

America and the World In the Stormy Sixties— January 1, 1960-December 31, 1969

Domestic Events

- A. Elections- Candidates-Issues-Protests, Domestic Agenda
- B. The New Frontier
- C. Steel Crisis
- D. “The Great Society”
- E. Health & Welfare Reforms
- F. Education
- G. Consumer/Environmental Protection Improvements
- H. CIVIL RIGHTS
 - a. Civil Rights Act
 - b. Voting Rights Act
 - c. College Campus Involvement
 - i. Freedom Summer
 - ii. Sit-ins
 - iii. Teach-ins
 - iv. Students for a Democratic Society (SDS)
 - v. Student Non Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC)
 - d. Marches and Urban Riots
- I. Radical Response-(Jr/Sr only)
 - a. Black Panthers
 - b. Black Muslims
 - c. Weathermen
 - d. Inner City Movement
- J. Peace Corps
- K. Assassinations
 - a. John Kennedy
 - b. Rev. Dr. Martin L. King, Jr
 - c. Robert Kennedy
- L. Equal Rights Movement
- M. JUDICIAL ACTIVISM (Jr/Sr Only)
 - a. Emergence of Judicial Activism
 - b. Warren Court
 - i. *Green v. County School Board of New Kent County, VA*, 391 U.S. 430 (1968) – school desegregation
 - ii. *Gideon v. Wainwright*, 372 U.S. 335 (1963)
 - iii. *NY Times v. Sullivan*, 376 U.S. 254 (1964) – freedom of speech
 - iv. *Sherbert v. Verner*, 374 U.S. 398 (1963) – free exercise clause case.

Foreign Affairs

- A. The Space Race
- B. Cuba
 - a. Bay of Pigs
 - b. Missile Crisis
- C. Trade Expansion Act
- D. Vietnam Escalation
 - a. Communist Reaction
 - b. Gulf of Tonkin Resolution
 - c. Tet Offensive
- E. COLD WAR
 - a. Berlin Wall
 - b. Dominican Republic
- F. Vatican II
- G. Six Day War
- H. Nelson Mandela's arrest
- I. European Nations Gaining Nuclear Powers
- J. Alliance for Progress
- K. The Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution (Jr/Sr only)

Science and Technology

- A. The Medical Advances
- B. Space Explorations
- C. Inventions, Innovations and Discoveries

Pop Culture

- A. Music
 - i. Folk Music
 - ii. British Invasion
 - iii. Psychedelic Movement
- B. Film
- C. The Arts
- D. Literature
- E. Television
- F. Fads
- G. Sports