

Cold War Web Quest

Using the links provided answer the sets of questions below on the worksheet provided.

The Marshall Plan

<http://www.marshallfoundation.org/TheMarshallPlan.htm>

1. How much countries were assisted under the Marshall Plan?
2. What was the primary goal of the Marshall Plan?
3. What type of aid was given to European countries?

PBS - Berlin Airlift

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/airlift/map/index.html>

4. How was Germany divided after World War II? (Be specific)

The National Archives

<http://www.archives.gov/education/lessons/korean-conflict/>

5. What was America's foreign policy centered on after World War II?
6. When and where did the Korean War break out?
7. Why did the United States become involved in the Korean conflict?

Veterans Museum and Memorial Center

<http://www.veteranmuseum.org/koreanwar.html>

8. Who was commander-in-chief of the UN forces during the Korean Conflict?
9. When was the cease fire agreement signed?
10. What was the total number of Americans killed in the Korean conflict?

NASA

<http://history.nasa.gov/sputnik/>

11. What was Sputnik?
12. What did Sputnik launch the start of?

Newseum - The Berlin Wall

<http://www.newseum.org/berlinwall/riseandfall/index.htm>

13. What was the purpose of the Berlin Wall?

14. Describe the Berlin Wall. Be Specific!

15. What was the "Iron Curtain"?

Department of the Navy, Navy Historical Center
<http://www.history.navy.mil/faqs/faq90-1.htm>

16. Who were the leaders of the following countries during the Cuban Missile Crisis?

United States -

Soviet Union -

Cuba -

The National Archives
<http://www.loc.gov/exhibits/archives/colc.html>

17. What caused President Kennedy alarm on October 16, 1962?

18. How did the Cuban Missile Crisis end?

The National Museum of American History
http://americanhistory.si.edu/subs/history/timeline/different/america_wars.html

19. How did the wars in Vietnam start?

Vietnam War Summary
<http://militaryhistory.about.com/od/vietnamwar/p/VietnamBrief.htm>

20. What years were American ground forces directly involved in the war?

21. Following the Gulf of Tonkin incident Congress passed the Southeast Asia Resolution. Who was the President at that time AND what did it allow the President to do?

History Central
<http://www.militaryfactory.com/vietnam/casualties.asp#13>

22. In what year did the United States have the highest fatalities? How many?

Cold War Studies - Reunification of Germany
http://www.coldwar.org/articles/90s/reunification_of_germany.asp

23. When was Germany reunified as one country?

The National Museum of American History

<http://americanhistory.si.edu/subs/history/timeline/end/index.html>

24. What brought about the end to the Cold War?