**Unit 11: The Cold War**

**Lesson 2**

1. Introduction
2. Objective: East Asia
3. SOL WHII.13a-c
4. Do Now: What is the message of the following cartoon?
5. China
6. Civil War
7. Mao Zedong
8. Deng Xiaoping
9. Korea
10. North vs. South
11. War
12. 38th Parallel
13. Vietnam
    * 1. Background
      2. 17th Parallel
      3. War
14. Conclusion
15. Competition between the United States and the USSR laid the foundation for the Cold War.
16. The Cold War influenced the policies of the United States and the USSR towards other nations around the world.
17. Japanese occupation of European colonies in Asia heightened demands for independence after WWII.
18. After WWII, the United States pursued a policy of containment against communism. This policy included the development of regional alliances against Soviet and Chinese aggression.
19. The Cold War led to armed conflict in Korea and Vietnam.

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| **Key Terms, Concepts, Events, People, and Places:** | | | |
| Mao Zedong | Chiang Kai-Shek | Jiang Jieshi | China |
| Taiwan | Cultural Revolution | Red Guard | Deng Xiaoping |
| 38th Parallel | Kim Il Sung | Syngman Rhee | Korean War |
| Vietnam War | Viet Minh | 17th Parallel | Ho Chi Minh |
| Saigon | National Liberation Front | Viet Cong | Gulf of Tonkin Incident |
| **Questions to Consider:** | | | |
| 1. How did the Cold War influence conflict in Eastern Asia after WWII? 2. Why did Mao Zedong start the Cultural Revolution? How did it turn out? 3. What effect did Deng Xiaoping have on China? Explain. Be specific! 4. What events led to the Korean War? How did it end? 5. What role did China play in the Korean War? 6. How did the United States come to be involved in Vietnam? How did they leave? 7. What happened to Vietnam after the Americans left? | | | |