The 1950s

**Directions:** As you watch the video on the background of the 1950s. Record the 3 most important historical developments and infer what impact this might have on the American people.

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| Historical Developments | Impact on American People |
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1950’s Reading Reflection

**Directions:** Please answer the following questions based on the reading you have been provided.

1. Finish the following thought based on your reading:

**Life in the 1950’s was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because**

What specific evidence demonstrates this? (Bullet points)

1. Do we need government involvement to improve the lives of the people? Why or why not?

1950’s Speed Dating

1. Ask your “dates” to finish the following thought:

**Life in the 1950’s was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because**

What specific evidence demonstrates this? (Bullet points)

Based on what you read and what you heard from your dates, respond to the following question:

***How can the government best serve the American people during the 1950’s?***

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