

Causes of the Russian Revolution Description Sheet

Directions: Using the readings briefly explain, IN YOUR OWN WORDS, what happened during each event. Be sure to include why it will help lead to a revolution!

- **Problems of rapid industrialization**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Russo-Japanese War**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Bloody Sunday Massacre of 1905**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Russian Revolution of 1905**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Russia in the Great War (WWI)**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Weak Leadership of Nicholas II**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Peasants Support of the Bolsheviks**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?

- **Karl Marx, Engels, and the Communist Manifesto**

What happened in the event?	How might this lead to Revolution?