

**CHAPTER**  
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## Section 5

## GUIDED READING

*The Devastation of  
Europe and Japan*

**A. Recognizing Facts and Details** As you read this section, fill out the chart by writing notes to describe conditions in postwar Europe and Japan.

Postwar Europe	
1. Note three ways war affected the land and people of Europe.	
2. Note three political problems postwar governments faced.	
3. Note one way the Allies dealt with the Holocaust.	

Postwar Japan	
4. Note two effects of Allied bombing raids on Japan.	
5. Note three ways U.S. occupation changed Japan.	
6. Note three provisions in Japan's new constitution.	

**B. Recognizing Purpose** On the back of this paper, explain the objectives of the Nuremberg Trials and the demilitarization of Japan.