

## Worksheet: Henry Lowenstein

Answer the following questions. Answers do not need to be in complete sentences.

### Henry's Childhood in Berlin

1. In what year was Henry born? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Write one sentence about Henry's father and one sentence about Henry's mother.  
Father:  
  
Mother:  
  
3. *Watch the video testimony.* Explain holidays at Henry's house.

### Under the Shadow of the Nazis

4. *Watch the video testimony.* What was life like for Henry in the early 1930s?
5. *Watch the second video testimony.* How does Nazi propaganda impact Henry?

### Antisemitism in the Classroom

6. *Watch the video testimony – warning – a swear word is used in his testimony.* Write a two-sentence reflection.

### Jewish Institutions Provide Support

7. *Watch the first video testimony.* Why was Henry's experience in the makeshift Jewish school different than his experiences in German schools?

### **Kristallnacht: An Unmistakable Turning Point**

8. *Watch the two video testimonies.* What are three ways Kristallnacht impacted Henry's life?

9. *Examine the picture of the synagogue destroyed in Kristallnacht.* Why is this location significant to Henry?

### **After Kristallnacht, Doors Close**

10. *Watch the video testimony.* Write a one-paragraph reflection.

### **Looking for a Way Out**

11. *Watch the first video testimony.* Why was it challenging for adults to leave Germany?

12. *Watch the second video testimony.* How does Henry end up applying for the British Kindertransport?

### **Kindertransport: A Lifeline for Jewish Children**

13. *Watch the first video testimony.* Why didn't Henry go to France? Why was this a good thing?

14. *Watch the second video testimony.* Write a two-sentence reflection.

### **Kindertransport: The Journey to England**

15. *Watch the three video testimonies about his journey.* Write a one-to-two-sentence summary.

16. *Watch the two videos on the camp at Westgate.* Write a one-paragraph summary of conditions.

### **War Breaks Out in Europe**

17. How does Henry end up in Whipsnade?

18. Why is Henry considered an alien?

### **Meanwhile, Back in Berlin**

19. How does Henry's father, Max, avoid deportation?

### **Reconnecting After the War**

20. How does Henry reconnect with his parents?

### **A New Country, A New Start**

21. Where does Henry's family settle in the US? \_\_\_\_\_
22. What happens to Henry's father shortly after arriving in the US?
23. *Watch the video testimony.* How long does it take Henry to graduate from high school? \_\_\_\_\_
24. What jobs does Henry work while in high school and art school?

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### **From the Airforce to the Theater**

25. When the Korean War breaks out, what does Henry do?
26. How does Henry end up in Denver?

### **Use the Map Feature on the website.**

*Filter the map to just Henry.* Write a one-sentence reflection on what stands out to you in using this tool.