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Internment in Canada During World War One and World War Two: I Can Statements

1. I can describe the discriminatory attitudes many Canadians had toward minorities.
2. I can explain the physical, emotional, and economic hardships endured by internees.
3. I can provide details of how civil rights were stripped away by the War Measures Act.
4. I can evaluate how “enemy aliens” were treated in Canada.
5. I can analyze the social and economic consequences of intolerant attitudes and policies on minorities.
6. I can define the following key terms:
 - Deport: to send a person back to his/her country of origin.
 - Disenfranchised: to be deprived of basic legal rights.
 - Enemy alien: a national living in a country that is at war with his/her homeland.
 - Habeas corpus: the right of a detained person to be brought before a judge or other official to decide whether the detention is lawful.
 - Internment camp: a government-run camp where people who are considered a threat are detained.
 - War Measures Act: an act that gives the federal government emergency powers during wartime, including the right to detain people without laying charges.