

Unification of Italy and Making of Germany Puzzle

In the 1800's the city states of Italy and the different Germanic states were combined to become the modern nations of Italy and Germany that we know of today. However, unification wasn't as simple as some might think, there were many different puzzle pieces that had to fit together for all this to happen. Your task is to figure out how the puzzle pieces I give you all came together to allow Italy and Germany to unify into one country.

TASK

Under each country heading there will be names and or events. You must research and make notes about these names and events so that you can explain to me how they all fit together in regard to the unification of Italy and Germany. For people, have a brief backgrounder so you can understand where they're coming from in regard to the task/desire for unification as well as the role they played in the making of Italy and Germany. In regard to events, again you'll need a brief backgrounder (think: cause, course, consequence) and the part it played in respect to unification.

As you conduct your research for this, remember that not all your information has to be textual. Go to YouTube and watch a video or two, there are some great sources there for many things we discuss in this course.

Italy

Giuseppe Mazzini

Carbonari

Young Italy Society

Giuseppe Garibaldi

Red Shirt Army

Camillo Cavour

King Victor Emmanuel II

Roman Question

Law of Guarantees

Louis Napoleon III and France

Felice Orsini

Germany

Wilhelm I

Otto Von Bismarck

1864 War with Denmark

7 Weeks War

Northern Confederation

Franco Prussian War of 1870/71