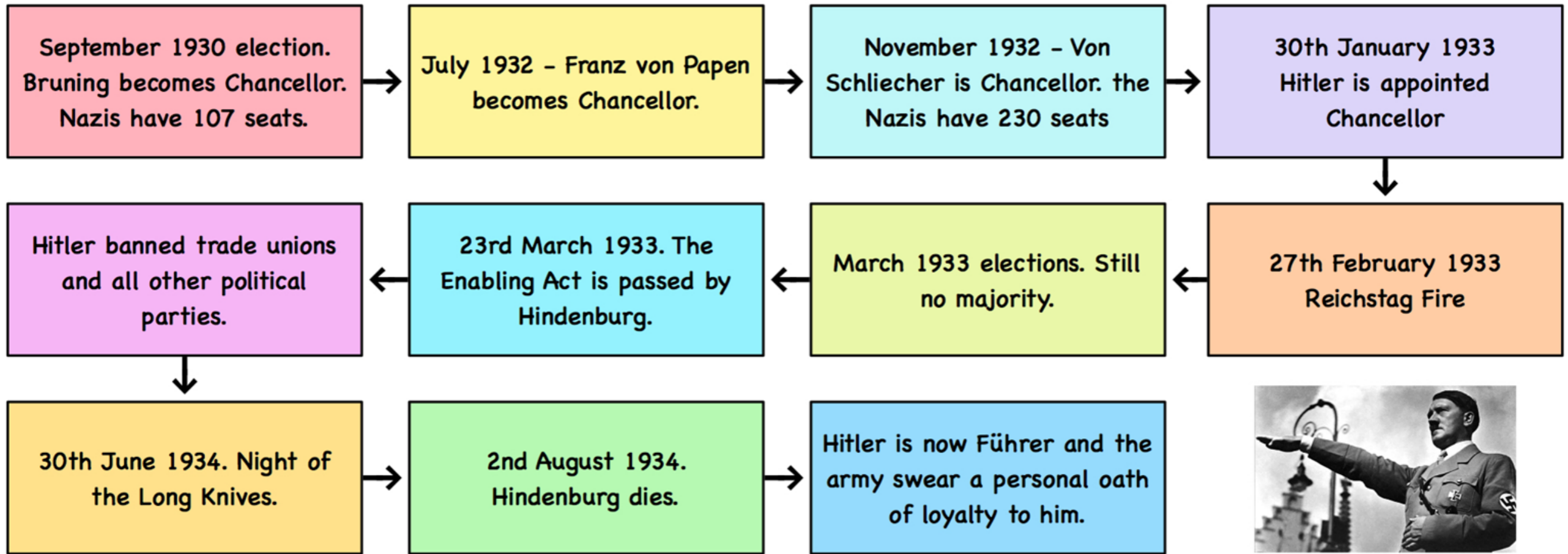




History Knowledge Organiser

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Hitler's rise to power



Key people

- Heinrich Bruning
- Franz von Papen
- Kurt von Schliecher
- Marinus Van Der Lubbe
- Paul von Hindenburg
- Ernst Röhm
- Heinrich Himmler
- Adolf Hitler



Why did the Nazi party grow?

The depression. The Germans were unhappy with the Weimar government. The appeal of Hitler. Fear of the rise of other German extremist groups. Nazi party structure, methods and tactics.

KEY VOCABULARY/ TERMS

Chancellor, Enabling Act, communist, Reichstag, elections, Führer, oath. loyalty, trade unions, Night of the Long Knives, SA, SS, political parties, opposition, consolidation, power, dictator.



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Steps to power

For each step write a sentence to summarise it.

Key people

Make sure you understand who each of the key people is and how they are connected to Hitler's rise to power.

4. Describe... 4 marks

- Describe two problems Hitler faced as Germany's leader when he became Chancellor in January 1933.
- Describe two consequences of the Night of the Long Knives.

5. In what ways were... 8 marks

- In what ways were the lives of Germans affected by the Depression? Explain your answer.
- In what ways were the lives of German people affected by events during the early years of the Weimar Republic, 1919–1923? Explain your answer.

6. Bullet point question 12 marks

- Which of the following was the more important reason why the Nazis became more popular:
 - fear of communism
 - the appeal of Hitler and the Nazi Party?Explain your answer with reference to both reasons.
- Which of the following was the more important reason why Germany became a dictatorship:
 - Germany's problems
 - Hitler's actions?Explain your answer with reference to both events.