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The Korean War: Overview

In this tutorial video from Khan Academy, you'll learn about the causes, course, and consequences of the Korean War.

General Information

Subject(s): Social Studies

Grade Level(s): 11

Intended Audience: [Students](#)

Instructional Time: 16 Minute(s)

Suggested Technology: Computers for Students, Internet Connection, Speakers/Headphones

Keywords: U.S. History, grade 11, tutorial, Korean War, Harry Truman, Douglas MacArthur, Cold War, communism, 38th Parallel, North Korea, South Korea, Kim Jong II, Syngman Rhee, proxy war, Mao Zedong, United Nations, Battle of Pusan Perimeter, Battle of Inchon, armistice

Instructional Component Type(s): [Tutorial](#), [Video/Audio/Animation](#),

Resource Collection: Social Studies - U.S. History Existing Student Tutorials

Additional Information/Instructions

By Author/Submitter

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Aligned Standards

Name	Description
	Examine causes, course, and consequences of the early years of the Cold War (Truman Doctrine, Marshall Plan, NATO, Warsaw Pact).

Clarifications:

[SS.912.A.6.10:](#)

This benchmark is annually evaluated on the United States History End-of-Course Assessment. For more information on how this benchmark is evaluated view the United States History End-of-Course Assessment Test Item Specifications pages [43-44](#). Additional resources may be found on the [FLDOE End-of-Course \(EOC\) Assessments](#) webpage and the [FLDOE Social Studies](#) webpage.

[SS.912.A.6.12:](#)

Examine causes, course, and consequences of the Korean War.

Clarifications:

Examples may include, but aren't limited to, Communist China, 38th parallel, cease fire, firing of Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

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Related Resources

Original Student Tutorial

Name	Description
The Cold War Turns Hot: Remembering the Korean War:	Learn about some of the causes of the Korean War and the major factors that led to America's involvement in the war. In this interactive tutorial, you will also learn about America's role in the course of this conflict, and the consequences that resulted because of the war.