

# AP World History – Week of May 18 – May 22

We will continue our review for the AP exam this week. Each student will spend the week reviewing fact-based information for the exam. This review will serve as a final warm-up for the AP Test on Thursday, May 21.

## Modern World Studies Period 1 and 3 – Week of May 18 – May 22

Hello Periods 1 and 3,

This week, we are going to complete our look at the post-WWII world. Last week we took a look at post-war Germany and the Soviet Union and this week we will take a quick look at India and the Communist Revolution in China. As always, **you can work ahead to complete the assignments for the week all at once or divide and complete in stages. Just be certain to meet the due date.** Follow the steps and instructions to ensure understanding of the assignment. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Kubistek or Mr. Stone. As always, we are still here to help you (email below or phone contact 412-828-1800 x1081). Don't let a question be the reason you do not complete an assignment.

### 1. China: (Due Tuesday, May 19)

- Read “Post WWII China”

#### Assignment Instructions

1. Describe the two sides in China after the war and how they came to be. What kinds of people chose the side they did? Which side would you think deserves YOUR support? Why?
2. What were Mao's politics based on? What did he do to achieve that?
3. What was Mao's “Great Leap Forward”?
4. Describe China's instability after the “Great Leap Forward”. What happened as a result?

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**Homework title in Gradebook: “China”**

### 2. India: (Due Thursday, May 21)

- Read “India's Independence”

#### Assignment Instructions

1. Eventually the British recognize the issues surrounding maintain their hold on distant colonies. So, they decide to relinquish control of India. However, what is the problem with doing this? Describe the conflict.
2. Identify the importance of Kashmir.
3. Does Pakistan fare any better than India?
4. Sri Lanka and Bangladesh are faced with numerous problems as well. What is the biggest problem (speaking generally) that these former colonies are facing with their independence?

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**Homework title in Gradebook: “India”**

# Modern World Studies Period 4 and 5 – Week of May 18 – May 22

Hello Periods 4 and 5,

This week, we are going to look at the post-WWII world. Many regions changed tremendously after the war and we will take a look at three that have a major impact on the world for the rest of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Kubistek or Mr. Stone. As always, we are still here to help you (email below or phone contact 412-828-1800 x1081). Don't let a question be the reason you do not complete an assignment. Also, remember; feel free to work at your own pace. If you would like to complete the work early, feel free to do so.

## **1. Soviet Union: (Due Tuesday, May 19)**

- USSR anthem/English on the video too: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rHomETco0MI>
- Joseph Stalin: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cOI8wKFCEIA>
- Soviet Union in a nutshell: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2LZZb1-6qv8>

### **Assignment Instructions**

1. Simply, what do you think about the anthem? Why do they choose the lyrics that they do? What is different about them and the other anthems you know? (American and French)
2. How did Stalin rise to power?
3. Describe the Soviet relationship with the US during this time.

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**Homework title in Gradebook: "Soviet Union"**

## **2. China: (Due Wednesday, May 20)**

- Read "Post WWII China"

### **Assignment Instructions**

5. Describe the two sides in China after the war and how they came to be. What kinds of people chose the side they did? Which side would you think deserves YOUR support? Why?
6. What is the relationship like between China and India? Why?
7. What were Mao's policies based on? What did he do to achieve that?
8. What was Mao's "Great Leap Forward"?
9. Describe China's instability after the "Great Leap Forward". What happened as a result?

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**Homework title in Gradebook: "China"**

### **3. India: (Due Friday, May 22)**

- Read “India’s Independence”

#### **Assignment Instructions**

5. Eventually the British recognize the issues surrounding maintain their hold on distant colonies. So, they decide to relinquish control of India. However, what is the problem with doing this? Describe the conflict.
6. Identify the importance of Kashmir.
7. How did Indira Gandhi and Rajiv Gandhi die?
8. Does Pakistan fare any better than India?
9. Sri Lanka and Bangladesh are faced with numerous problems as well. What is the biggest problem (speaking generally) that these former colonies are facing with their independence?

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