The Road to War Δ/□

Causes

1918 — World War I Germany is Defeated

The German government are made to sign the Treaty of Versailles and the nation is split.
They must agree to pay fines for causing the First World War and surrender their Army and Navy.
National morale is very low.

1929 — The Wall Street Crash

Hyperinflation occurred and poverty worsened as there were no more jobs.
It brought about a rise in political extremism and unrest in the land.

1933 — Hitler becomes Chancellor of Germany

All other political parties are made illegal as Hitler becomes a dictator

1933 - 1939 — Nazi Party in Power

German National Pride builds and the formation of the Hitler Youth occurs. Special measures are started against minorities such as Jews, Gypsies (travellers) and Non-whites

1938 — Germany rebuilds armed forces

Germany reclaims the land taken in the Treaty of Versailles.
The German armies start to invade surrounding countries.

1939 — Chamberlain issues a warning to Germany

Germany refuses to co-operate and ignore Chamberlain's request to retreat from Poland.

September 3rd 1939 — Declaration of War

Britain is at War with Germany.
Evacuation occurs, men are drafted into the forces to defend Britain and release the countries under occupation.