TERM 4 FINAL REVIEW

Vietnam War

- Gulf of Tonkin Incident & Resolution (#fakenews)
- Ho Chi Minh
- Vietminh
- Agent Orange
- Guerilla Warfare
- My Lai Massacre
- Domino Theory
- Vietnamization
- War Powers Act
- Kent State Shooting
 - o What happened?
 - o How did Americans react?
 - o What did it show about trusting the Govt?

Counter Culture

- Who were the Beatniks?
- Who are the Hippies?

Cuban Missile Crisis

- Bay of Pigs
- What was the US responsible for doing?
- What was the result of the Cuban Missile Crisis?

1970's

- Watergate
 - o Increased American's distrust of govt. & elected officials
- War Powers Act of 1973
 - o Limits the authority of president as commander in chief
- Iran Hostage Crisis
- OPEC definition
 - Used oil as a political weapon against countries
- Lyndon B. Johnson
 - Great Society tried to help the disadvantaged of society
 - Did a lot to help civil rights

1980's

- Reaganomics
 - o Tax cuts for businesses and the wealthy (Trickle-down)
- Reagan's military objectives
 - Extensive anti-missile satellite system (Star Wars Initiative)
 - Cut spending on domestic programs while increased defense spending
- "New Right" movement

- fiscal conservatives
- Berlin Wall
 - Definition of Perestroika and Glasnost
 - Political groups seek more freedom of speech and movement after fall of wall
- Iran/Contra Scandal
 - What the scandal was about
 - o Who were the contras?
- Afghan/Soviet War
 - Gave aid, money, and supplies to fight the communists
 - o We did not help Afghanistan rebuild following the war

Civil Rights

- Martin Luther King Jr. tactics
- Rosa Parks
- Type of protesting: sit-ins/Freedom Rides/Marches/Boycotts/ect
- Pres. Eisenhower sending federal troops to enforce integration (Little Rock 9)
- Malcolm X approach to civil rights protests (violence against white society)
- March on Washington 1963 organized support for passage of Civil Rights legislation
- Reconstruction Amendments (13,14,15)
 - o 14th = equal protection under the law

Modern History

- 1990's
 - Automation led to increased number of unemployed of unskilled workers
 - Technology makes it much easier to influence legislators
 - Operation Desert Storm
 - Liberation of Kuwait Iraq invaded behind Hussein
 - Clinton
 - impeached but not removed from office for perjury
- 2000's
 - US War with Afghanistan result from 9/11
 - o Osama Bin Laden
 - Responsible for:
 - World Trade Center bombing in parking garage
 - Sept 11th attacks
 - Attacks on US embassies in Kenya & Tanzania