



War in the Pacific

Fill in the blanks using words from the Word Bank.

In 1940, _____ joined the Axis alliance, joining with Germany and Italy.

On December 7th, 1941, Japan attacked _____.

Immediately following this attack, the United States of America joined in the alliance with the _____.

In June 1942, the United States won the _____ by sinking several Japanese aircraft carriers.

A famous statue of Marines raising the American flag commemorates another important battle that took place on the island of _____.

In August of 1945, the United States President Harry Truman made the decision to use the _____, a newly designed weapon. These were dropped on the cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki in Japan.

This action caused Japan to _____. A treaty was signed on September 2, 1945, now known as V-J Day (which means _____).

Word Bank	
Victory in Japan	Pearl Harbor
Iwo Jima	Japan
Allies	Battle of Midway
surrender	atomic bomb