

The Cold War

Read Chapter 22, Section 4 and complete the following

DIRECTIONS: Using Headings and Subheadings Locate each heading below in your textbook. Then use the information under the correct subheading to help you write each answer.

I. Massive Retaliation

- A. Why did many Americans believe Truman's foreign policy was not working by the end of 1952? _____

- B. What two strategies did Eisenhower think were the key to victory in the Cold War?

- C. What was massive retaliation? _____

- D. How did Eisenhower cut military spending to \$34 billion? _____

- E. What was brinksmanship? _____

- F. What did Eisenhower tell the Chinese that helped to end the Korean War? _____

- G. Why did Egypt seize control of the Suez Canal in 1956? _____

II. Covert Operations

- A. What were two strategies American officials used to prevent other nations from aligning with the Soviet Union? _____

- B. How did the CIA respond to Jacobo Arbenz Guzmán's land reforms in Guatemala in 1951? _____

- C. Who had emerged as the leader of the Soviet Union by 1956? _____

- D. How did the Soviet destruction of an American U-2 spy plane impact the 1960 Paris Summit? _____

- E. In his farewell address, what did Eisenhower warn Americans to be on guard against? _____

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Review Chapter 22 and complete the following

The Cold War Begins, 1945–1960

Even before World War II ended, relations between the Soviet Union and United States deteriorated into a political standoff known as the Cold War. Joseph Stalin promoted the spread of communism. President Truman responded with a policy of containment. The threat of atomic war and fear of communism created anxiety among Americans.

DIRECTIONS: During Truman’s administration, the policy of containing communism was introduced. Explain how each of the policies or actions below supported containment.

1. **Truman Doctrine:** _____

2. **The Marshall Plan:** _____

3. **The Berlin Airlift:** _____

4. **NATO:** _____

5. **Korean War:** _____

6. **Project Venona:** _____

7. **Critical Thinking** Senator McCarthy played on Americans’ fear of communism until his investigation became a witch hunt. In your opinion, what activities, if any, warrant the suspension of the rights of an American citizen? Are there instances when the need for national security supersedes the rights of an individual? Explain.
