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The Century: America's Time - 1965-1970: Unpinned

Directions: Watch the video concerning America in the 1920s and answer the questions provided below.

1. What happened to President Lyndon B. Johnson during his speech at the April 1964 World's Fair?

2. Why did the New York Times call the 1964 World's Fair "a glittering mirror of our National opulence?"

3. In 1964, three civil rights workers, Michael Schwerner, Andrew Goodman and James Chaney were murdered. How did their murder help to mobilize the Civil Rights Movement?

4. The era of student protest began at University of California, Berkeley. What prompted these student protests?

5. How and why did the United States get involved in the Vietnam War?

6. Why was the Vietnam War different than any other type of war previously fought by the United States?

7. In the mid-1960s, the Civil Rights Movement began to splinter into separate factions. Why did the movement splinter?

8. Compare the ideologies and techniques of Martin Luther King, Jr. and Malcolm X.

9. Analyze and discuss the music of the 1960s and its influence on the youth culture.

11. How was the counterculture symbolic of the generational conflicts in America in the 1960s?

12. How did the Civil Rights Movement influence The Women's Liberation Movement?

13. Discuss the role of television in the Vietnam War.

14. Discuss the class antagonisms of the Vietnam War and the war protests.