

Propaganda of World War One

Introduction: Each of the nations which participated in World War One from 1914-18 used propaganda posters not only as a means of justifying involvement to their own populace, but also as a means of procuring men, money and resources to sustain the military

Part One: Review

Key Players in World War One

- Central Powers: _____
- Allied Powers: _____

Key Terms:

Propaganda: _____
 The "Hun" _____
 Total War _____

Part Two: Primary Source Analysis

	What is the focal point of this poster?	What emotion(s) is this poster trying to evoke?	What title would you give to this poster?	What is the country of origin?	Who is the intended audience ?	What problem is this poster trying to solve?	In your opinion , is this an effective piece of propaganda? Why? Why not?
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Poster #2 http://www.loc.gov/pictures/resource/cph.3g10895/							
Poster #3 http://www.loc.gov/pictures/resource/cph.3g10140/							
Poster #4 http://www.loc.gov/pictures/resource/cph.3g09730/							

<p>Poster #5</p> <p>http://www.loc.gov/pictures/item/99613761/</p>							
<p>Poster #6</p> <p>http://www.loc.gov/pictures/item/98503175/</p>							
<p>Poster #7</p> <p>http://www.loc.gov/pictures/resource/ppm_sca.07746/</p>							
<p>Poster #8</p> <p>http://www.loc.gov/pictures/resource/cph.3g09851/</p>							

Part Three: Analysis

In your opinion, which posters do you feel were most effective at conveying their message to the intended audience?

What effect do you think “total war” had on a country’s ability to admit defeat at the end of the war?