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U.S. History II/*The Cold War-1950s DUE:*

**Chapter 27: “The Postwar Boom”**

**Homework Package (Sections 1, 2 & 3)**

**Section 1: “Postwar America”**

What is the Main Idea of this section:

Terms and Names: For each term or name, write a sentence explaining its significance. No significance, no credit.

GI Bill of Rights:

Harry S Truman:

Dixiecrat:

Fair Deal:

Suburb:

**Section 2: “The American Dream in the Fifties”**

What is the Main Idea of this section?

Terms and Names: For each term or name, write a sentence explaining its significance. No significance, no credit.

Conglomerate:

Baby boom

Consumerism

Franchise

Name Three Franchises in Westford:

Dr. Jonas Salk:

Planned obsolescence

The Interstate Highway System

**Section 3: “Popular Culture”**

What is the Main Idea of this section:

Terms and Names: For each term or name, write a sentence explaining its significance. No significance, no credit.

Mass media:

Beat movement:

Rock ‘n’ roll[[1]](#footnote-1):

Jazz:

Federal Communications Commission (FCC):

1. I would urge you all to seek out some **Chuck Berry**—watch him play “Maybelline,” listen to his music. He is considered by many to the architect of rock ‘n’ roll. The Beatles & Rolling Stones covered his songs. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)