Teacher Answer Key

Case Study

1. Ethnic tensions, nationalism, and lack of cooperation fueled violent conflict.

2. Political borders can split or unite groups, showing their power over identity.

Multiple Choice

1. C

2. D

3. C

Matching

1-B, 2-E, 3-A, 4-C, 5-D

Fill-in-the-Blank

1) Velvet, 2) South, 3) 1919

Short Answer (Sample Responses)

Q1: Borders protect sovereignty but can also spark conflict or restrict trade.

Q2: Cultural groups often don't align with national boundaries, causing friction.

Q3: Rising seas and resource shortages could force future redrawing of maps.