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3 points

1. What were the Helsinki Accords?
2. How did the Helsinki Accords represent new developments in U.S./U.S.S.R. relations?
3. What led to the dissolution of the Communist regimes of Eastern Europe?

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19 points

4. Contrast Brezhnev with Khrushchev.
5. Primary Document p. 840 – Gorbachev speaks of “restructuring.” What does he believe needs restructuring, and why does he believe restructuring is necessary?
6. Why did the Russian pro-Soviet coup in 1991 fail?
7. Communist influence vanished in Eastern Europe in the 1980s and ‘90s. Create a chart that has the country name, key players, and what triggered the end of Communism. Include Poland, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Romania, Bulgaria, and Albania. (6 points)
8. What led Slobodan Milosevic to invade Croatia?
9. Who brought about the end of the Bosnian War? Why?
10. Primary Document p. 846 (point of view) – Why do these newspaper accounts differ?
11. Why were the EC, then the EU, created?
12. What problems arose from the reunification of Germany?
13. What were the advantages of and the problems that stemmed from Thatcher’s conservative leadership?
14. What was Mitterrand’s presidency like?
15. To what degree did Mitterrand’s presidency enjoy success?
16. Why did Italy’s economy suffer in the 1970s?
17. What was the major issue for Canada?

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6 points

18. What were the new focuses of women’s groups in the 1970s and 1980s?
19. Why did the terrorists perform terrorist acts?
20. What were the complaints **of** foreign workers?
21. What were the complaints **about** foreign workers?
22. Primary Document p. 857 – Why did they treat foreigners poorly?
23. Why did the Green parties fail to become a major political force?

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10 points

24. How did modernism change (don’t just say “postmodernism”)?
25. What influence modern music and literature?
26. Primary Document p. 860 – According to Sartre, what are the advantages of existential philosophy?
27. Primary Document p. 862 – What did Pope John Paul II say is necessary for peace?
28. What environmental problems came from new technology?
29. How is popular culture tied to money?
30. Why was the U.S. overwhelmingly dominant in world popular culture?
31. How is sports related to politics?
32. Marshall McLuhan predicted the “shrinking of the world” via technology. What did he mean?
33. Was McLuhan prediction in question 32 accurate? Defend your answer.