Guided Reading Activity

The New Frontier and the Great Society, 1960–1968

Lesson 1 The New Frontier

Review Questions: Outlining

Directions: Read the lesson and complete the outline below. Refer to your textbook to fill in the blanks.

- I. The Election of 1960
 - A. This election was the first in which both parties made substantial use of _____

The election's outcome was influenced heavily by ______.

B. Kennedy's ______ became an issue because the country had never had a

_____ president.

- II. Kennedy Takes Office
 - A. Kennedy advocated _________ to increase growth and create jobs. He asked Congress
 - wanted to invest more funds in ______ and _____.
 - B. Kennedy signed the ______ in 1963, which affirmed the right of women to

receive equally paid employment.

C. Kennedy's sister, _____, began a day camp that grew into the

III. Warren Court Reforms

A. A decision to force states to reapportion electoral districts shifted political power from rural areas to

_____ and boosted the political power of ______ and

B. The Supreme Court ruled that all people have the right to ______, or equal

treatment of the law. The ______ inform the accused of their legal rights while

held in custody.

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C. The Warren Court reaffirmed separation of church and state by saying that _____

could not be recited in public schools.

Summary and Reflection

Directions: Summarize the main ideas of this lesson by answering the question below.

How did the Warren Court bring about vast social change?