

Essential Question

How did the Cold War impact
technology and innovation around
the world?

Standards

7.H.2.3 Explain how increased global interaction accelerates the pace of innovation in modern societies.

US vs. USSR

Space Race

- ★ Sputnik
- ★ Apollo missions
- ★ Space satellites

Arms Race

- ★ Atomic bomb leads to hydrogen bombs
- ★ Thermonuclear weapons

Reading Assignments

Newsela Articles with Question Sets

Politics After WWII and Cold War Tensions

The Start of the Space Race

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Essential Questions

What were the causes and effects of the Korean War?

How did global politics turn the civil war in Vietnam into a major Cold War conflict?

Standards

7.H.2.1 Analyze the effects of social, economic, military, and political conflict among nations, regions, and groups.

Crash Course

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y2IcmLkuhG0>

Question set and notes

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How did the US respond to the Soviet decision to place nuclear missiles in Cuba?

Standards

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Reading Assignment

Newsela article with question set.

The Cuban Missile Crisis, October 1962

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