

# 1950s-1980s Standards Overview

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## 1. United Nations (1945)

- Made to ensure that countries had a place to discuss \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- 51 Members, including the \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948)

- Adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in \_\_\_\_\_
- Response to the atrocities (horrible things) committed during \_\_\_\_\_
- Represented the \_\_\_\_\_ to which all humans beings are entitled

## 3. International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank (1944)

- The IMF and the World Bank were established to \_\_\_\_\_

## 4. General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) (1948)

- Purpose was to \_\_\_\_\_ international trade by \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. Cold War (1947-1991)

- \_\_\_\_\_ vs. \_\_\_\_\_ -- War of \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ /Democracy vs. \_\_\_\_\_
- Led US to practice “\_\_\_\_\_” policy – stopping spread Communism around world

## 6. The Berlin Blockade and Berlin Airlift (1948-1949) 6b. Berlin Crisis / Berlin Wall

- USSR cut traffic to \_\_\_\_\_, so for 11 months \_\_\_\_\_ food to West Berliners; Soviets ended \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6b. People \_\_\_\_\_ through Berlin; in 1961, the USSR built the \_\_\_\_\_ to stop it

## 7. Truman Doctrine (1947)

- U.S. aided any country threatened by \_\_\_\_\_. Examples are: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- Also known as \_\_\_\_\_ -- U.S. tried to stop communism from spreading.

## 8. Marshall Plan (1948-1952)

- After WWII, the US gave massive \_\_\_\_\_ under the Marshall Plan to \_\_\_\_\_, help the U.S. economy, and fend off the \_\_\_\_\_

## 9. Domino Theory (1954)

- Eisenhower’s theory that if one nation \_\_\_\_\_ it could lead to \_\_\_\_\_ falling.
- It reflected the policy of \_\_\_\_\_ and justified its \_\_\_\_\_

## 10. NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organization) (1949)

- Alliance to deter communism in \_\_\_\_\_; involved the \_\_\_\_\_, Canada, and \_\_\_\_\_ countries.

## 11. SEATO (South East Asia Treaty Organization) (1954)

- Alliance to stop further communist advances in \_\_\_\_\_

## 12. McCarthyism (1950-1956)

- McCarthyism or the \_\_\_\_\_ was a period of extreme \_\_\_\_\_
- HUAC ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) was created to investigate suspected \_\_\_\_\_.
- HUAC held public hearings to expose communists and anybody who \_\_\_\_\_ with them. Hearings resulted in the \_\_\_\_\_. McCarthyism is also known as \_\_\_\_\_.

## 13. Korean War (1950-1953)

- After WWII Korea was divided. North became \_\_\_\_\_ under the \_\_\_\_\_
- South became \_\_\_\_\_ under the \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ attacked \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ the country.
- \_\_\_\_\_ helped North Korea
- Stalemate was reached at the \_\_\_\_\_

## 14. Atomic Testing (1945-1992)

- Atomic testing began in \_\_\_\_\_ and continued after WWII in the \_\_\_\_\_
- Tests involved US \_\_\_\_\_
- Involved many hazards to the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ wherever the tests were conducted

## 15. “Mutually Assured Destruction” (1940s to 1990s)

- Both the US and USSR had enough \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.
- This kept both countries from launching a \_\_\_\_\_. It led Americans to build \_\_\_\_\_

## 16. Nuclear Disarmament Movement (1954-present)

- \_\_\_\_\_ movements took place around the world to \_\_\_\_\_ nuclear weapons
- Various arms \_\_\_\_\_ talks took place, such as \_\_\_\_\_ in the 1970s and Reagan's START or \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_

### 17. The Bay of Pigs Invasion (1961)

- \_\_\_\_\_ (1961) sent in Cuban exiles with \_\_\_\_\_ to get rid of \_\_\_\_\_ in Cuba.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ were ready and \_\_\_\_\_ the invasion force

### 18. Cuban Missile Crisis (1962)

- USSR planned to put \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_. U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Soviet ships.
- JFK and Khrushchev negotiated: USSR \_\_\_\_\_ on plan to place missiles
- U.S. agreed not to \_\_\_\_\_ and to remove missiles from \_\_\_\_\_.
- Closest we came to \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_

### 19. Vietnam War (1955-1975)

- U.S. went in to prevent the \_\_\_\_\_ from North Vietnam to \_\_\_\_\_
- LBJ (Pres. Lyndon Johnson) \_\_\_\_\_ the war in 1964; it became \_\_\_\_\_

### 20. 1964 Joint Resolution of Congress

- Known as the "\_\_\_\_\_ Resolution"
- Authorized President (LBJ) to \_\_\_\_\_ in Vietnam even though \_\_\_\_\_
- Example of \_\_\_\_\_ during crisis; later curbed by \_\_\_\_\_

### 21. Anti-war protest and the Vietnam War (late 60s, early 70s)

- Students and others \_\_\_\_\_; 1968 \_\_\_\_\_ increased anti-war sentiment
- Nixon promised to \_\_\_\_\_, but secretly \_\_\_\_\_; news of this led to more \_\_\_\_\_ --
- \_\_\_\_\_ protest led to deaths of four \_\_\_\_\_ by Ohio National Guard

### 22. Vietnamization

- Nixon's plan to turn the war over to the control of the \_\_\_\_\_
- Nixon pulled out \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_; South Vietnam fell to \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_.

### 23. End of Cold War (1991)

- Cost of \_\_\_\_\_ weakened \_\_\_\_\_ countries
- \_\_\_\_\_ inspired citizens; \_\_\_\_\_ torn down in 1989
- \_\_\_\_\_ collapsed in 1991

### 24. Truman's Labor Policies (1946-1953)

- After WWII prices \_\_\_\_\_ and wages \_\_\_\_\_; workers \_\_\_\_\_
- Truman (Democrat) generally \_\_\_\_\_ labor, but used threats of \_\_\_\_\_ to end strikes
- \_\_\_\_\_ would have been \_\_\_\_\_ then ordered to stay on the job. Unions \_\_\_\_\_

### 25. The Taft-Hartley Act (1947) (Labor Management Relations Act)

- Republicans opposed \_\_\_\_\_.
- Act limited \_\_\_\_\_ and emphasized the employees' right to \_\_\_\_\_
- Congress passed the Act over Truman's \_\_\_\_\_

### 26. Federal Highway Act (1956) (Eisenhower)

- Allowed for rapid \_\_\_\_\_ in time of conflict
- Helped to create a \_\_\_\_\_ where people could travel \_\_\_\_\_

### 27. Rock Music (1950s on)

- Artists like \_\_\_\_\_ were new and their style influenced \_\_\_\_\_ to change their culture
- A "\_\_\_\_\_ " was created with the older generation not following this new \_\_\_\_\_

### 28. Television and Politics (1950s on)

- Televised debate helps \_\_\_\_\_ in election
- TV allows candidates to \_\_\_\_\_

### 29. Big Idea: Civil Rights

- Government role: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ played a major role in organization
- \_\_\_\_\_, Voting Rights; \_\_\_\_\_
- Methods: \_\_\_\_\_

### 30. Brown v. Board of Education

- 1954 \_\_\_\_\_
- Required \_\_\_\_\_ of the schools "with all deliberate speed"
- \_\_\_\_\_ -- NAACP lawyer who won case and later became a \_\_\_\_\_

**31. Little Rock Nine (Little Rock Crisis, 1957-1958)**

- African American students (“Little Rock Nine”) attempted to \_\_\_\_\_ Central High School, but were blocked.
- Eisenhower sent in \_\_\_\_\_ to escort them for a year. Example of enforcement of \_\_\_\_\_

**32. Integration of the Armed Forces (1948)**

- After WWII, \_\_\_\_\_ renewed pressure on the president to end \_\_\_\_\_ in military
- Truman issued \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ the armed forces in 1948.

**33. Civil Rights Organizations**

- NAACP (National Association for the Advancement of Colored People) – DuBois, Wells, 1909 – lawsuits, \_\_\_\_\_
- CORE ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) – J \_\_\_\_\_, 1942
- SCLC ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) – King, 1957 (after bus boycott)
- SNCC ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) 1960 (helped by SCLC)
- All were involved in \_\_\_\_\_ – direct actions: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
- Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

**34. Montgomery Bus Boycott (1955-56)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ sparked boycott; \_\_\_\_\_ rose to prominence
- Full participation in boycott – \_\_\_\_\_; won \_\_\_\_\_ (desegregation) of buses

**35. Birmingham Campaign (1963)**

- SCLC and King led protesters in \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ for equality in \_\_\_\_\_
- Police Chief Bull Connor responded with \_\_\_\_\_ and high pressure \_\_\_\_\_
- Media attention broadcast the conflict \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ was arrested; wrote...(#36)

**36. “Letter from Birmingham Jail” (1963)**

- Letter written by MLK while in \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_
- Stressed the need for \_\_\_\_\_
- Critical that such \_\_\_\_\_ did not speak out to support these \_\_\_\_\_

**37. “I Have A Dream” (1963)**

- Given at the “ \_\_\_\_\_ ” led by \_\_\_\_\_
- Called for the fulfillment of the promises of \_\_\_\_\_: “I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed: “ \_\_\_\_\_.”

**38. Civil Rights Act of 1964**

- Made segregation illegal in most \_\_\_\_\_; Private companies had to stop \_\_\_\_\_

**39. 24<sup>th</sup> Amendment (1964)**

- Prohibits \_\_\_\_\_ (used to prevent African Americans from being able to \_\_\_\_\_)

**40. Voting Rights Act of 1965**

- Prohibited states from having \_\_\_\_\_ and outlawed \_\_\_\_\_

**41. Civil Rights Protest Comparison**

- \_\_\_\_\_ -- **Nonviolent Protest** -- He supported \_\_\_\_\_ protests to end \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_; “ \_\_\_\_\_,” not physical force. Based on \_\_\_\_\_ model.
- \_\_\_\_\_ -- **Militant Protest** -- believed in \_\_\_\_\_
- He was more \_\_\_\_\_; opposed \_\_\_\_\_ resistance of violence

**42. Black Power movement (1960s)**

- A \_\_\_\_\_ and a name for various associated \_\_\_\_\_ aimed at achieving \_\_\_\_\_ for people of African/Black descent

**43. Black Panther Party (1966)**

- An African-American revolutionary \_\_\_\_\_, founded originally for \_\_\_\_\_ against \_\_\_\_\_

**44. Effect of African American Civil Rights Movement on others**

- It brought about \_\_\_\_\_ legislation that applied to other \_\_\_\_\_.

**45. United Farm Workers**

- The United Farm Workers union started by \_\_\_\_\_ and Dolores Huerta; pressed for better \_\_\_\_\_ for migrant \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ – led to the formal recognition of the UFW and an increase in wages for farm workers

**46. The Women’s Movement (1960s and 1970s)**

- *The Feminine Mystique* – book by \_\_\_\_\_; expressed women’s discontent with traditional \_\_\_\_\_
- Women began demonstrating for \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

**47. American Indian Movement (AIM) 1968**

- Founded to address issues including poverty, \_\_\_\_\_, treaty issues, and \_\_\_\_\_ in urban areas
- Added \_\_\_\_\_, education, and \_\_\_\_\_ of tribal land

- Protest in \_\_\_\_\_ known as the " \_\_\_\_\_ "
- 48. California Master Plan (1960)**
- A plan which structured \_\_\_\_\_ in California into tiers: **1)** \_\_\_\_\_ of California (UC)  
**2)** California \_\_\_\_\_ College (CSC) now CSU **3)** California \_\_\_\_\_ College System (CCC)
- 49. Immigration Act of 1965**
- The elimination of \_\_\_\_\_ policy based on national \_\_\_\_\_ quotas. Led to more ethnic \_\_\_\_\_
- 50. Labor in California (1950s to present)**
- Since the 1950s, the largest source of \_\_\_\_\_ in California was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- 51. Affirmative Action (1961, 1965, 1967)**
- Policies to end \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_; Required employers to take "affirmative \_\_\_\_\_" to hire without regard to \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, national \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_
- 52. Regents of the University of California v. Bakke (1978)**
- Ruled that setting aside seats for "Blacks, \_\_\_\_\_, Asians, and American \_\_\_\_\_" was \_\_\_\_\_
  - The Court rejects \_\_\_\_\_, but allowed for race to be \_\_\_\_\_ in college admissions.
- 53. California Proposition 209 (1996)**
- Amended the state constitution to prohibit the state from considering \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, or \_\_\_\_\_ for public employment or education
- 54. Regional population shift (1950s-1970s)**
- Factory jobs declined in the North-East – " \_\_\_\_\_ "; Growth in the Southwest and Southeast – " \_\_\_\_\_ "
- 55. LBJ's Great Society (1964-1968)**
- Attempted to end \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_; Policies included provisions for \_\_\_\_\_ housing, \_\_\_\_\_, voting rights, \_\_\_\_\_, and Medicare/Medicaid
- 56. Environmental Awareness (1960s-70s)**
- Carson's book, " \_\_\_\_\_ " warned of the dangers of \_\_\_\_\_ (DDT). Led to creation of \_\_\_\_\_
- 57. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) (1970)**
- Enforces \_\_\_\_\_; promotes \_\_\_\_\_; coordinates \_\_\_\_\_ activities with state and local \_\_\_\_\_
  - Called in to deal with environmental \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_: Three Mile Island, Love Canal, oil spills
- 58. Watergate Scandal (1974)**
- \_\_\_\_\_ workers broke into Democratic Party \_\_\_\_\_; \_\_\_\_\_ covered it up.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ revealed his \_\_\_\_\_ in it
  - Nixon \_\_\_\_\_ rather than face \_\_\_\_\_; American confidence in \_\_\_\_\_ declined
- 59. Reaganomics (1981-1989) -- Policies:**
- Reduce: the growth of \_\_\_\_\_, income \_\_\_\_\_, capital \_\_\_\_\_ tax, and gov't \_\_\_\_\_
  - Control: \_\_\_\_\_ to reduce inflation.
  - Flowchart Positives: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Flowchart Negatives: \_\_\_\_\_
- 60. Computer Revolution (late 1970s-1980s)**
- Development of \_\_\_\_\_ reduced size of computers; led to development of \_\_\_\_\_;
  - Developments in \_\_\_\_\_ allowed \_\_\_\_\_ to transform the workplace; further developments in \_\_\_\_\_ led to the use of the \_\_\_\_\_ by the general \_\_\_\_\_ and the advent of the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 61. Relations in Middle East**
- The U.S. maintains strong relations with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ because of their huge \_\_\_\_\_ . Both sides benefit from the rich \_\_\_\_\_ .
- 62. The U.S. and Israel**
- US supported the nation of \_\_\_\_\_ from the start (1948). Arab nations \_\_\_\_\_ Israel; history of \_\_\_\_\_
  - President Carter helped to negotiate a \_\_\_\_\_ between \_\_\_\_\_ and Israel (Camp David Accords, 1978).
- 63. OPEC (Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries)**
- In 1973 OPEC decided to stop \_\_\_\_\_ to countries who supported \_\_\_\_\_. This hurt the US \_\_\_\_\_ and caused a \_\_\_\_\_
  - Led to Middle East \_\_\_\_\_; Israeli \_\_\_\_\_ from some areas of Palestine and Egypt
- 64. Gulf War (Operation Desert Storm)**
- \_\_\_\_\_ (led by Saddam Hussein) attacked the oil-rich country of \_\_\_\_\_ (1990).
  - January 16, 1991 -- the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ forces attacked Iraq.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ was liberated from Iraqi control.