CONNECTICUT UNITED STATES HISTORY II · UNIT 3

The Cold War — Practice Test

Connecticut United States History II • 25 questions

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1 **Which term matches this description: rivalry between the United States and the Soviet Union**

- A Cold War
- B Containment
- C Truman Doctrine
- D Marshall Plan

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2 **Which term matches this description: a policy to stop the spread of communism**

A Truman Doctrine

B Containment

C Marshall Plan

D NATO

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3 **Which term matches this description: aid to countries resisting communism**

A Marshall Plan

B NATO

C Truman Doctrine

D Warsaw Pact

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4 **Which term matches this description: American aid rebuilding Europe after the war**

- A NATO
- B Warsaw Pact
- C Korean War
- D Marshall Plan

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5 **Which term matches this description: a military alliance of Western nations**

- A NATO
- B Warsaw Pact
- C Korean War
- D Vietnam War

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6 **Which term matches this description: a military alliance of Soviet bloc nations**

A Korean War

B Warsaw Pact

C Vietnam War

D Cuban Missile Crisis

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7 **Which term matches this description: a war in Korea from 1950 to 1953**

A Vietnam War

B Cuban Missile Crisis

C Korean War

D Space race

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8 **Which term matches this description: a war in Vietnam involving the United States**

A Cuban Missile Crisis

B Space race

C McCarthyism

D Vietnam War

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9 **Which term matches this description: a 1962 standoff over missiles in Cuba**

A Cuban Missile Crisis

B Space race

C McCarthyism

D Berlin Wall

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10 **Which term matches this description: competition to explore space during the Cold War**

- A McCarthyism
- B Space race
- C Berlin Wall
- D Iron Curtain

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11 **Which term matches this description: accusations of disloyalty without proof in the 1950s**

- A Berlin Wall
- B Iron Curtain
- C McCarthyism
- D Arms race

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12 **Which term matches this description: a wall dividing Berlin from 1961 to 1989**

A Iron Curtain

B Arms race

C Detente

D Berlin Wall

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13 **Which term matches this description: the division between communist and Western Europe**

A Iron Curtain

B Arms race

C Detente

D Domino theory

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14 **Which term matches this description: competition to build up weapons**

A Detente

B Arms race

C Domino theory

D Proxy war

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15 **Which term matches this description: a easing of tensions between superpowers**

A Domino theory

B Proxy war

C Detente

D Soviet Union

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16 **Which term matches this description: the idea that one country falling would topple others**

A Proxy war

B Soviet Union

C Communism

D Domino theory

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17 **Which term matches this description: a war fought by allies on behalf of great powers**

A Proxy war

B Soviet Union

C Communism

D Capitalism

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18 **Which term matches this description: a communist state lasting from 1922 to 1991**

A Communism

B Soviet Union

C Capitalism

D Cold War

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19 **Which term matches this description: a system aiming for common ownership and no classes**

A Capitalism

B Cold War

C Communism

D Containment

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20 **Which term matches this description: an economy based on private ownership and markets**

A Cold War

B Containment

C Truman Doctrine

D Capitalism

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21 **Which statement about Cold War is correct**

A rivalry between the United States and the Soviet Union

B a policy to stop the spread of communism

C aid to countries resisting communism

D American aid rebuilding Europe after the war

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22 **Which statement about Containment is correct**

A aid to countries resisting communism

B a policy to stop the spread of communism

C American aid rebuilding Europe after the war

D a military alliance of Western nations

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23 **Which statement about Truman Doctrine is correct**

A American aid rebuilding Europe after the war

B a military alliance of Western nations

C aid to countries resisting communism

D a military alliance of Soviet bloc nations

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24 **Which statement about Marshall Plan is correct**

A a military alliance of Western nations

B a military alliance of Soviet bloc nations

C a war in Korea from 1950 to 1953

D American aid rebuilding Europe after the war

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25 **Which statement about NATO is correct**

A a military alliance of Western nations

B a military alliance of Soviet bloc nations

C a war in Korea from 1950 to 1953

D a war in Vietnam involving the United States

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ANSWER KEY

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. A
6. B
7. C
8. D
9. A
10. B
11. C
12. D
13. A
14. B
15. C
16. D
17. A
18. B
19. C
20. D
21. A
22. B
23. C
24. D
25. A

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