What is the UN?

• The United Nations is located in New York City.

• Intergovernmental organization which promotes international co-operation and to creates and maintains international order.

• Created in 1945
UNAMIR - United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda

- UN forces were in Rwanda beginning in October 5th 1993 to attempt to keep peace between pro-Tutsi RPF forces and pro-Hutu government forces
- Lead by Romeo Dallaire
April 6th 1994 8:30 pm- President Habiarymana’s plane shot down by ground to air missiles

April 7th 9:30 am- Death of Prime Minister: Presidential guard surrounded the house and assassinated her.
• April 7th 1994- Execution of Belgian peace keepers- 10 Belgian peace keepers tortured and executed.

• April- white non-Rwandan refugees are evacuated by Belgian and French forces. No Rwandan Tutsi are evacuated.
April 11th 1994 - Attack in Ntarama 5,000 Tutsi are murdered

July 4th 1994 - RPF liberates Kigali