

Unit 8 - Cold War & Decolonization

Topic 8.9 - Causation in the Age of the Cold War and Decolonization

Focus of Unit

From your studies in this unit, students should be able to develop an argument that compares the effects of the Cold War on both the Western and the Eastern hemispheres.

Essential Question: *Develop an argument that evaluates the extent to which the Cold War similarly affected peoples or states in both the Eastern and Western hemispheres.*

Learning Objective(s)

Historical Developments (KC's) Notes on Historical Developments (KC)

Explain the extent to which the effects of the Cold War were similar to the Eastern and Western Hemispheres.

Review topics 8.1 thru 8.8 for evidence to answer the essential questions

KC 6.2 - Peoples and states around the world challenged the existing political and social order in varying ways, leading to unprecedented worldwide conflicts.

6.2.II - Hopes for greater self-government were largely unfulfilled following World War I; however, in the years following World War II, increasing anti-imperialist sentiment contributed to the dissolution of empires and the restructuring of states.

KC 6.2.IV.C - The Cold War conflict extended beyond its basic ideological origins to have profound effects on economic, political, social, and cultural aspects of global events.

KC 6.3 - The role of the state in the domestic economy varied, and new institutions of global association emerged and continued to develop throughout the century.

KC 6.3.1 - States responded in a variety of ways to the economic challenges of the 20th century.

Create a graphic organizer to respond to the writing prompt: