









Rise of the Dictators Key Vocabulary Terms

Vocabulary Terms	Definition	Image
Authoritarian	Belief in strict obedience to authority even meaning losing of personal freedom.	
Bolshevik	A member of the majority political group which seized power in the October Revolution of 1917.	
Capitalist	A country run on the idea that businesses should be private owned and people should be allowed to make their own money.	
Communist	A country run on the idea that everything should be government owned and distributed equally.	
Fascism	Extreme right-wing party which believes in a strong country and a dictator leading government	
Great Depression	A period of extended and severe decline in a nation's economy.	
Treaty of Versailles	The agreement drawn up which punished Germany after WW1	
Hyper-inflation	When the prices rise very fast and wages do not keep pace	
Wall street crash	Economic crisis that ruined the American Stock Market	