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**Indian Independence Comprehension Questions**

1. Why did Indian resistance to British rule increase in 1939?
2. What was the main difference between members of the Indian National Congress and the Muslim League?
3. What similarity did Jinnah state that both Muslims and Hindus share?
4. How did British policies towards Indians spur (start) the independence movement?
5. How was India partitioned by the British? What were the new countries? Who lived in each?
6. What happened during the summer of 1947?
7. What was the cause of the conflict between India and Pakistan over Kashmir?
8. Name THREE positive changes that Nehru made in India after he took control of the country in 1947.

11. What are modern-day challenges that India faces today within their country?
12. Why is nuclear war between India and Pakistan more worrisome than traditional war?