AP US History: Exam Review #7

US Since 1945 (End of WWII)

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| **1946:** | Kennan’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – prevent spread of communism |
|   | -Employment Act – goal to have full employment |
|   | -Atomic Energy Act – establish Atomic Energy Commission – develop better bombs |
|   | -President’s commission on Civil Rights – advocate rights |
|   | -Philippines get \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|   | -Churchill's "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_" speech in response to Russian aggression |
| **1947:** | The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – economic aid to Europe after WWII |
|   | -Taft –Hartley Act – 80 cooling period not to strike – labor leaders must sign Non-Communist oath |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Doctrine – financial commitment to nations fighting Communism |
|   | -Federal Employee Loyalty Program – anti-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ oaths |
|   | -National Security Act – created CIA |
|   | -Jackie Robinson breaks color barrier |
| **1948:** | Election of 1848- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ defeats Dewey and Thurman (Dixiecrat) |
|   | -Truman desegregates armed forces |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Blockade - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Airlift |
|   | -OAS – Alliance of North America and South America |
|   | -Alger Hiss Case – convicted of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|   | -Nuremberg trials |
| **1949:** | NATO formed |
|   | -Civil War leads to communist victory in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|   | -Russia’s 1st A-Bomb |
|   | -Department of Defense created |
|   | -West and East Germany created |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Deal: most don’t pass; Housing Act (construction increases); minimum wage increases |
|   | -Orwell, Nineteen Eighty-Four |
| **1950:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ War begins – enter because of containment |
|   | -McCarran Internal Security Act – illegal to contribute to Communism |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – fear of communism wide spread in US |
|   | -National Security Council Memo 68 – beginning of massive defense spending |
| **1951:** | \_\_\_\_\_nd Amendment – President can only serve 2 terms or 10 years |
|   | -Denis vs. United States- upheld Smith Act under “clear and present danger clause” |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – by JD Salinger |
|   | -US – Japanese Treaty – bases in Japan |
|   | -ANZUS – Australia, New Zealand, and US ally |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fired by Truman  |
| **1952:** | Election of 1952: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (will end war) vs. Stevenson |
| **1953:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ executed for communism |
|   | -terminate reservations for N.A. |
|   | -Armistice in Korea – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_th parallel |
|   | -Shah of Iran returns to power in coup – to keep Iran from going communist |
|   | -Stalin dies, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in control of Russia |
| **1954:** | Army – McCarthy hearings – brought down Joseph McCarthy |
|   | -Brown vs. Board of Education – overturns \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ v. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ decision |
|   | -SEATO created |
|   | -Fall of Dien Bien Phu – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lose in Vietnam |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Conference – reduction of nuclear weapons, divide Vietnam along 17th parallel – elections in a year |
|   | -Mao bombs Taiwan – Eisenhower threatens to send troops in and the A-bomb – policy called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|   | -China bombs Taiwan – Eisenhower sends in troops – China backs off |
| **1955:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bus boycott begins – Rosa Parks |
|   | -AFL and the CIO merge |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Pact: USSR and Eastern European allies unite to counter NATO |
| **1956:** | Election of 1956: Eisenhower re-elected: ended Korean “War” and balanced budget |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_ Crisis – Egyptian President nationalizes canal |
|   | -Howl – by Allen \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – bohemianism – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Generation |
|   | -Interstate Highway Act -  building federal roads; movement into rural area; creation of suburbs |
|   | -Hungarian Revolution – rebel against Communism – US doesn’t support |
|   | -US puts \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in power in South Vietnam |
|   | -Election 1956: Eisenhower defeats Stevenson again |
| **1957:** | Eisenhower Doctrine – extends to Truman Doctrine to Middle East – help fight Commies |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Theory - if one country fell to Communism, it would undermine another that one would fall, producing a domino effect. |
|   | -Baby Boom peaks |
|   | -Civil Rights Act- create permanent civil rights commission – supervise voting |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Arkansas school desegregation |
|   | -Russians launch \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – space race |
|   | -1st nuclear power plant |
|   | -On the Road by Jack \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **1958:** | National Defense Education Act- funding to math, science, and language programs |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ formed |
| **1959:** | Cuban Revolution –\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ invades, becomes new leader |
|   | -Labor Reform Act – protect employees |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ admitted as states |
| **1960:** | U-2 incident – US spy plane goes down in USSR – convert operation discovered |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sit -in |
|   | -Civil Rights Act – federal government registers black voters |
|   | -Election 1960: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Dem) defeats Nixon (Rep) – 1st TV debate |
|   | -National Liberation Front – Viet Cong formed |
| **1961:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: attempt to overthrow Castro – fails |
|   | -Trade Embargo on Cuba |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - to build up Third World nations in Latin America to the point where they could manage their own affairs. |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ built to stop crossing |
|   | -Peace Corps – encouraged US citizens to help third world countries |
|   | -Coup regime in Vietnam – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ assassinated |
|   | -Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) - an Arab majority - oil trade - joined together to protect themselves. |
| **1962:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – USSR sends missiles to Cuba – US removes missiles from Turkey and USSR from Cuba |
|   | -Baker vs. Carr – end of gerrymandering – manipulating voting districts |
|   | -Engel v. Vitale -  prayer in public schools were banned on violation the First Amendment. |
|   | -*Silent Spring* by Rachel Carson – on pollution |
|   | -Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) - condemned anti-Democratic tendencies of large corporations, racism and poverty |
| **1963:** | Kennedy assassinated by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ becomes President |
|   | -Test Ban Treaty – no testing in atmosphere or ocean – US, USSR, Br |
|   | -March on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Martin Luther King Jr. I have a Dream Speech |
|   | -The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , by Betty Friedan |
| **1964:** | 24th Amendment – outlaws poll tax |
|   | -US enters Vietnam War - Tonkin Gulf – 1 bullet fired at US ship causes war: |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Resolution  - Johnson can police Vietnam |
|   | -War Powers Act – restrained president’s ability to commit troops overseas |
|   | -Economic Opportunity Act: Job Core for youth training; Volunteers in Service to America (VISTA); Office of Economic Opportunity – establish Equal Opportunity Laws |
|   | -Civil Rights Act: public accommodations could not be segregated and that nobody could be denied access to public accommodation on the basis of race. |
|   | -Tax reduction |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- Platform for LBJ's campaign, it stressed the 5 P's: Peace, Prosperity, anti-Poverty, Prudence and Progress. |
| **1965:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – aid to elderly |
|   | -Higher Education Act – Federal Scholarships |
|   | -Ralph Nadar's *Unsafe at any Speed* -criticized poor construction and design of automobiles |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (CA) and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (MI) race riots - army sent in |
|   | -Voting Rights Act - it allowed for supervisors to register Blacks to vote in places where they had not been allowed to vote before |
| **1966:** | Department of Housing and Urban Development established |
|   | -Department of Transportation created |
|   | -National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act – promote car safety requirements |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ v. Arizona –the accused must be read his/her rights |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (NOW) - advocate equal rights |
| **1967:** | 25th Amendment – Allowed VP who becomes Pres. to pick a new VP |
| **1968:** | Election of 1968 – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shot; \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ elected |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – Viet Cong attacks during Vietnamese holiday |
|   | -War extended to Laos and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|   | -Civil Rights Act - attempted to provide Blacks with equal-opportunity housing. |
| **1969:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ begins – slow withdrawal of troops from Vietnam |
|   | -Nixon Doctrine – reducing number of troops abroad by helping nations economically and militarily |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ walks on the moon |
|   | -Warren E. Burger appointed - a conservative to fill Earl Warren's liberal spot |
|   | -U.S. bombed North Vietnamese positions in Cambodia and Laos. Technically illegal because Cambodia and Laos were neutral |
| **1970:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ University – Protest war – troops sent in – 4 die |
| **1971:** | Reed v. Reed – outlawed sexual discrimination |
|   | -Desegregation – kids bused into black/white schools |
|   | -New Economic Policy: wage and price controls to curb inflation |
| **1972:** | Election of 1972: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ re-elected defeating McGovern in largest landslide victory |
|   | -Nixon visits \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: eases tensions (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Nuclear arms limitation agreement |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Scandal begins: burglarizing and wiretapping the national headquarters of the Democratic Party |
|   | - investigation headed by Baker |
|   | -Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) - proposed the 27th Amendment, calling for equal rights for both sexes |
| **1973:** | VP Agnew resigns: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ replaces him |
|   | -Treaty of Paris: Ends Vietnam – troops withdrawn – Vietnam temp. divided again |
|   | -Gideon v. Wainwright - court decided that state and local courts must provide counsel for defendants in felony cases |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ v. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - restricting abortion is unconstitutional. |
| **1974:** | Nixon \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|   | -Ford \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Nixon |
|   | -Khmer Rouge – ruthless regime established in Cambodia |
| **1975:** | US ship Mayaguez attacked by Cambodia - crew rescued |
|   | -South Vietnam becomes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (country united) |
| **1976:** | Election of 1975: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ defeats Ford |
| **1977:** | US gives up rights to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in 1999 |
| **1978:** | China and US agree to establish diplomatic relations |
| **1979:** | Create Department of Energy and Department of Education |
|   | -Fuel shortage |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Peace between Israel and Egypt |
|   | -Shah expelled from Iran: American embassy taken hostage: Carter’s rescue mission fails |
|   | -SALT II - Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty with Russia - removed after Russia attacked Afghanistan |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Island - power plant failure emits radiation in Pennsylvania |
| **1980:** | : Election of 1980: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wins with his “Reaganomics” program of reducing taxes and spending (aka "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_" and "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-down" economics) |
|  | -Iran hostages released |
|   | -Olympic Boycott - The U.S. withdrew from the competition held in Moscow to protest the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan |
| **1981:** | Air Traffic Controllers Strike |
|   | -Assassination attempt on Reagan |
|   | -Economic Recovery Tax Bill |
|   | -\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_becomes first woman Supreme Court justice |
| **1983:** | Military invasion of Grenada (Caribbean island) to stop Communism |
|   | -American peacekeeping force in Lebanon attacked by terrorists - 241 dead |
| **1984:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ re-elected in landslide victory |
| **1986:** | US bombs terrorist targets in Libya |
| **1987:** | Reagan’s speech in Berlin, “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_!” |
| **1988:** | Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty (INF Treaty) limiting intermediate-range nuclear missiles with Russia |
|  | Reagan’s VP, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ elected president on the promise of “No New \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” |
| **1989:****1991:****1992:****1994:****1998:** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ comes down**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** dissolves, ending the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ elected president over incumbent, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and third party candidate, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.House Speaker Newt Gingrich passes a plan called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that reduces thefederal deficit and cuts welfare-state programs\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ signed; eliminates all tariffs between US, Canada, & MexicoClinton \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, aka lying under oath, specifically about his relationship with White House intern, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. He remains in office.US troops sent to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a province of Serbian dominated Yugoslavia where a civil war broke out between them and Serbians. When the United States joined with them and led a bombing against the Serbians, the Serbian leader, Slobodan Milosevic, took a little more than a week to agree to ceasefire. |

**2000:** Closest presidential election since 1876. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ beat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ even though \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ won the popular vote**. In \_\_\_\_\_\_\_v.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** the recount was stopped because the recounts violated the equal protection clause as all voters in the state were not being treated the same way.