

3B Class Presentation

H=Hitler, M=mussolini, J= the military dictator of Japan, P= the people

Narration: The Second World War was the most destructive war in history. One of the main reasons was the formation of Axis Powers! The members were Italy, Germany and Japan. There was the rise of totalitarianism in Italy and Germany. They were warlike and aggressive. Together with Japan, They formed the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo Axis to make their powers stronger leading to the outbreak of the Second World War.

Germany

(P1,2 go up onto the stage)

P1: OH MY GOD! After the Great Depression, the economy in Germany is very poor now. We don't have enough food for us to survive. I am so hungry now. Our government has done nothing to help us!

P2: Yes. You are right. Our country has to pay the war indemnity for the WWI! The government did nothing to revise the treaty of Versailles! Our money is not valuable anymore! What a shame! I don't want this government any more!

(H goes up onto the stage)

H: I am Adolf Hitler. I totally understand how you feel! I can help you stay away from the hell! So, follow me! I have power to take revenge on US, France and Britain. Our party is Nazi party, the greatest party ever! We all believe in Nazism!!!

P1,P2: Salute! Hitler, we will follow you.

P1: You are our saviour now. We count on you!

Italy

(P3,4 go up onto the stage)

P3: I don't really understand how our government becomes so useless. We have No jobs, No food, No houses, No money!

P4: We also don't get what we deserved in the WWI although we are the victorious country. This is a big humiliation! We are betrayed!!

(M goes up onto the stage)

M: I am Benito Mussolini. Follow me! I can help you change these situations. And get back the things that we're supposed to own! We are Fascist party!

P3,P4: Of course, we will follow you.

Narration: Since then, the idea of totalitarianism of Germany and Italy was widespread. Then, they formed the Berlin- Rome-Tokyo axis with Japan with the idea of military expansion.

H=Hitler, M=Mussolini, J= the military dictatorship of Japan

(J,M,H go up onto the stage)

H: Hey guys, we all are going to control the whole world. Why don't we form an alliance together?

J: Good idea! Besides, the shock of great depression makes the economy in the whole world worse. Britain and France won't have enough time and effort to stop us.

M: You are right! I agree! Besides, we have the common idea of the totalitarianism.

H: Yes! You can also get back what you deserve in the WWI. The United States now adopted the policy of isolationism. So, it is a good time for us to group together to invade other countries to make us stronger.

J: So, from now on, we are the Berlin- Rome-Tokyo axis.

M: (holding the wine glass) My dear brothers, we are the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo Axis now. We are the most powerful team in the world. All will be afraid of us. If we succeed, the world will be mine! No...UM...I mean the world will be ours! Hahahaha! Let's celebrate.

H: Yes, you are right! This is good news for us. We should celebrate.

(H,M,J hold up the wine glasses and clink glasses with each other)

M: I have to own some land of the new nations to make us stronger.

J: Yes, let's rule the world together!

(G,M,H go down onto the stage)

U=US B=Britain F=France

(US,B,F go up onto the stage)

F: Oh no, the Axis powers are expanding. What should we do? Give them a warning or do nothing?

B: I prefer to do nothing because the Great Depression has strongly damaged our economy. The most important thing now is to help our economy. Also, we are anti-communists, aren't we? The Nazi Germany can help check the Communist Soviet Union.

U: I will not intervene in the matters in Europe since I need to recover our economy. Don't bother! I won't do anything to stop Hitler and Mussolini.

F: Hey, how about trying to give them what they want? I think it will bring about peace.

B: Good idea. Let's try it.

(U,F,B go down to the stage)

Narration: To prevent any wars to happen, Britain and France signed the Munich Agreement with Axis Power on 29 September 1938. Now, let's take a look at what's going on there.

(F,B,M,J,H go on to the stage.)

B: What do you want for an exchange to stop this aggressive action?

H: I want Sudetenland. If you give it to me, I will stop expanding anymore, I promise.

(B,F talk with each other for a little while)

F: OK... we will give you Sudetenland. Sign up here.

(G,signs)

F: it is now yours. I wish that you would take your promise.

H: Germany never tells lies.

(F,B go down to the stage)

J: Yes. They really think that we will not expand anymore? OH! Stop daydreaming.

How foolish they are!

M: Yes, you are right. We must become stronger and stronger to fight against them. That will make our dreams come true.

(H,M,J go down to the stage)

Narration: Finally, Germany still didn't keep his promise. He invaded Poland in 1939. This angered Britain and France. They decided to fight with the axis power. Nevertheless, it was too late...the world war broke out!!!!!!!

(C,US,USSR,B,F,G,T,J go onto the stage)

C : I am a Chinese living in Nanjing. In 1937, Japan occupied Nanjing and killed three thousand Chinese people! They killed my family! I hate them!

G: In 1940, our army entered Paris and occupied it. Finally, the allies left. It was known as the Fall of Paris. We almost won the war!

USSR: Germany didn't keep his promise! Germany suddenly attacked us in 1941. This angered me a lot! Therefore I decided to counter-attack.

US: I adopted the isolationism which I don't need to intervene in the things in Europe. Nevertheless, Japan suddenly attacked our naval base in Pearl Harbor. I was full of anger and decided to fight against Japan so the Pacific War broke out.

J: In 1941, we occupied Hong Kong. Our target is to control the whole Asia.

Narration: Since US and USSR joined the war and help the allies. The conditions of the war had totally changed. The allies became stronger and stronger after US and USSD had joined them. They started to counter-attack. The Axis Powers finally surrendered.

I: In 1943, the allies landed in Italy! I had no choice but surrendered. We lost the war!

F: In July 1944, the allies landed at Normandy, which is the northeast part of France. They decided to help me to get Paris back!

B: The next month, we will take back the lost territories. We will surely win the war!

G: In 1945, the allies attacked Berlin from west and east. I have no choice but surrendered. We lost the war!

J: The things I did had angered US. In 1945, US dropped two atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki. It killed many Japanese! So I decided to surrender. We lost the war!!

(ALL go down the stage)

Narration: Finally, the axis powers lost in the Second World War. However, the crimes they did like Nanjing Massacre is what we cannot forget.

We really hope that History won't repeat itself.