

15.1 THE ALLIES TURN THE TIDE

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CHECKPOINTS

Answer each question using complete sentences.

1. Why did the Allies decide to concentrate first on the war in Europe?
2. Why was the Battle of Stalingrad a turning point in World War II?
3. What were the goals of British and American bombing runs over Germany?
4. What impact did the Battle of Midway have on Japanese expansion in the Pacific?

TERMS AND PEOPLE

Write a sentence explaining how each of the following was connected with the Allied effort to turn back the Axis offensive.

1. Dwight Eisenhower
2. George S. Patton, Jr.
3. unconditional surrender
4. saturation bombing
5. strategic bombing
6. Tuskegee Airmen
7. Chester Nimitz
8. Battle of Midway