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- (a) Origins, Nature and Results of the War
- (b) Nationalist movements and Decolonization
- (c) Communist Revolution in China and its impact on world politics.

Second Half

Unit V : Cold War and its effects

- (a) Ideological and political basis of the Cold War, historiography, pacts and treaties, Sovietization of East Europe, Americanisation of the West, tensions and rivalries.
- (b) Non Aligned Movement and the Third World.
- (c) UNO and international political developments : Concept of World Peace, regional tensions: Palestine, Kashmir, Cuba, Korea, Vietnam, Iran - Iraq conflicts, Gulf Wars.

Unit VI : Age of Progress : Economic and Social

- (a) Industry, Agriculture, Science and Technology; Communication and Information : with reference to developments in the West and rise of the Asian dragon.

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- (b) Cultural Revolution, Civil Rights Movement, Apartheid, Feminism, Youth cults in the West in the 60s, Environmentalism and even movement.

Unit VII : Developments in Latin America theories of revolutions; Western influence and its impact : Haiti, Nicaragua, Honduras, Mexico, Panama, Puerto Rico, Falkland Islands.

Unit VIII : The Islamic World Order : Islamic Revolution in Iran and its international impact, Oil Diplomacy.

Unit IX : Disintegration of the Socialist bloc and end of the Cold War.

- (a) Genesis and process of disintegration - its impact on society and politics, German Reunification
- (b) Changes in the political order : from the unipolar to the bipolar world system
- (c) Socialism in decline; globalisation and its economic and political impact
- (d) A united Europe.