

Vladimir Lenin: Voice of Revolution

1. Why was Russia a “pressure cooker” at the end of the 19th century?
2. What did Karl Marx believe about revolution? How did Lenin manipulate Marx’s ideas to fit Russia’s situation?
3. Who were the Bolsheviks and Mensheviks? What was their major disagreement?
4. What happened on Bloody Sunday and what were its results?
5. How did Lenin try to use WWI to force his revolution?
6. What were the Soviets?
7. What did Lenin do after taking power in the October Revolution?
8. How did Lenin try to solve Russia’s economic problems after the civil war?
9. Why did Lenin believe that his revolution was going awry?
10. What did the Soviet leadership do with Lenin’s body after he died?