**1917 Battles Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

[Significant World War One Battles of 1917 - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/modern-history/mod-1917-battles-reading/)

1. Why was the year 1917 significant for the Allies in World War One?
2. What was the Hindenburg Line?
3. Who was Douglas Haig?
4. When did the British and French begin planning offensives against the Hindenburg Line?
5. How were the Allies able to break through the Hindenburg Line?
6. When did the First Battle of Bullecourt take place?
7. What was the outcome of the First Battle of Bullecourt?
8. When did the Second Battle of Bullecourt begin?
9. What was different about the outcome of the Second Battle of Bullecourt compared to the first?
10. When did the Battle of Arras take place?
11. What was the objective of the Battle of Messines Ridge?
12. What significant event began in July 1917 and lasted until November?
13. How did the weather impact the Battle of Passchendaele?
14. What was the significance of the Battle of Cambrai?
15. When did the Russian Revolution begin?
16. How did the Russian Revolution impact the Allied forces?
17. What decision did the Allies make regarding Russia after the revolution?
18. What was the consequence of the peace treaty signed by the new revolutionary government of Russia with Germany in March of 1918?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in your reading, answer the question below in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*What is similar and different between the major battles of 1917?*