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The Cold War — Practice Test

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Reading II - A Canadian Soldier Letter, Korea, 1951

Use this reading for questions 1 to 2.

We hold a hill in bitter cold. Shells fall at night, and in the morning we repair trenches and share what food we have.

We are not here alone. Soldiers from many countries fight under the United Nations flag beside us, and that shared duty keeps us going.

- A Canadian soldier, in an invented letter, 1951

1 **The main idea of Reading II, the 1951 Korea letter, is that Canadian soldiers in Korea fought as part of a**

- A force fighting alone for Canada
- B force supporting North Korea
- C peacekeeping force with no fighting
- D United Nations force alongside many countries

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2 **According to Reading II, the soldier drew strength from the shared duty of soldiers fighting under the**

A United Nations flag

B Warsaw Pact flag

C League of Nations flag

D Red Cross flag only

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3 **The diagram compares the two Cold War alliances. The shared middle region, military alliance, belongs to both, while Canada as a member belongs to**



A the Warsaw Pact only

B neither alliance

C both alliances

D NATO only

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4 **The Berlin Wall was built in 1961 by East Germany mainly to stop East Germans from**



A entering the Soviet Union

B visiting Poland

C trading with France

D fleeing to West Berlin

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5 **McCarthyism in the United States in the early 1950s was a campaign of fear about communism that led to blacklists and accusations against**

A British soldiers

B suspected communists

C foreign tourists only

D farmers only

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ANSWER KEY

1. D
2. A
3. D
4. D
5. B

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