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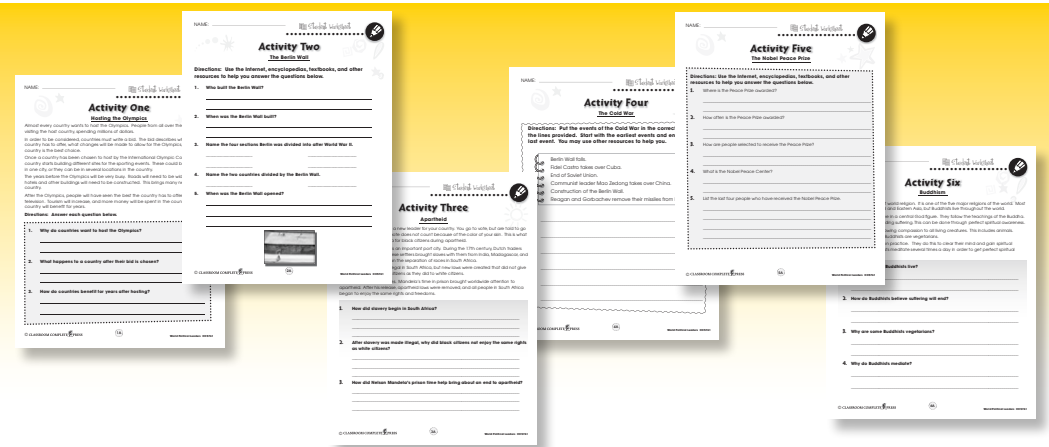
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Jiang Zemin

1. Match each of the words below with the correct meaning. You may use a dictionary to help you.

- | | | | | |
|---|------------|-------|---|--|
| a | Decade | _____ | A | Country |
| b | Roles | _____ | B | A period of ten years |
| c | Commission | _____ | C | Value |
| d | Nation | _____ | D | Jobs or duties |
| e | Standard | _____ | E | The permission to perform certain jobs |

2. China's Jiang Zemin was a Communist leader. Identify **two** other Communist leaders you have learned about previously.

- a) _____
- b) _____

3. Over one billion people live in China. Imagine one billion people living in your country. List **three** ways your country would be different.

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____



Jiang Zemin

Jiang Zemin served as a leader of the Communist Party in China for several **decades**. His different leadership **roles** include General Secretary of the Communist Party, President of the People's Republic of China, and Chairman of the Central Military **Commission**.



China was struggling before Zemin took office. He helped China become a much wealthier **nation**. People in China now have a higher **standard** of living. They also have many more personal freedoms.

One major change Zemin led changed politics in China. He allowed private business owners to be members of the Communist Party. This allowed more people to become directly involved with the government.

How did Zemin change politics in China?

STOP

Zemin became very involved in world politics. He spoke several **foreign** languages and liked learning about different cultures. China's relationships with other countries improved.

Zemin visited the U.S. and spoke with President Clinton. Clinton later visited Zemin in China. Before this happened, China and the U.S. had a difficult relationship.

Zemin also brought China into the World Trade Organization. This also helped China become more involved in the world.

China got Hong Kong and Macao back from England and Portugal during Zemin's **term**. He **negotiated** with European leaders to give ownership back to China. He also put in a successful bid for China to host the Summer Olympics before he left office.



Jiang Zemin

1. List the **three** political jobs held by Jiang Zemin.

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____

2. Five changes are listed below. Four are changes made by Zemin. Circle the **four** changes by Jiang Zemin.

- China will host the Summer Olympics.
- Private business owners can participate in the Communist party.
- The relationship between the US and China improves.
- Hong Kong and Macao are turned over to European countries.
- China becomes involved in the World Trade Organization

3. Jiang Zemin was one of the first Chinese leaders to talk with the media. Imagine you are a reporter. List **four** questions you would ask Zemin about his career.

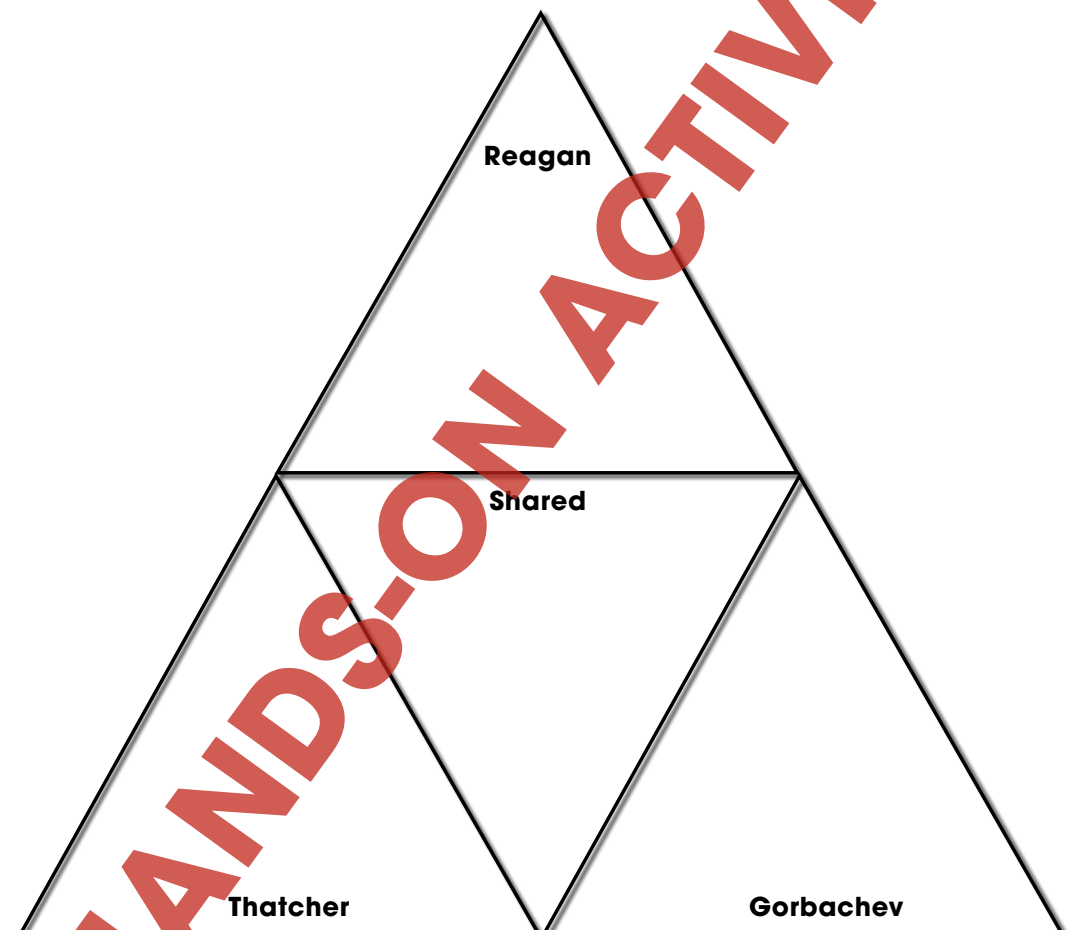
- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____
- d) _____

4. Think about the **changes** made by Jiang Zemin. Why did these changes make China a better, stronger country? Your answer should be two to three sentences.



Compare and Contrast Pyramid

Using the Pyramid below, describe how Reagan, Thatcher, and Gorbachev are similar to and different from each other.





Crossword Puzzle!

Across

- The first President of the Soviet Union
- U.S. President who helped end Cold War
- U.S. President who declared a war on terrorism
- Argentinian leader who worked to help poor
- Spiritual leader of Tibet
- In prison for over 20 years for what he believed
- Made drug laws more strict in Mexico

Down

- Worked to improve conditions in India
- Close ally with Russian leaders during Cold War
- Weapons
- To let go
- Made ready for
- Chinese leader who helped China become more involved in World Politics
- Known as "The Iron Lady" in the United Kingdom
- A former leader of the PLO who worked for peace in the Middle East



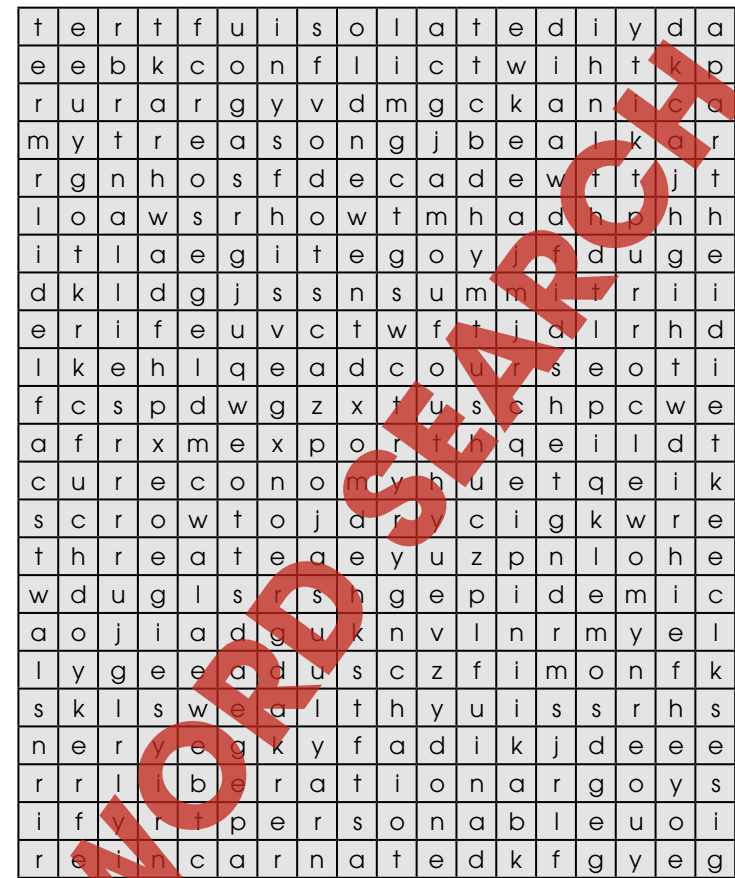
Word List

Gorbachev	Castro	Vicente Fox
Zemin	Juan Peron	arms
George W. Bush	Gandhi	Ronald Reagan
groomed	The Dalai Lama	Thatcher
release	Arafat	Mandela



Word Search

Find all of the words in the Word Search. Words are written horizontally, vertically, diagonally, and some are even written backwards.



- | | | | |
|-----------|----------|--------------|------------|
| terrorist | summit | reincarnated | release |
| term | aid | export | threat |
| hostage | corrupt | conflict | economy |
| treason | epidemic | fled | goods |
| apartheid | linked | allies | wealthy |
| isolated | surplus | highjack | personable |
| citizens | decade | course | liberation |



Comprehension Quiz

Part A

- Circle the word **TRUE** if the statement is TRUE **OR** Circle the word **FALSE** if it is FALSE.
 - Yasser Arafat always worked for peace in the Middle East.
TRUE **FALSE**
 - China has allowed the Dalai Lama to return to Tibet to lead.
TRUE **FALSE**
 - Thatcher, Reagan, and Gorbachev worked to end the Cold War.
TRUE **FALSE**
 - Indira Gandhi created a food shortage in India.
TRUE **FALSE**
 - Mandela helped apartheid spread in South Africa.
TRUE **FALSE**

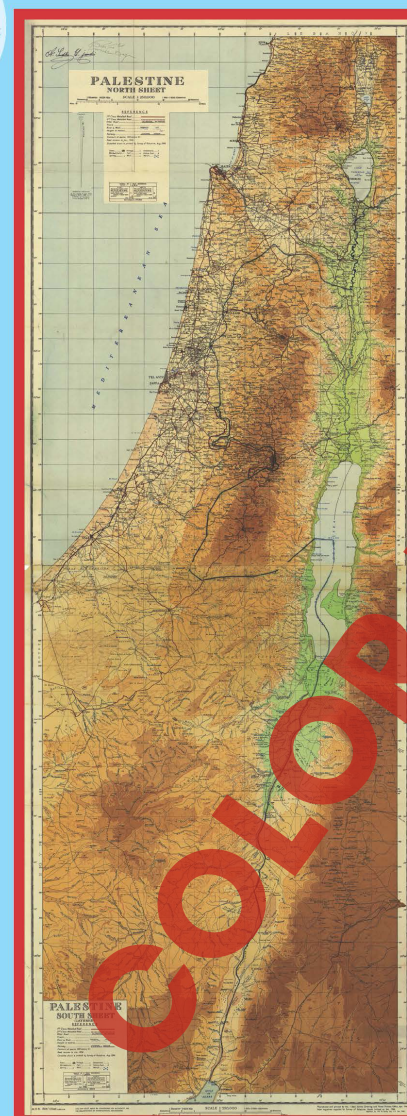
Part B

Match the leader on the left with their actions on the right.

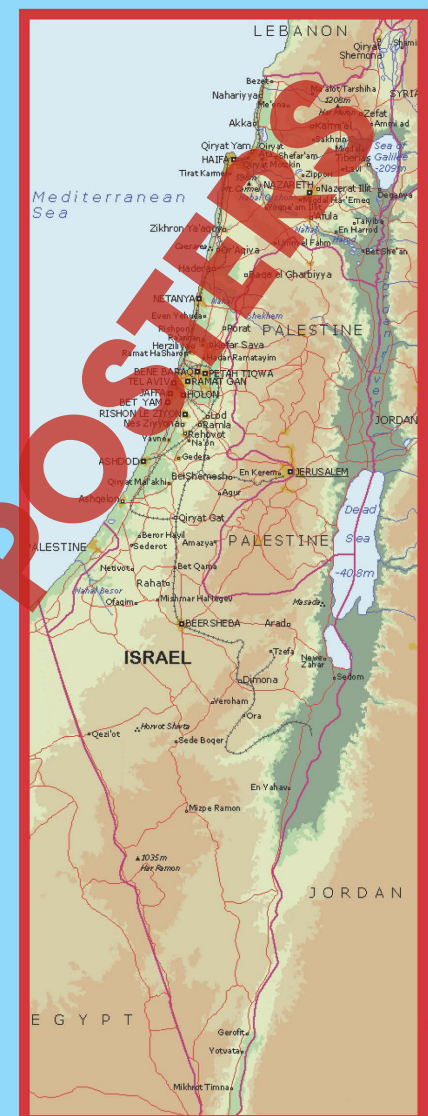
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|---|-------------------|---|---|
| 1 | Bush | A | Organized the Rainbow Tour to meet with other world leaders |
| 2 | Mandela | B | Worked with Bush on immigration |
| 3 | The Perons | C | Took over his country after a coup |
| 4 | Fox | D | Invaded Iraq |
| 5 | Castro | E | Worked to end the AIDS epidemic in Africa |

SUBTOTAL: /10

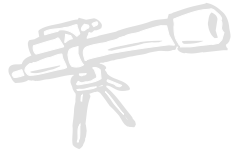
Map of Palestine



Before



After



Writing Tasks



1. Think about what you have learned about Ronald Reagan, Margaret Thatcher, and Mikhail Gorbachev. Use the Compare and Contrast Pyramid found on page 11. Describe how the leaders are different from each other in the outside triangles. Explain how they are similar in the inside pyramid. Use the graphic organizer in order to write a four paragraph essay.
2. Imagine what the world would be like if The Cold War did not end. Write a four paragraph description of how you think the world would be different.
3. Select one of the countries you have just studied. Write a one-page research paper about your country, including the capital, government, agriculture, industry, and history. You may use the Internet and library to help you.
4. Yasser Arafat worked to end fighting in the Middle East, but his plan did not work for long. Write a one-page peace plan for the Middle East. *Include any ideas you have for ending the violence and getting leaders together to talk.*
5. Use the Snapshots Organizer on page 12 to summarize the Perons' rise to power. Use supporting details from the reading passage to help you. Your summary should be one to two paragraphs.
6. Several of the leaders you have learned about made decisions that changed their country and the world. Select one leader you have studied. Evaluate their decisions and choices. Do you agree with their decisions? Would you have made the same choices?

All answers will vary

Across:

1. Gorbachev
3. Ronald Reagan
7. George W. Bush
9. Juan Peron
10. The Dalai Lama
12. Mandela
13. Vicente Fox

Down:

1. Gandhi
2. Castro
4. arms
6. release
7. groomed
8. Zemin
10. Thatcher
11. Arafat

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