

Russian Revolution Test Outline: Find the definitions for the following terms:

- dictator
- Czar
- Bloody Sunday – date and what occurred
- Bolsheviks
- Collective farms
- Socialism
- Communism
- The Reds
- The Whites
- Iron Curtain
- Censor
- The dates of the 2 Russian Revolutions
- *The Communist Manifesto*
- *Das Kapital*

Important People to Know:

1. Lenin
2. Stalin
3. Rasputin

Gregory Rasputin (1872-1916)

- During Czar Nicholas' reign, a very strange man became an important figure in his family's life. Gregory Rasputin was a Siberian peasant who became a monk and healer.
- Later in his life, he moved to St. Petersburg and soon became entangled in the Russian royal family.
- The royal heir, Alexei, had hemophilia. With this disease, even minor bumps can cause severe bleeding. At this time in history, medical doctors could not control this severe bleeding.
- Czar Nicholas and his wife Czarina Alexandra began taking Rasputin's advice about Alexei's condition. Soon they were even taking his advice about Russian officials and policies.
- However, Rasputin's advice was not very good and it caused many problems.
- To end Rasputin's influence, some Russian nobles assassinated him. First, they poisoned him, but he survived, then they shot him several times and drowned him.

Find the answers to the following questions – pay attention to the number after the questions – these are the amount of points you need to complete this questions.

- a. What happened on "Bloody Sunday"? Remember to include the date of this event and where it happened and what took place. (4)
- b. What does "Stalin" mean in Russian? What does this meaning help to reinforce about Stalin's character as a ruler? (2)
- c. In this chapter, we learned about a very important and strange figure in the Russian royal family. Who was this person? Give 5 points about him. (5)
- d. Tell me everything you learned about the Russian royal family. (Pay attention to the value of this question, I will be looking for a certain number of points here!) (5)