

US History II

Final Exam Study Guide – Glencoe Text

Directions: Use this study guide to prepare for the Final Exam. Write as many notes as you need to, either on this sheet or on a separate sheet(s) of paper. You will not be graded on the study guide; however, a thoroughly completed study guide will help you prepare for the Final Exam.

The peace treaty after World War I along with worldwide economic depression led to the rise of what type of government in several countries?

What ethnic group did Adolph Hitler blame Germany's problems on?

What were the Nuremberg Laws?

What was the Nazi “final solution”?

Why did Japan invade Manchuria?

The Neutrality Act of 1935 made it illegal for...

What was the first country taken over by Hitler (Germany)?

What was the agreement was made between Germany, France, and Britain at the Munich Conference?

The Nazi-Soviet nonaggression treaty contained a secret deal that called for the division of what country?

In the Battle of Britain, what saved the British from being defeated?

What was *Kristallnacht*?

What was the Lend-Lease Act between the U.S. and Britain?

What did Hitler hope to achieve by focusing on bombing London?

What was the appeasement policy between Britain/France and Germany?

Why did Roosevelt create the Fair Employment Practices Commission?

Why did American's buy bonds during World War II?

Why was Iwo Jima an important objective for the U.S. in WWII?

During World War II, one third (1/3) of all military equipment was produced by this industry...

How did the Supreme Court rule in the case *Korematsu v. the United States*?

In 1942, for what reason did Roosevelt and Churchill decide to attack the edges of the German empire?

What was the importance of the Battle of Stalingrad?

What was the Manhattan Project?

What was the purpose of the Nuremberg Trials?

At Yalta, the leaders agreed to recognize the Polish government that the Soviets had set up if Stalin agreed to...

At the Yalta Conference, the Allied leaders agreed to divide Germany into how many parts?

What were many returning soldiers able to purchase in thanks to the GI Bill?

Part of the American dream involved living in the...

The Truman Doctrine and the Marshall Plan were basically designed to do stop Communism through the use of what policy?

When the U.S., France, and Great Britain combined their zones of Germany, the Soviet Union responded by...

What was the purpose of the Marshall Plan?

Why was NATO formed?

What prompted the beginning of the Korean War?

United Nations troops were driven back across the 38th parallel into South Korea in an attack by which country?

What name did President Truman give to the majority Republican Congress?

Joseph McCarthy created the media frenzy that began his witch hunt by...

What method did Eisenhower use to prevent Communist revolutions in developing countries?

What was *Sputnik*? What did the U.S. feel they needed to improve because of it?

Which 20th century decade was known for prosperity in the U.S.?

The first televised presidential debate took place during what election? Who was the Republican candidate during this election?

What did President Kennedy call his legislative agenda?

President Kennedy's goal for America during the space race was for America to be the first to...

The purpose of the Warren Commission was to investigate...

The Office of Economic Opportunity was a major part of President Johnson's "war" on which social issue?

Which Great Society program is considered an entitlement program?

Who was John Glenn?

A bus boycott was organized by African Americans as a response to what event?

What methods did Martin Luther King Jr. believe were the best for fighting segregation?

The Civil Rights Act of 1957 was designed to...

In Little Rock, Arkansas, what did the governor do to try to prevent African Americans from entering a white school?

What idea did the ruling in *Plessy v. Ferguson* establish?

What was the purpose of the Freedom Riders?

What two events convinced Truman to help France in Vietnam?

For what reason(s) did the U.S. enter Vietnam after the French left?

To whom did the Gulf of Tonkin Resolution war powers?

What did President Eisenhower do to help South Vietnam?

What did the Pentagon Papers reveal about Vietnam?

What was the domino theory?

What is napalm?

After the Tet offensive, how did the mainstream American media perceive the war in Vietnam?

What group wrote the Port Huron Statement?

What was Woodstock?

Why did the Equal Rights Amendment fail?

Who was César Chávez?

What is Title IX of the Educational Amendments?

What did the Supreme Court determine in the ruling of *Roe v. Wade*?

Many Latinos wanted bilingualism in schools, which means...

Evidence seems to show that in Watergate, Nixon ordered the...

Affirmative action called for companies and institutions to...

By the 1970's, the U.S. economy had become heavily dependant on what resource?

President Carter imposed an embargo on the sale of grain to the Soviet Union because the Soviets invaded...

What was Ronald Reagan's profession before entering into politics?

Supply-side economists believed that tax cuts would result in...

What did Reagan believe massive Soviet defense spending would ultimately lead to?

For what purpose did officials sell weapons to Iran during the Iran-Contra?

To keep the deficit under control, President Reagan planned to cut what type of programs?

Reagan wanted Supreme Court justices who would interpret the Constitution in which manner?

Reagan's Strategic Defense Initiative called for the development of weapons used for what purpose?

What were two basic factors that led to the collapse of the Soviet Union?

What is *glasnost* and which Soviet Union leader supported it?

“Read my lips: No new taxes”, was a campaign slogan used by which president?

Why did the United Nations go to war in the Persian Gulf?

What is the Rustbelt?

Which company did Bill Gates co-found?

What was the Brady Bill?

What type of programs did President Clinton struggle to fund while trying to reduce the federal deficit?

What is the internet?

Hillary Rodham Clinton accepted her husband's appointment to...

Define globalization -

What was President Clinton charged with during his impeachment?

Why was China an important factor in world trade? (Hint: Think population)

The brutal expulsion of Bosnian Muslims was known as...

During Clinton's presidency, U.S. troops served as peacekeepers in what country?

Which state election results ultimately determined the outcome of the 2000 presidential election?

After being elected in 2000, George W. Bush pushed through an immediate tax rebate for what purpose?

What is Al Qaeda?

What method was used by terrorists to attack the U.S. on September 11, 2001?

What were some of the ways in which Americans quickly responded to the attacks on September 11, 2001?

The USA Patriot Act is an antiterrorist bill that allows the government to use what methods?

A UN resolution set a deadline for Iraq to take several actions including...

Why did the U.S. attack Afghanistan and the Taliban government?

Why did the U.S. send military aid to the Northern Alliance in Afghanistan?

Which countries refused to back a UN Security Council war resolution? Why did they refuse to support it?

The "axis of evil" was comprised of what countries?

What issue(s) was the main focus of the 2004 presidential election?

Why did Al Gore challenge Florida state law that set a deadline to certify election results?

Who was Saddam Hussein?

Customs Services are controlled by which executive department?

Which legislation put immigration under the control of the Department of Homeland Security?

In reference to proposed bills in Congress, what are earmarks?