CHAPTER 17 COLD WAR, WARM KITCHENS

**Chapter Comprehension**

**Introductory Section**

**1.** Fill in the chart below with at least two details about each of these economic systems.

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| **Communism** | **Capitalism** |
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**2.** What was the Cold War?

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**The Cold War at Home**

**3.** Name at least three factors that contributed to the growth of suburbs after World War II.

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**4.** How did General Mills use Betty Crocker to encourage people to buy their products during the Cold War?

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**5.** How did cake mix change the way that Americans cooked?

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**6.** Why did some Americans build fallout shelters?

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**SIDEBAR: The GI Bill of Rights**

**7.** How did the GI Bill of Rights help war veterans?

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**SIDEBAR: Planning for Future Growth**

**8.** Name at least two jobs of the Metropolitan Council.

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**The Cold War Overseas**

**9.** Why did the United States get involved in the Korean War?

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**10.** Why did the United States get involved in the Vietnam War?

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**11.** How did Jim Northup’s views on the Vietnam War change?

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**12.** What event in 1991 led to the end of the Cold War?

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