

QUESTIONS: THE COLD WAR (TEACHER GUIDE)

1. B is the correct answer because the passage states that the rivalry between the Soviet Union and the United States, known as the Cold War, began when World War Two ended.
2. G is the correct answer because the passage mentions that President Truman vowed to support democratic countries impacted by the war to prevent the spread of communism.
3. B is the correct answer because the passage specifically mentions that the Soviet Union developed "five-year plans" to control what and how much was produced.
4. G is the correct answer because the passage states that many East German citizens fled to West Germany due to better economic conditions.
5. C is the correct answer because the passage mentions that the Soviet Union's military spending caused its economy to suffer, and ordinary citizens felt the strain.
6. H is the correct answer because the passage states that on November 9, 1989, the Berlin Wall was taken down, allowing East and West German citizens to visit each other.
7. B is the correct answer because the passage mentions that Gorbachev introduced two policies, perestroika and glasnost, to modernize the Soviet Union.
8. G is the correct answer because the passage states that perestroika aimed to modernize and rebuild the Soviet Union by reducing military spending and focusing on creating businesses.
9. C is the correct answer because the passage mentions that perestroika led to high levels of inflation and increased government spending, negatively impacting the economy.