

The Presidents - Harry S. Truman**name:**

The Cold War

Unit 9

Read the topic, watch the movie, and circle the appropriate answer below.

	Topic	Choice A	Choice B	Choice C
1	# of terms FDR was elected to	2	3	4
2	# of Vice Presidents he had in that time	2	3	4
3	Who told Truman FDR was dead?	Eleanor Roosevelt	His wife	FDR's mistress
4	His political party	Republican	Dixiecrats	Democrat
5	His home state	Ohio	Missouri	Illinois
6	Reputation	Ignoramus	Stubborn	Brilliant
7	Age he got involved in politics	20	50	40
8	Key characteristic that helped him	Book smarts	Good advisors	Common sense
9	Oratorical style	Plainspoken	Eloquent	Wordy
10	1 st big decision	Fire MacArthur	Enforce civil rights laws	Dropped atomic bomb
11	Estimated # of American lives he saved	500	500,000- 1 million	5- 10 million
12	His motto	"The buck stops here"	"A chicken in every pot"	"Pick your battles"
13	The new great struggle after WWII	communism v. capitalism	democracy v. dictatorship	fascism v. humanism
14	His key advisors	Henry Kissinger and John Dulles	Dwight Eisenhower and Pat Roberts	George Marshall and Dean Acheson
15	The Truman Doctrine founded this policy	Watchful waiting	Containment policy	Domino theory
16	The Marshall plan was a plan to rebuild this continent	Asia	Africa	Europe
17	Truman's view of segregation	It was hypocrisy	It was acceptable	It was good
18	He ended segregation here	The north	Schools	Military and civil service
19	Election year problems	Race riots	Inflation & strikes	High unemployment
20	Campaign style	Energetic	Casual	Lazy
21	Did he win the popular or electoral vote?	Popular	Both	Electoral

22	2 nd term problems	Scandals and corruption	He lost the Korean War	"Lost" China & USSR got a-bomb
23	He was accused of being _____ on communism	Harsh	Soft	Inconsistent
24	Had to defend this country	South Korea	Panama	Cuba
25	This country supported N. Korea	Russia	China	France
26	He began our involvement in this country	Vietnam	Thailand	Cambodia
27	His popularity rating at the end of his second term	77%	52%	23%
28	His enduring legacy / popularity now	One of our worst presidents	One of most admired	Middle of the road