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“Baby Boom and Suburban Growth”

Use Page 96 and 97 to answer the following questions to preview the 1950’s. Be sure to pay attention to the labeling of the Graphs, maps and illustrations for the questions.

**Preview summary (upper left hand corner)**

1. When did Alaska and Hawaii become states?

2. What created the Baby Boom?

**Graph A “Baby Boom”**

3. What was the peak year for Births during the Baby Boom?

4. What is considered the End of the Baby Boom?

**Photograph B**

5. What leads to the demand for new suburban homes?

**Map C “United States 1959”**

6. What was valued in Alaska and Hawaii that made them desirable as US states?

**Map D “Population Density and Major Cities 1960”**

7. Where did nearly 70% of the United States Population live by 1960?

8. Using the Key, what area of the country had the densest population?

9. What part of the country was still the least densely populated area? (Excluding Alaska)

**Map E “Growth of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Area 1920-1970”**

10. What brought many new residents to the Los Angeles area in the 1950’s?

11. Beverly Hills and Burbank are historically very wealthy places to live. What did the residents that lived there need to get to the middle of Los Angeles?

12. Using the Key to the map, describe the growth of the Los Angeles from 1920-1970.