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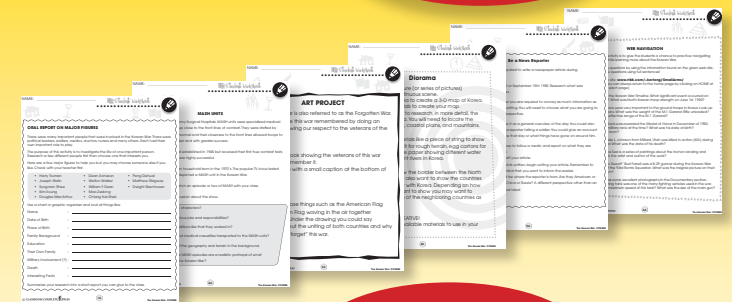
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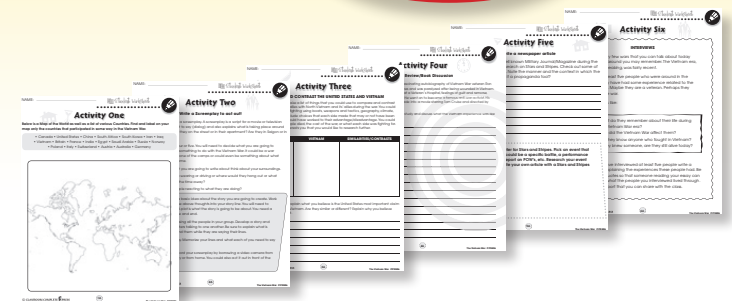
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Remembering the War

1. Do you know of any Korean War Memorials that are in your town or city? Is it large or small?

2. The Korean War is often referred to as "The Forgotten War". Why do you think that it's important to remember the Korean War?

3. The Vietnam Memorial in Washington, DC is a famous war memorial that has received a lot of attention. Do you know if the Korean War has a similar type of national war memorial?

4. Using your classroom computer research Korean Memorials in two different states. Compare and contrast things about each different one.



Remembering the War

The Korean War is often called the "Forgotten War". It seems to get far less attention than World War II which was fought on a larger scale, or the Vietnam War which happened later and was much more controversial. The Korean War is often called a "police action" or the "Korean Conflict" because Congress never did actually make an official declaration of war. The human loss and suffering during the Korean War was staggering. North and South Korean civilians died in the millions. The UN forces had almost 500,000 casualties, including dead, wounded and missing in action. The United States bore the brunt of the losses with over 53,000 combat deaths. It is estimated that the Communist forces of North Korea and China suffered much heavier losses with casualties possibly as high as 1.5 million dead, wounded and



Remembering the War

missing in action. It is estimated that the Korean War cost the United States 50 billion dollars.

What is the Korean War often referred to?

For many years there was no major memorial for those who fought and served in Korea. On July 27, 1995 the Korean War Veterans Memorial was dedicated by President Bill Clinton and Kim Young Sam, President of the Republic of Korea. It is located in Washington, DC in West Potomac Park near the Lincoln Memorial. It is a beautiful memorial featuring 19 statues of soldiers in full battle dress on patrol amongst juniper bushes and granite slabs that represent the terrain of Korea. It also features a long black granite wall with carved images depicting the war. There is also a United Nations Wall that lists the 22 member countries that contributed their efforts in the Korean War. A beautiful black granite lined pool called the Pool of Remembrance completes the Memorial. Many states in the US as well as the other countries that participated in the war have Korean War Memorials.

For those that served, fought, and died in Korea, the Korean War will never be a Forgotten War.



Remembering the War

- Circle the word **TRUE** if the statement is TRUE or Circle the word **FALSE** if it is FALSE.
 - The Korean war is often referred to as the "Remembered War".
TRUE FALSE
 - In the United States, Congress never made a declaration of war.
TRUE FALSE
 - The United States lost 53,000 people in the Korean War.
TRUE FALSE
 - Communist forces lost more then 2 million people.
TRUE FALSE
 - It cost the United States over 50 million dollars per day.
TRUE FALSE
 - Immediately following the war, a War Memorial was built in the U.S.
TRUE FALSE
 - Many states have Korean War memorials.
TRUE FALSE

2. Complete each sentence with a word from the list.

- | | | | | |
|---------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| Lincoln | Remembrance | declaration | dedicated | Forgotten |
|---------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
- The Korean War is often called the _____ War.
 - The Korean War is sometimes called the Korean Conflict because congress never actually made an official _____ of war.
 - The Korean War Memorial was _____ on July 27th 1995 by President Bill Clinton.
 - The Memorial is located in West Potomac Park near the _____ Memorial.
 - The Memorial also contains a black Granite Lined Pool called the Pool of _____.

Map Exercise

Label the Map of Korea with the Following

- D.M.Z. - Demilitarized Zone
- Seoul
- Incheon
- Pusan - Battle of the Pusan Perimeter
- Pyongyang
- Chosin Reservoir
- Yellow Sea
- China Sea
- China
- Russia



Crossword Puzzle!

Americans helicopters Hochiminh Khesanh la drang	marines North platoon regiments South	special transportation Vietnam
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Across

1. Air Transportation
2. These soldiers man the base at Khe Sanh
3. A movie about Vietnam
4. a tank or jeep
5. Army unit smaller than a division
6. Prime Minister of Communist party
7. _____ Pole

Down

1. Opposite of North
2. _____ War
3. Base near demilitarized zone
4. Large battle taking place in 1965
5. Forces with elite skills
6. Opposite of friend
7. People full of pride

Comprehension Quiz

Part A

Circle the word **TRUE** if the statement is TRUE or Circle the word **FALSE** if it is FALSE.

1. The climate in Vietnam is hot all year round.
TRUE **FALSE**
2. The French were defeated in the Vietnam War.
TRUE **FALSE**
3. Ho Chi Minh was the Prime Minister of the democratic party.
TRUE **FALSE**
4. Guerilla tactics were never used in the Vietnam War.
TRUE **FALSE**
5. Orange Agent kills vegetation.
TRUE **FALSE**
6. The Navy had three major roles in Vietnam.
TRUE **FALSE**
7. The anti-war protests in the United States were always harmless with no violent rallies or marches.
TRUE **FALSE**
8. "The Wall" is a Vietnam memorial made of black marble panels.
TRUE **FALSE**

Part B

Circle the answer that is most correct.

1. Vietnam is found in:

A. Asia	B. Europe
C. Africa	D. South America
2. Democratic means:

A. The Government is appointed
B. The Government stays in office until they decide to retire
C. The people vote on their government
D. The government is from the same family
3. The 7th Cavalry troops arrived on the battlefield in Plei Me by:

A. Jeeps	B. Tanks
C. U.S.S. Enterprise	D. Helicopters
4. 700 rounds per minute comes from a:

A. B-52	B. M-16
C. M-79	D. M-60

SUBTOTAL: /12

The Vietnam War Major Battles



NAME: _____

After You Read 



Major Battles



3. Explain why North Korea had so much success in the beginning of the Korean War?

4. Circle the word or phrase that does not belong in each line below.

- | | | | |
|------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
| a) Incheon | Choisin Reservoir | Pusan | Dieppe |
| b) Canada | China | United States | Britain |
| c) Truman | MacArthur | Stalin | Kim Il-Sung |

5. Use a dictionary to define the word **amphibious**. Describe the significance of the word amphibious as it has to do with the Battle of Incheon.

6. After MacArthur's victories at Incheon and Seoul the North Korean's were in full retreat back north. What eventually brought the Chinese into the war? Explain your answer.

3.
Answers will vary

1.
Answers will vary

Five Years Later
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1.
Corsair, Hell Cat, Wild Cat, B-40 War Hawk. They were propeller driven engines

a) TRUE

b) FALSE

c) TRUE

d) FALSE

e) TRUE

f) TRUE

g) FALSE

h) FALSE

2.
Answers will vary

4.
a) Dieppe

b) China

c) MacArthur

5.
amphibious-
executed by
coordinated action
of land, sea and air
forces organized for
invasion (amphibious
landing)

2.
Answers will vary

3.
Answers will vary

6.
Answers will vary

4.
Yes

2.
Answers will vary

3.
Answers will vary

4.
Leonardo Da Vinci

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3.
propulsion- the
action or process
of propelling, like jet
propulsion