AP US History

Period 9 Study Guide

Test: 50 Multiple Choice Questions; 2 Short Answer Questions

George Kennan

Containment

Capitalism

Communism

Mao Zedong

Sino-Soviet Pact

Cuban Missile Crisis – causes (immediate, long-term), results

Kent State University – why protesting, results

“Silent Majority”

Tet Offensive

Agent Orange

Bombings of Laos and Cambodia – who, why, result

Civil Rights Act of 1964

Voting Rights Act of 1965

Foreign Policy actions under Kennedy

Foreign Policy actions under LBJ

LBJ – domestic policies

*Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka Kansas*, 1954

Iron Curtain

NATO

Warsaw Pact

NAFTA

OPEC

Great Society – purpose, elements, results

Military-industrial complex

Truman Doctrine

Marshall Plan

Nikita Khrushchev

Election of 1968

Manhattan Project

Arms Race (what developed, when?)

Baby Boom

Gender Roles in the 1950s

GI Bill

Joseph McCarthy

2nd Red Scare

1950s consumerism

INF Treaty

SALT I

SALT II

START

SDI

Détente

Vietnamization

Nixon traveled to which communist countries?

Berlin Wall – president when it went up, president when it went down?

Mikhail Gorbachev

New Right

Reaganomics vs. Keynesian economics

Reagan’s tax policies

Reagan’s policies on social welfare policy

Foreign policy under Reagan

Economy of the 1980s

Foreign conflict under George H. W. Bush + causes, results

Foreign conflict under George W. Bush + causes, results

Foreign conflicts under Bill Clinton (multiple)

Contract with America

Immigration Act of 1965 – cause, results

Rachel Carson

EPA – what, when implemented

Endangered Species Act – what, when implemented

Earth Day – when implemented

Causes of new environmentalist push

Fall of Soviet Union

Civil Rights movement in 1960s inspired which other groups to seek rights in the 1970s and beyond?

List the presidents from Truman to GW Bush, and the years they served (be able to strongly identify presidents with legislation, foreign conflict, etc)