**WWII**

-Hitler and the Nazis rose to power in Germany

-Kristallnacht: “night of broken glass”

-war began in 1939 when Germany invaded Poland

 -Great Britain and France declared war on Germany

 -US began supplying Allies

 -Dec 7, 1941 Pearl Harbor—US enters war

-for the first time, women could be part of special non-combat military units

 -Holocaust: 6 million Jews and others were killed

**Helping in the war**

**The end**

 -Germany surrendered, ending war in Europe

 -US dropped 2 atomic bombs on Japanese cities

 -Japan surrendered