy or plan for dealing with other nations</p>	<p>foreign policy</p>

<p>a region in which active warfare is taking place</p>	<p>front</p>
<p>the military line or part of an army that is closest to the enemy</p>	<p>frontline</p>
<p>the study of the land and its resources, how people use land and its resources, the impacts land has on people, and the impact people have on the land</p>	<p>geography</p>
<p>the amount of money or monetary value of all the finished goods and services produced within a country's borders in a specific time period</p>	<p>gross national product</p>
<p>a large gun that is used to fire shells high into the air for a short distance</p>	<p>howitzer</p>

<p>a policy or belief that a nation should expand its territory by taking over other nations to rule them and take their natural resources</p>	<p>imperialism</p>
<p>a nation that manufactures goods in industries as their major way of making money and maintaining their economy</p>	<p>industrialized:</p>
<p>also known as the flu - a common illness that is caused by a virus and that causes fever, weakness, severe aches and pains, and breathing problems</p>	<p>influenza</p>
<p>the basic facilities, services, equipment, and structures that are needed for a country or region to function properly including roads, schools, phone lines, sewage treatment plants and power stations</p>	<p>infrastructure</p>
<p>any information that is valuable to a nation's government or military</p>	<p>intel</p>

stopping someone or something from getting to a desired place	intercepted
Northwest, Northeast, Southwest, Southeast	intermediate directions
conflicts or acts of aggression between two or more nations that have a high probability of leading to war	international crisis
going into another nation with your military with the intent to conquer or take over	invasion
the policy of is staying out of conflicts and political affairs with other nations	isolationism

<p>the highly trained branch of a nation's military that specializes in combat on land and sea</p>	<p>marines</p>
<p>the belief or the desire of a government or a people that a country should maintain a strong military and be prepared to use it aggressively to defend or promote national interests</p>	<p>militarism</p>
<p>a bomb that is placed in the ground or in water and that explodes when it is touched</p>	<p>mine</p>
<p>bringing together military forces to prepare for war</p>	<p>mobilized</p>
<p>short light cannon used to shoot shells high into the air</p>	<p>mortar</p>

<p>a nation that has other nations under its control</p>	<p>mother country</p>
<p>when soldiers refuse to obey orders and try to take control away from the person who commands them</p>	<p>mutiny</p>
<p>feeling loyal and proud of your nation and believing your nation is better and more important than other nations</p>	<p>nationalism</p>
<p>things found in nature that are valuable to humans</p>	<p>natural resources</p>
<p>the branch of a nation's military that battles at sea</p>	<p>navy</p>

<p>a nation that does not participate in a war</p>	<p>neutral</p>
<p>attacking an enemy</p>	<p>offensive</p>
<p>a diagram that shows the steps a nation will take when presented with specific situations or circumstances within a major crisis or event</p>	<p>plan of action</p>
<p>a serious promise, vow, or guarantee that you are willing to back up</p>	<p>pledge</p>
<p>your rank, influence, or importance as seen by others; how admired you are</p>	<p>prestige</p>

the position of something in a set	rank
exploring or investigating enemy territory to gain military information	reconnaissance
people and supplies that are sent to help or support an army or military force in a conflict, battle, or war	reinforcements
form of government where the citizens themselves hold power by electing officials to represent them	republic
a group fighting against someone or something	resistance

<p>a short and striking or memorable phrase used to promote someone or something</p>	<p>slogan</p>
<p>to form ideas or theories about something usually when there are many things not known about it</p>	<p>speculation</p>
<p>a deadlock situation where neither side is able to gain ground or win a battle</p>	<p>stalemate</p>
<p>to store up a pile of something to use in an emergency, at a planned time, or at a later time</p>	<p>stockpiled</p>
<p>a conference of the highest-level governments leaders</p>	<p>summit</p>

<p>the amount of something left over when all that is needed of it is used</p>	<p>surplus</p>
<p>the act of carefully watching someone or something especially in order to prevent or detect a crime</p>	<p>surveillance</p>
<p>the physical features of a stretch of land</p>	<p>terrain</p>
<p>a region or area of land under the authority or protection of a nation</p>	<p>territory</p>
<p>when newspapers exaggerated the truth or embellished stories to make them seem a bigger deal than they actually were</p>	<p>yellow journalism</p>