

**Television Quiz REVIEW**

<b><u>Handouts to study from:</u></b> “History of TV” notes “MOVIE: CNN: The Sixties” notes “1970s on TV: All in the Family” notes	<b><u>What will the quiz look like?</u></b> Matching & short answer questions
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**Review Questions:**

1. Why was TV NOT successful when it first came out in the 1930s? Consider the various factors that stopped it from taking off in the 1930s and 1940s. [*History of TV notes*]

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2. 1950s-1960s [*History of TV notes*]

- a. How do we know that TV was popular in the 1950s?

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- b. What was TV like in the 1950s? (describe)

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- c. Why was TV appealing to married couples in the 1950s? (What did they like about it and what kinds of shows did they watch?)

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- d. Think about a show like *Leave it to Beaver* or *I Love Lucy*. How did these shows mirror the lives of white suburban middle class Americans (men and women)? USE ONE OF THE SHOWS to support your answer.

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- e. What concerns did some people have with TV in the 1950s-1960s? (LIST)

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- f. What changes were made to TV to address some of these concerns?

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3. 1960s-1970s [*History of TV notes AND All in the Family notes*]

- a. How did ***All in the Family*** change in American TV? (Consider its goal, how it was different from sitcoms before it and the impact it had.) [*All in the Family notes*]

GOAL: \_\_\_\_\_

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DIFFERENT: \_\_\_\_\_

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IMPACT: \_\_\_\_\_

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- b. On one side, TV was a place to escape to in the '60s, yet it was also a source of info about the world. Support this with examples of '60s TV shows. [CNN video notes]

Examples of '60s escapism on TV	Examples of '60s realism on TV

4. Think about the two shows we watched (*I Love Lucy* and *All in the Family*.) How does each show reflect the time?

<u>Describe life in the 1950s</u>	<u><i>I Love Lucy</i></u>	<u>How does the show connect to life?</u>
<u>Describe life in the 1960s</u>	<u><i>All in the Family</i></u>	<u>How does the show connect to life?</u>

**Review Terms**

Golden Age of TV: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Sitcom: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Social realism: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Archie Bunker: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Anti-hero: \_\_\_\_\_  
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