




1  **AMERICANS IN  
WORLD WAR II**  
"Home Front"


2  **Objective 1:**  
How did the U.S. government try to keep wartime morale high?


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- Office of War Information
  - radio programs
  - Movies
  - Scrap & bond drives


4  **Objective 2:**  
What was life like in the United States during World War II?


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- long work hours and many sacrifices (rationing)
  - Restrictions (cars?)
  - blackouts
  - air-raid drills
  - victory gardens



6  **Objective 3:**  
How did women contribute to the war effort?

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- entered job market to replace soldiers
  - worked in plants
  - produced war products
  - "Rosie the Riveter"

8  **Objective 4:**  
What actions did the government take to protect the rights of minority groups?

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- Fair Employment Practices Committee
  - attempts to end discrimination in businesses with federal contracts

10  **Objective 5:**  
How were Japanese Americans affected by the war?

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- Many were relocated and interned.
  - Interned people lost their property.
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- Hawaiian islands put under martial law because Japanese population was too large to relocate.
  - Some Japanese received limited military service opportunities.

13  **The End**  
"Home Front"