**Step 2**

**EXPLAIN WHY IT MATTERS**

Put your reading into practice. Identify each term below, and then explain why it matters in U.S. history.

| **TERM** | **WHO OR WHAT & WHEN** | **WHY IT MATTERS** |
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| Interstate Highway and Defense System Act of 1956 (p. 807) |  |  |
| mutually assured destruction (MAD) (p. 812) |  |  |
| domino theory (p. 812) |  |  |
| Cuban revolution (p. 813) |  |  |
| Eisenhower Doctrine (p. 814) |  |  |
| military-industrial complex (p. 816) |  |  |
| Sun Belt (p. 819) |  |  |
| *Hernandez v. Texas* (p. 821) |  |  |
| baby boom (p. 824) |  |  |
| rock and roll (p. 826) |  |  |
| *Brown v. Board of Education* (p. 828) |  |  |
| Montgomery bus boycott (p. 830) |  |  |