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Handout

Hitler's Rise to Power: 1933–1934 Viewing Guide

Directions: While viewing the film, take notes in response to the first two questions listed below.

1. Why was Hitler vulnerable when he was appointed chancellor?

2. How did Hitler solidify his hold on power in 1933 and 1934? List as many details from the film as you can.

After watching the film, reflect on the following two questions:

3. Which one or two events described in this video do you think were most important in the transformation of Germany from democracy to dictatorship?

4. Which choices made by groups or by individuals seemed to have the greatest consequences?