

Never Forget

An Introduction to the Holocaust



Traveling Exhibit Self Guide | Grades 5-6

Name: _____

Class: _____

Date: _____

As you explore this traveling exhibit, you will have a choice of questions to answer. The list of questions appears in the first column.

Write your answers in the second column.

What was Jewish life like before the Holocaust?



Choose ONE question from these two. Circle the question you are going to answer.

1. How many Jewish people lived in Germany before the war?
What kinds of jobs did they do?
2. What word would you use to describe life for Jews in Europe before the Nazis came to power? Explain your answer.

Who were the Nazis?



Choose *TWO* question from these three. Circle the questions you are going to answer.

1. What sort of things did Hitler promise to get Germans to vote for him?
2. Why did so many Germans vote for Hitler and the Nazi party?
3. How old was Norbert Friedman when Adolf Hitler came to power? How did life for his family change?

What happened to the victims?



Choose *TWO* questions from these four. Circle the questions you are going to answer.

1. What was "Kristallnacht"?
2. Look at the main photo of broken windows on Kristallnacht. What do you think the people are doing? Explain your answer.
3. Read the story about Norbert Friedman's farewell to his mother. How do you think this made him feel?
4. Analyze the vocabulary words on this panel. What is the difference between a Ghetto and a Concentration Camp?

What did other countries do to help?



Choose ONE question from these two. Circle the question you are going to answer.

1. Describe what happened to the passengers of the St. Louis after they left Germany.
2. What did Norbert do after he arrived at each camp? Why do you think he did this?

What happened after liberation?



Choose *ONE* question from these three. Circle the question you are going to answer.

1. What happened to many survivors of the Holocaust after they were liberated?
2. Why do you think Norbert joined the American army after the war?
3. Study the image of the women waving after liberation. Describe what you see in this photograph. Explain your answer.

What was life like after the Holocaust? And What should I do now?



Choose *FOUR* questions from these seven. Circle the questions that you are going to answer.

1. Do you think Norbert's young age helped him to survive during the Holocaust? Why or why not?
2. How do you think Norbert felt when he experienced discrimination in the United States?
3. Study the map of the camps where Norbert was imprisoned during the Holocaust. In which four countries were the camps located?
4. Describe what you learned about Norbert Friedman's life in this exhibit?
5. How do you think Norbert was able to survive so much adversity?
6. What examples of human kindness did Norbert experience during the Holocaust?
7. How does Norbert's story inspire you to fight hatred and bullying in your school?
