

### Warm-Up Activity:

<p><b>My dream job:</b> _____</p> <p><b>Steps I will take to attain my dream job:</b></p> <p>_____</p> <p><b>Salary of my dream job:</b> \$ _____</p> <p><b>Location of my dream job:</b> _____</p> <p><b>Definition of <i>economy</i>:</b></p> <p>_____</p>
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**Directions: True or False: For the following questions, determine if the statement is true or false. If false, underline the incorrect word(s) and correct the statement in the space provided.**

**For example:** Baby cats are known as puppies.

- a. True
- b. False, kittens**

1. Throughout his lifetime, Ronald Reagan was an athlete, actor, lawyer, governor, and President of the United States.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
2. Ronald Reagan was the governor of Tennessee.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
3. Ronald Reagan was in Berlin to stop the communists and end the Cold War.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
4. People living in communism are often poor and don't have enough money for food.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
5. Lollipops were Ronald Reagan's favorite snack.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_

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6. East Berlin was the free side of Germany.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
7. East Berlin was occupied by the Soviet Union, which was communist.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
8. The wall was built during the Cold War to keep people locked in East Berlin and stop them from going to freedom in West Berlin.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
9. It was called the "Cold War" because they were able to end the war during winter.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_
10. Everyone was afraid that the United States and Germany were going to use nuclear bombs against each other.
  - a. True
  - b. False, \_\_\_\_\_

**Short Response:**

11. What was the purpose of the INF, or Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty?

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13. What was the significance of Ronald Reagan appointing Sandra Day O'Connor as Supreme Court Justice?

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14. **Making Connections:** President Ronald Reagan worked hard to preserve freedom in America and throughout the world during his presidency.

- a. According to Reagan, what is the purpose of getting a job and working hard? How does it benefit not only you but everyone?

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- b. Leo says he doesn't want to work and that he would rather play after school. Consider your own work ethic. How can you improve your work ethic and work hard to succeed and help better others' lives, like Ronald Reagan?

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## Ronald Reagan | Answer Key

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Check students' work for completion.

- Throughout his lifetime, Ronald Reagan was an athlete, actor, lawyer, governor, and president.
  - True
  - False, soldier/in the military
- Ronald Reagan was the governor of Tennessee.
  - True
  - False, California
- Ronald Reagan was in Berlin to stop the communists and end the Cold War.
  - True
  - False, \_\_\_\_\_
- People living in communism are often poor and don't have enough money for food.
  - True
  - False, \_\_\_\_\_
- Lollipops were Ronald Reagan's favorite snack.
  - True
  - False, jelly beans
- East Berlin was the free side of Germany.
  - True
  - False, West
- East Berlin was occupied by the Soviet Union, which was communist.
  - True
  - False, \_\_\_\_\_
- The wall was built during the Cold War to keep people locked in East Berlin and stop them from going to freedom in West Berlin.
  - True
  - False, \_\_\_\_\_
- It was called the "Cold War" because they were able to end the war during winter.
  - True
  - False, without using any weapons.
- Everyone was afraid that the United States and Germany were going to use nuclear bombs against each other.
  - True
  - False, Soviet Union

**Short Response:**

11. What was the purpose of the INF, or Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty?

The United States and the Soviet Union agreed to sign the INF treaty, which eliminated the use of bombs during the Cold War.

12. How did Reagan use the economy to end the Cold War? Explain using the term "Reaganomics".

Reagan used America's economy to win the Cold War by using a program called Reaganomics to strengthen the U.S. economy. Reagan cut taxes so that the government took less of people's money away from them, which led to more people getting jobs and working hard. Because the United States economy was so strong, the Soviet Union couldn't keep up.

13. What was the significance of Ronald Reagan appointing Sandra Day O'Connor as Supreme Court Justice?

Sandra Day O'Connor was the first woman on the Supreme Court. This was significant because she is proof that anyone can become what they want in America.

14. **Making Connections:** President Ronald Reagan worked hard to preserve freedom in America and throughout the world during his presidency.

a. According to Reagan, what is the purpose of getting a job and working hard?

Sample answer: Reagan explains that when a person grows up, getting a job and working hard is part of being responsible. Thanks to everyone working hard, the United States economy was so big that the Soviet Union couldn't keep up. During Reagan's presidency, hard work proved to improve the country and the lives of Americans. Hard work strengthened the economy, which helped end the Cold War.

b. Leo says he doesn't want to work and that he would rather play after school. Consider your own work ethic. How can you improve your work ethic and work hard to succeed and help better others' lives, like Ronald Reagan?

Answers will vary.