TEXAS UNITED STATES HISTORY II · UNIT 3

The Cold War — Practice Test

Texas United States History II • 10 questions

This practice test was made by AI and there may be mistakes. If a question or answer looks wrong, use the Flag a mistake button to let Brett know so he can fix it.

1 **The Suez Crisis of 1956 involved Egypt nationalizing which canal?**

- A Panama Canal
- B Suez Canal
- C Kiel Canal
- D Erie Canal

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

2 **The Hungarian Uprising of 1956 was suppressed by forces from which country?**

A The United States

B Britain

C The Soviet Union

D France

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

3 **The Prague Spring of 1968 was an attempt at reform in which country that was suppressed by Warsaw Pact forces?**

A Poland

B Czechoslovakia

C Hungary

D Romania

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

4 **President Richard Nixon visit to China in 1972 opened relations with which Chinese leader government?**

A Chiang Kai shek

B Deng Xiaoping

C Sun Yat sen

D Mao Zedong

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

5 **The Camp David Accords of 1978 brokered by President Jimmy Carter led to peace between Egypt and which country?**

A Jordan

B Israel

C Syria

D Lebanon

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

6 **The Iran hostage crisis began in 1979 when American diplomats were seized in which city?**

A Baghdad

B Kabul

C Tehran

D Riyadh

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

7 **President Ronald Reagan called the Soviet Union an evil empire and supported a military buildup plus which missile defense proposal?**

A Manhattan Project

B Strategic Defense Initiative

C Apollo Program

D Mutual Assured Destruction

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

8 **The Solidarity movement in Poland in the 1980s was a labor movement led by which shipyard worker?**

A Lech Walesa

B Vaclav Havel

C Mikhail Gorbachev

D Boris Yeltsin

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

9 **In what year did the Soviet Union dissolve?**

ANSWER _____

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

Source I - A Berlin Resident Account 1989

Use this reading for question 10.

Crowds gathered at the wall in November and guards opened the crossings. Families who had been separated for years embraced in the streets. Within a year, the two German states were moving toward one country again.

10 **The fall of the Berlin Wall in 1989 led most directly to what?**

- **A** The start of the Korean War
- **B** The creation of NATO
- **C** The Cuban Missile Crisis
- **D** German reunification in 1990

Understand It with Pulse | Flag a mistake

ANSWER KEY

1. B
2. C
3. B
4. D
5. B
6. C
7. B
8. A
9. 1991
10. D

© 2026 Brett Robbins. All Rights Reserved.