

WORLD HISTORY

WS 17.6: Rise of Fascism (pg 713)

Italy joined the Allied Powers in 1915, what were they promised for joining?

What happened after WWI that upset Italy?

What political party did Benito Mussolini form in Italy?

What was the symbolism in name of Mussolini's political party?

What was the name of Mussolini's "combat squads?"

Why did many Italians accept the "terror" tactics of Mussolini and his supporters?

What happened with Mussolini's "March on Rome?"

What was Mussolini's nickname?

How did Mussolini get the support of Pope Pius XI and the Catholic Church in 1929?

What steps did Mussolini take to help strengthen Italy's economy?

Name _____

What happened to Italy women that had more than 14 children?

Define Totalitarian State:

List 3 common characteristics shared by totalitarian governments:

On Pages 715 – 716...Circle TRUE or FALSE on the following statements:

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| T | F | Fascism believed strongly in the idea of "survival of the fittest" to justify its expansion. |
| T | F | Fascism strongly supported democratic principles. |
| T | F | Fascism supported and expanded Enlightenment ideas equality and liberty. |
| T | F | Fascism urged Italians to dedicate themselves to serving the state. |
| T | F | Mussolini was successful at reviving Italian nationalism. |
| T | F | Fascism opposed the equality of classes as believed by Socialists. |
| T | F | Fascism's strongest supporters were business leaders, wealthy landowners, and the lower middle class. |