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JAPANESE AMERICAN INTERNMENT WORLD WAR II VIDEO QUESTIONS

Short Answer Questions

1)What was Executive Order 9066?

2) What was the justification for issuing Executive Order 9066 (think – how were the people on the West Coast feeling after Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor)?

3) What evidence was there that Japanese Americans were involved in sabotage or espionage in the United States?

4) Approximately how many Japanese Americans were relocated? Where were they sent?

5) Who was in charge of operating the camps?

6)About two-thirds of the people sent to internment camps were born American born citizens. What did they have to do immediately before they were placed into camps?

Vocabulary

Prejudice - unreasonable feelings, opinions, attitudes or beliefs, especially of a hostile nature, against racial, religious, national groups, or others

Executive Order - a command issued by the President having the force of law. It is different from a law as the President does not need Congress Legislative Branch) to pass the order. It has to be upheld by the judicial branch. And can be overturned by any sitting President by issuing another Executive Order.

Internment - being confined with limited rights and freedom and no ability to leave