

★ **Guided Reading Activity 15-1**

DIRECTIONS: Recalling Facts Read the section and answer the questions below. Refer to your textbook to write the answers.

1. How did the Soviets influence the political situation in Poland at the end of World War II?

2. What were the differences of opinion among Churchill, Roosevelt, and Stalin regarding Poland's future? _____

3. What compromises about Poland's new government did Stalin agree to make at the end of the war? _____

4. What right did the Declaration of Liberated Europe give to the people of Europe? _____

5. How was Germany divided at the end of World War II? _____

6. What did Stalin demand from Germany after it was defeated? _____

7. How did Roosevelt suggest that Germany pay for the damage it had caused? _____

8. What name was given to the era between 1946 and 1990 in which the United States and the Soviet Union were hostile toward one another? _____

9. Why did the Soviets want to keep Germany weak? _____

10. What did Roosevelt believe was the key to world peace? _____

11. What did Truman believe was critical to Europe's recovery? _____

12. What did Truman suggest to Stalin at the Potsdam Conference regarding reparations from Germany? _____

13. After Stalin rejected Truman's suggestion, what did Truman offer as a compromise? _____

14. Which countries in Eastern Europe had pro-Soviet Communist governments? _____

15. What term was used to describe the Communist countries of eastern Europe? _____

★ **Guided Reading Activity 15-2**

DIRECTIONS: Recording Who, What, When, Where, Why, and How Read the section and answer the questions below. Refer to your textbook to write the answers.

1. Who suggested that the United States keep the Soviet Union from expanding its power until communism fell apart from its own weaknesses? _____

2. What policy was based on keeping communism within its territory through diplomatic, military, and economic actions? _____

3. How did the Soviet Union signal a push into Iran and the Middle East? _____

4. When did Greek Communists launch a guerrilla war against the Greek government? _____

5. What was the stated intent of the Truman Doctrine? _____

6. Who proposed the European Recovery Program? _____

7. What had U.S. officials concluded about the Soviets by early 1948? _____

8. How did the United States, Great Britain, and France form the Federal Republic of Germany (West Germany)? _____

9. Why did Truman order the Berlin airlift? _____

10. What agreement did NATO members make with each other? _____

11. Where did conflicts of the Cold War emerge besides Europe? _____

12. How did the United States keep representatives of Communist China out of the United Nations? _____

13. What was General Douglas MacArthur's mission in Japan? _____

14. How was Truman able to get the United Nations to act on Korea? _____

15. What concern shaped American foreign policy throughout the Cold War? _____

★ Guided Reading Activity 15-3

DIRECTIONS: Identifying Supporting Details Read each main idea. Use your textbook to supply the details that support or explain each main idea.

❑ **MAIN IDEA:** Public accusations and trials followed in the wake of fears of communism and spies.

1. **Detail:** The Red Scare began when Igor Gouzenko defected with documents revealing a Soviet effort to infiltrate organizations and _____.
2. **Detail:** _____ is an effort to secretly weaken a society and overthrow its government.
3. **Detail:** Between 1947 and 1951 more than 6 million _____ were screened for their loyalty to the U.S. government.
4. **Detail:** FBI Director _____ urged the _____ to hold public hearings on Communist subversion.
5. **Detail:** People who used their Fifth Amendment rights to protect themselves from self-incrimination were often _____, meaning they were refused work.
6. **Detail:** The University of California required its faculty members to take _____ and fired those who refused.

❑ **MAIN IDEA:** Senator Joseph R. McCarthy used the fear of communism to increase his own power and destroy the reputations of many people.

7. **Detail:** Senator McCarthy claimed he had a list with the names of 205 Communists working for the _____.
8. **Detail:** McCarthy distributed a booklet called _____, which accused _____ leaders of corruption and protecting Communists.
9. **Detail:** In 1952, after Republicans won control of Congress, McCarthy became chairman of the _____.
10. **Detail:** In 1954, the Senate passed a vote of _____ against McCarthy—one of the most serious criticisms it can level against a Senate member.

❑ **MAIN IDEA:** Obsessed with fear of a nuclear attack, many Americans took steps to protect themselves.

11. **Detail:** To protect themselves from a nuclear bomb, some families built backyard _____ and stocked them with canned goods.
12. **Detail:** Worries about nuclear war and Communism fed people's imagination and soon appeared in popular _____ among other media.

★ **Guided Reading Activity 15-4**

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 brinkmanship? _____

- 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? _____
