

WWII Military Strategy (p.670-674)

1. “Four essential human freedoms”

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2. European and North African Front

- **Blitzkrieg –**
- **Battle of Britain –**
- **Soviet Union –**
- **North Africa –**

3. Pacific Front –

4. War in Soviet Union

- What was Hitler’s mistake?
- What was the “soft underbelly” of the Axis Powers and why did Churchill encourage the U.S. to attack it?

- Why would it benefit the Allies to start a two front war with Germany?

5. The war in Asia

- Why did the Japanese want to attack Midway Island?

- What was the importance of the U.S. gaining Guadalcanal?

What are some of the differences between fighting a war on your own soil and going somewhere else to fight? (Use specifics; look at the front in the Soviet Union at this time and the U.S. having to be off of home soil)