Focus Question: How and why did fascism rise in Italy?

A. As you read “Mussolini’s Rise to Power” and Mussolini’s Rule,” complete the flowchart below as you identify the main ideas under each heading.

- Dissatisfaction and Unrest
- Mussolini Takes Power
- Mussolini Changes Italy

B. As you read “The Nature of Fascism,” use the table below to identify the main ideas for each heading.

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Focus Question: How did Stalin transform the Soviet Union into a totalitarian state?

As you read this section in your textbook, complete the chart below by identifying the main ideas about the Soviet Union under Stalin for each heading.
Focus Question: How did Hitler and the Nazi Party establish and maintain a totalitarian government in Germany?
As you read this section in your textbook, complete the flowchart below to identify the main ideas about Hitler and the rise of Nazi Germany for each heading.

Under Nazis

Rise of Nazi Party

Under Weimar Republic
Fascist Governments in Europe, 1939

Directions: Locate and label the following countries: Poland, Italy, Hungary, Germany, Spain, and Yugoslavia. Then, record the year the totalitarian leaders took control of a country. Shade the two eastern European countries that did not have fascist governments. In the blank box, create a key for your finished map. You may use any map in the textbook chapter, unit opener, or Atlas for reference. Also, label every country shown on the map.