

**CHAPTER**  
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**GUIDED READING**

*The Cold War Divides the World*

**Section 4**

**A. Following Chronological Order** As you read about conflict between the super-powers over Latin America and the Middle East, answer the questions about events listed in the time line.

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| 1959 | Fidel Castro leads a revolution in Cuba.                         | → | 1. How did revolution affect Cuba?   |
| 1961 | Castro turns back Cuban invasion at Bay of Pigs.                 | ↘ | 2. Why did the United States support the invasion?                                       |
| 1962 | United States demands that Soviets withdraw missiles from Cuba.  | ↘ |  |
| 1979 | Communist Sandinista rebels overthrow dictatorship in Nicaragua. | → | 4. What were the consequences of civil war for Nicaragua?                                |
| 1981 | Iran releases U.S. hostages.                                     | → | 5. Why did the Ayatollah Khomeini hate the United States?                                |
| 1988 | UN ceasefire ends hostilities between Iran and Iraq.             | → | 6. What part did the United States play in this Muslim war?                              |
| 1989 | Soviet Union withdraws its forces from Afghanistan.              | → | 7. How was the Soviet involvement in Afghanistan similar to U.S. involvement in Vietnam? |

**B. Determining Main Ideas** On the back of this paper, define and give examples of the **Third World** and **nonaligned nations**.