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| **Unit 2 America As A Global Power:** **WWI Vocabulary Sleuth****Directions:** Read & discuss these scenarios with your team. Then respond to the questions. When signaled to do so join a new team and create a workable definition for each term. |

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| 1. **Espionage & Sedition Acts**

You got freedom of speech...but if you trash-talk the government/US during a war, well it’s you and the mice chilling in a jail cell. It’s a matter of national security, the judge claims. Is it justified to limit people’s freedom for the sake of safety? Explain | 1. **Nationalism**

Sam’s got love for his country! He will go with anything the president says. He’s ready to put everything on the line for America and do whatever his leader asks. Can Sam get carried away and not think logically or morally about what he is supporting? Explain | 1. **Militarism**

What’s the solution to every problem? Use of force! Let’s allocate all our spending towards the military and create a mega-force! Should the US create a colossal army even in times of peace? Explain |
| 1. **Neutrality**

Two of your neighbors are fighting, you really don’t care why or who wins, but you don’t want to get dragged in the middle of someone’s fight. Do you think staying neutral is a good idea when people are fighting all around you? Explain | 1. **Alliance System**

There is a bully roaming the halls of DHS. Every day he threatens the students around him. You and some of the other bullied students decide to gang-up to stop his behavior. As a group you are now much stronger than the bully. Do you think joining forces with others to prevent looming threats is a good idea? Explain | 1. **Shell Shock**

Our soldiers are stuck in the trenches of Europe, day after day they suffer constant bombing and witness horrible scenes of death. But these are men, they don’t get scared or have mental breakdown that’s for females, men are strong and brave. Why did they call this condition “Shell Shock”? What is it called today? |
| 1. **Pacifist/Conscientious Objector**

Lily is a pacifist; she opposes violence of all kinds. Killing is not the answer. Charlie doesn't want to fight in the war because he thinks it’s not morally or religiously right, he follows his conscience. Should Lily and Charlie be forced to serve in the military? Despite their beliefs, could they still serve in the military? Explain | 1. **CPI- Committee on Public Info**

A committee in the gov’t that makes sure every single citizen is supporting the American side by filtering media that’s against the American cause. If something on TV is not American then it is censored! Is it okay for the gov’t to do this? Explain. | 1. **WIB-War Industries Board**

It’s wartime! Priority number one is winning! Everything people do is for the war effort and everything manufactured is for the sole purpose of victory. It is a total war! The WIB is making sure that the country follows suit. What could be the negative aspects about WIB overseeing total war?  |
| 1. **The Great Migration**

African-Americans grew tired of the straining conditions in the southern farms, so they migrated in abundant numbers to big northern cities. Will they be welcomed with warm arms? Explain | 1. **Propaganda**

A famous comedian is featured on a Chase credit card ad. He tells the audience that the card offers unlimited 1.5% rewards on purchases...Yet he never mentions the interest rate, which is over 40%! Is he misleading you by mentioning only the facts that will make you want the card? What would an example be for WWI?  | 1. **Armistice**

WWI was a bloody stalemate. After four years of fighting Germany surrenders and both sides call an armistice. Can a truce (stop in fighting) lead to peace negotiations? Explain |

**Based on these scenarios, make a working definition of the following terms.**

1. Espionage & Sedition Acts:
2. Nationalism:
3. Militarism:
4. Neutrality:
5. Alliance System:
6. Shell Shock:
7. Pacifist/Conscientious Objector:
8. CPI:
9. WIB:
10. The Great Migration:
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