## **Disney Propaganda Cartoons**

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**Instructions:** As you watch the cartoons, answer the **critical thinking questions** below and follow the directions. **Be sure to answer all in complete sentences!** 



## Cartoon #1 – Der Fuehrer's Face <u>http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5LYD0Fzf1LU</u>

- 1. Where is Donald living when he wakes up?
  - 2. What type of stereotypes do you see in the Axis/Nazi soldiers? Are the stereotypes good or bad?
- 3. What evidence do you see that suggest that living under Nazi rule is terrible list at least three things a.
  - b. –
  - c. –
- 4. What happens at the end to make people feel good and patriotic?

## Cartoon #2 – Education for Death <u>http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eU1LHeim\_hA</u>



- 5. What is the moral of the fable used in the classroom?
- 6. Why is Hans scolded for his compassion towards the rabbit?
- 7. What is ultimately Hans' fate?
- 8. How do you think American audiences would have felt after seeing this film in a theatre? respond with at least 3 sentences!

## Cartoon #3 – Commando Duck <u>http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-y\_9w4BJwO0</u>

- 9. What stereotypes do you see in this film?
- 10. Why do you think these stereotypes are present in the film?
- 11. Besides being funny, what do you thing the point of this film is what purpose does it serve?