

## History - The 1960's

### Multiple Choice

Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

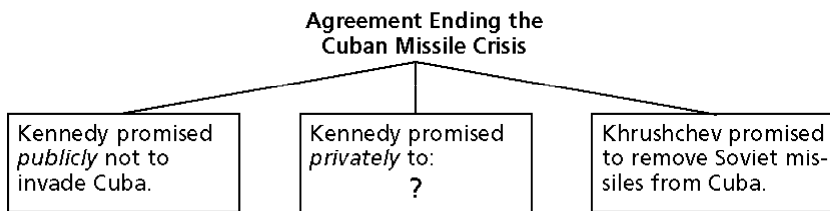
- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. In the 1960 presidential campaign, television was used for the first time to
- report election results.
  - broadcast candidates' speeches.
  - advertise candidates.
  - poll voters.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The outcome of the 1960 presidential election was strongly influenced by
- Nixon's "Checkers speech."
  - the televised debates.
  - Kennedy's stand on communism.
  - reapportionment.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Kennedy's legislative agenda was called the
- Great Society.
  - New Frontier.
  - Fair Deal.
  - Square Deal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Kennedy convinced Congress to invest more funds in
- defense and space exploration.
  - health insurance for the elderly.
  - urban affairs.
  - education.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. In response to the recommendations of the Presidential Commission on the Status of Women, President Kennedy
- appointed a woman to his cabinet.
  - ordered an end to gender discrimination in the federal civil service.
  - established Mother's Day as a national holiday.
  - established a minimum wage for women in the workplace.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. The decision in the case of *Reynolds v. Sims* was important because it shifted political power
- from the North to the South and West.
  - from urban areas to rural areas.
  - from rural areas to urban areas.
  - from urban areas to suburban areas.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Kennedy's "flexible response" plan called for
- a buildup of nuclear weapons.
  - a buildup of conventional weapons.
  - establishing military bases around the world.
  - building alliances around the world.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. During the space race, Kennedy's goal for the nation was to be the first to
- put a man into space.
  - put a man into orbit.
  - land a man on the moon.
  - build a space station.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. The purpose of the Warren Commission was to
- find out who was at fault for the disastrous invasion of Cuba.
  - make recommendations for ending gender discrimination in employment.
  - make recommendations for ending racial discrimination in employment.
  - find out if more than one person was involved in the Kennedy assassination.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Johnson's goals for a better America were supported by
- the hardships caused by the slumping economy.
  - the prosperity resulting from the strong economy.
  - the success of unions in organizing workers.
  - the failure of business to create enough jobs.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. To soothe religious concerns during the campaign, Kennedy spoke in support of
- school prayer.
  - individual choice over prayer in school.
  - teaching creationism in school.
  - separation of church and state.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Kennedy was unable to pass many of his domestic programs because
- the Republicans held a large majority in the Senate.
  - the Republicans held a large majority in the House of Representatives.
  - Republicans controlled the most influential committees in Congress.
  - many Democrats in Congress did not feel that he helped them win their seats.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. In an effort to increase growth and create more jobs, Kennedy advocated
- deficit spending.
  - public works programs.
  - price controls.
  - raising taxes for the wealthiest Americans.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. To get the economy moving, Kennedy adopted the supply-side idea of
- reducing taxes.
  - increasing taxes.
  - lowering interest rates.
  - raising interest rates.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. The principle of "one man, one vote" meant that
- all citizens of voting age should be allowed to register to vote.
  - all citizens' votes should have equal weight.
  - discriminatory voting practices should end.
  - the House of Representatives should have voting power equal to senators.

- \_\_\_ 16. Reapportionment required by the Warren Court boosted the political power of
  - a. poor rural farmers.
  - b. Southern conservatives.
  - c. African Americans.
  - d. big business.
- \_\_\_ 17. The Fourteenth Amendment requires
  - a. trial by jury.
  - b. due process.
  - c. habeas corpus.
  - d. that all defendants have a lawyer.
- \_\_\_ 18. The Alliance for Progress was a
  - a. series of programs to improve life in American inner cities.
  - b. job program that sent young people to work in poor American school districts.
  - c. series of cooperative aid projects with Latin American governments.
  - d. free-trade agreement between the United States and Latin American countries.
- \_\_\_ 19. Which of the following choices best completes the diagram about the agreement ending the Cuban missile crisis?



- a. remove missiles from Florida.
  - b. remove missiles from Alaska.
  - c. remove missiles from China.
  - d. remove missiles from Turkey.
- \_\_\_ 20. The Office of Economic Opportunity was a major part of Johnson’s
    - a. health care reform program.
    - b. education reform program.
    - c. war on poverty.
    - d. consumer protection program.
  - \_\_\_ 21. Compared to earlier campaigns, the 1960 presidential race made new use of
    - a. the courts.
    - b. newspapers.
    - c. radio.
    - d. television.
  - \_\_\_ 22. The Supreme Court’s decision in *Reynolds v. Sims* shifted political power throughout the country to
    - a. urban areas.
    - b. rural areas.
    - c. the suburbs.
    - d. the South.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 23. In an effort to increase growth and create more jobs, Kennedy advocated the New Deal strategy of
- conservative spending.
  - deficit spending.
  - reapportionment.
  - balancing the budget.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 24. In *Gideon v. Wainwright*, the Supreme Court ruled that a defendant in a state court had the right to
- a telephone call.
  - remain silent.
  - a lawyer.
  - a speedy trial.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 25. Republicans as well as Southern Democrats viewed the New Frontier as
- too conservative.
  - too big and too costly.
  - elitist policies.
  - sound economic policies.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 26. On April 17, 1961, armed Cuban exiles landed on the south coast of Cuba at
- New Delhi.
  - Santiago de Cuba.
  - the Bay of Pigs.
  - Havanna.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 27. The man accused of killing President Kennedy appeared to be a confused and embittered Marxist named
- Fidel Castro.
  - Jack Ruby.
  - Earl Warren.
  - Lee Harvey Oswald.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 28. On October 22, 1962, President Kennedy announced that American spy planes had taken aerial photographs showing that the Soviet Union had placed long-range missiles in
- Cuba.
  - Germany.
  - the Bahamas.
  - Central America.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 29. President Kennedy pushed for a buildup of conventional troops and weapons that would allow the United States to fight with
- a flexible response.
  - nuclear threats.
  - nuclear weapons.
  - a rigid response.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 30. To improve relations between the United States and Latin America, President Kennedy proposed a series of cooperative aid projects with Latin American governments called
- La Brigada.
  - Alliance for Progress.
  - the Peace Corps.
  - the Bay of Pigs.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 31. Who was the first African American to serve in the cabinet as the secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development?
- Rosa Parks
  - Marion Barry
  - Robert Weaver
  - Jesse Jackson
- \_\_\_\_\_ 32. What was President Johnson's vision of the more perfect and equitable society the United States could and should become called?
- Fair Deal
  - New Deal
  - New Age
  - Great Society
- \_\_\_\_\_ 33. What did the Immigration Reform Act of 1965 eliminate that played a key role in changing the composition of the American population?
- all European immigration
  - the "national origins" system
  - Asian immigration
  - Mexican immigration
- \_\_\_\_\_ 34. Before the end of 1964, Johnson won passage of a tax cut, a major civil rights bill, and a significant
- anti-poverty program.
  - reforestation program.
  - cut in welfare.
  - highway system.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 35. At Johnson's urging, what did Congress set up in 1964 to create jobs and fight poverty?
- Medicare
  - Department of Housing and Urban Development
  - Office of Economic Opportunity
  - Project Head Start

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### MULTIPLE CHOICE

1. ANS: C                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1B | TEKS US23A | TAKS(10) 2:WH23A | TAKS(10) 3:WG18A | TAKS(11) 1:US1B | TAKS(11) 2:WG23A | TAKS(11) 3:US23A
2. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1B | TEKS US23A | TAKS(10) 2:WH23A | TAKS(11) 1:US1B | TAKS(11) 2:WG23A | TAKS(11) 3:US23A
3. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1A | TEKS US1B | TAKS(11) 1:US1A | TAKS(11) 1:US1B
4. ANS: A                   PTS: 1                   DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US14C | TEKS US22A | TAKS(11) 2:WG23A | TAKS(11) 3:US22A
5. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US7A | TEKS US21D | TAKS(11) 3:US21D | TAKS(11) 4:US7A
6. ANS: C                   PTS: 1                   DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US17A | TAKS(11) 4:US17A
7. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1A | TEKS US14C | TAKS(11) 1:US1A
8. ANS: C                   PTS: 1                   DIF: E  
STA: TEKS US1B | TEKS US23B | TAKS(11) 1:US1B | TAKS(11) 2:WG23A
9. ANS: D                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A                   STA: TEKS US1B | TAKS(11) 1:US1B
10. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US14A | TEKS US14B | TAKS(11) 3:US14A
11. ANS: D                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A                   STA: TEKS US19A | TEKS US19B
12. ANS: D                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1A | TEKS US24B | TAKS(10) 5:WH25C | TAKS(11) 1:US1A | TAKS(11) 5:US24B
13. ANS: A                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US14D | TEKS US21A | TAKS(11) 3:US21A
14. ANS: A                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US14D | TEKS US14E | TAKS(11) 3:US14E
15. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: E  
STA: TEKS US17A | TEKS US18C | TAKS(11) 4:US17A
16. ANS: C                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US17A | TAKS(11) 4:US17A
17. ANS: B                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A                   STA: TEKS US7A | TAKS(11) 4:US7A
18. ANS: C                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US14E | TAKS(11) 3:US14E | TAKS(11) 3:WG5B
19. ANS: D                   PTS: 1                   DIF: E  
STA: TEKS US25C | TAKS(11) 5:WH26C
20. ANS: C                   PTS: 1                   DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US14A | TEKS US19B | TAKS(11) 3:US14A | TEKS US19C
21. ANS: D                   PTS: 1                   DIF: E  
STA: TEKS US22A | TEKS US23A | TAKS(10) 2:WH23A | TAKS(10) 3:WG18A | TAKS(11) 3:US22A | TAKS(11) 3:US23A

22. ANS: A           PTS: 1           DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US17A | TAKS(11) 4:US17A
23. ANS: B           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US13E | TEKS US14D | TAKS(11) 3:US13E
24. ANS: C           PTS: 1           DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US17A | TAKS(11) 4:US17A
25. ANS: B           PTS: 1           DIF: A           STA: TEKS US1B | TAKS(11) 1:US1B
26. ANS: C           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1B | TAKS(11) 1:US1B | TAKS(11) 5:WG21C
27. ANS: D           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1B | TEKS US19B | TAKS(11) 1:US1B
28. ANS: A           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1B | TEKS US6D | TEKS US23A | TAKS(11) 1:US1B | TAKS(11) 1:US6D | TAKS(11) 3:US23A
29. ANS: A           PTS: 1           DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US1A | TEKS US14C | TAKS(11) 1:US1A
30. ANS: B           PTS: 1           DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US10B | TAKS(11) 2:US10B | TAKS(11) 3:WG5B
31. ANS: C           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US7D | TEKS US21A | TAKS(11) 3:US21A
32. ANS: D           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1A | TEKS US19B | TAKS(11) 1:US1A
33. ANS: B           PTS: 1           DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US10B | TAKS(11) 2:US10B
34. ANS: A           PTS: 1           DIF: A  
STA: TEKS US1A | TEKS US14D | TAKS(11) 1:US1A | TEKS US19C
35. ANS: C           PTS: 1           DIF: C  
STA: TEKS US14D | TEKS US21A | TAKS(11) 3:US21A | TEKS US19C

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  C   8.        C   16.        B   23.        C   31.

  C   1.        D   9.        B   17.        C   24.        D   32.

  B   2.        B   10.        C   18.        B   25.        B   33.

  B   3.        D   11.        D   19.        C   26.        A   34.

  A   4.        D   12.        D   27.        C   35.

  B   5.        A   13.        A   28.        C   20.

  C   6.        A   14.        A   29.        D   21.

  B   7.        B   15.        A   22.        B   30.