

Writing Exercises: The Presidency of Bill Clinton

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class Period: _____

1. Illustrate how and why domestic issues dominated the national agenda after the Cold War.

2. Describe the defining political events of Bill Clinton's presidency.

3. Describe Newt Gingrich and his role in national politics.

4. Summarize U.S. involvement in the Balkans.

5. Analyze the acts of terrorism which occurred during Clinton's presidency, such as the bombings of the World Trade Center, U.S.S. *Cole*, and federal building in Oklahoma City. Do you believe that the responses to these events were adequate? In hindsight, what might have been done differently?
