# The Russian Revolution



## <u>Japan humiliates Russia in</u> Russo-Japanese War

Q: Which cause of revolutions would make the Russian people want to revolt after defeat in the war?

Nationalism

Unpopular methods of rule



## A lot of military losses in WWI

Losing battles - millions dying.

Q: Which cause of revolutions would make soldiers want to revolt after large military defeats?

Nationalism

Unpopular methods of rule

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#### **Incompetence of Tsar Nicholas II**

#### Food and fuel shortages - Tsar couldn't help

Q: What cause of revolutions would make people want to revolt because of an incompetent tsar and food shortages?

Unpopular methods of rule **Economic distress** 

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#### **Landless peasants want land**

Peasants worked land they didn't own.

Q: What cause of revolutions would make landless peasants want to revolt?

**Economic distress** 

Social Injustice

## J.A.I.L. leads to

## Revolution in 1917

Why?

Nationalism

Unpopular Methods of Rule

Social Injustice

**Economic Distress** 

### Lenin

Lenin's party - Bolsheviks Lenin believed - Socialism Lenin promised - PEACE,

LAND, BREAD

O: What cause of revolutions would make Russians want to revolt after Lenin told them his new and better ideas?

**Enlightenment ideas** 

## Russia becomes - USSR

**Drops out of WWI** 

Lenin's plan = **New Economic Policy (NEP)** 

some capitalism allowed to help economy

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