

AP European History: FRQ Essay Construction Worksheets Name: _____ Per: ____

Question:

Considering the period 1953 to 1991, analyze the problems within the Soviet Union that contributed to the eventual collapse of the Soviet system.

Specific tasks required by this question:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Time-period limits: _____ : _____ - _____ : _____

I. **Introduction** - Identify and define the main subject of your essay.

A. **INTRO SENTENCE:** _____

B. **THESIS STATEMENT:** _____

III. **Body ¶ #1** - What is the theme of ¶ #1? _____

A. Topic sentence: _____

B. Identify **important, relevant,** and **SPECIFIC** items of historical **EVIDENCE**. How does it support your thesis?

E1. _____

C1. _____

E2. _____

C2. _____

C. Concluding sentence: _____

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