

17.2 A SOCIETY ON THE MOVE

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CHECKPOINTS

Answer each question using complete sentences.

1. How did Americans living in the suburbs benefit from the “car culture”?
2. How did the Interstate Highway System spur the growth of the suburbs?
3. What motivated so many Americans to migrate to the Sunbelt?
4. In what ways did American businesses change during the postwar period?
5. How did American education change in the years following World War II?

TERMS AND PEOPLE

What is the relationship between each of the following terms and the social and economic changes that took place in the postwar period?

1. Interstate Highway Act
2. Sunbelt
3. service sector
4. information industries
5. franchise business