

## Chapter 13.2 Reading Guide

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### Vocabulary

containment

limited war

### Containing Communism/Long Telegram

1. According to George Kennan, why were the Soviets being so difficult to deal with while settling postwar issues?

A.

B.

2. Explain the recipe for success that Kennan recommended in the policy of *containment*.

3. What three foreign-policy tools did the Truman administration use to try and contain the Soviets?

A.

B.

C.

### Crisis in Iran

4. In what ways did the crisis in Iran seem to prove the correctness and effectiveness of *containment policy*?

### The Truman Doctrine

5. What geographic significance did the civil war in Greece have in the larger Cold War?

6. Truman persuaded Congress to spend \$400 million dollars in Greece. What would that money be used to do?

\*7. Read the excerpt of Truman's address to Congress in March of 1947. What agreement of the Yalta Conference is he claiming was violated in Poland, Romania and Bulgaria?

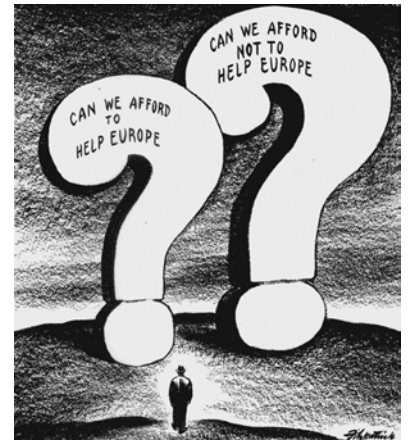
8. Fill in the missing portions of the *Truman Doctrine*.

**"...it must be the policy of the United States to support \_\_\_\_\_ peoples who are \_\_\_\_\_ attempted \_\_\_\_\_ (conquest) by armed minorities or by \_\_\_\_\_ pressures."**

### The Marshall Plan

9. What four nations received the greatest share of Marshall Plan aid?

\*10. How did the Marshall Plan's financial aid to Europe further the goals of the Truman Doctrine?



### The Berlin Airlift

11. What was the motivation for the US, Great Britain and France to merge their occupation zones into one nation, West Germany?

12. What was Stalin's goal in cutting off US access to Berlin?

### The Creation of NATO

13. What did many Americans assume about the Soviet Union following the events of the Berlin blockade?

14. What was the original purpose of NATO?

15. What alliance did the Soviets create in response to NATO?

### Developments in Asia to the Korean War

16. How much money did the US waste supporting democratic forces in China?

17. In what year did China become communist?

18. What policy-creating group within the United Nations was Communist China prevented from joining?

### New Policies in Japan

19. How did events in China lead the United States to support a rebuilding of Japan's economy?