## **USA TOPIC 4 REVISION CHECKLIST:**

## Ensure you know the answer to the following questions. Use them to make revision cards:

| Questions: |                                                                                         |  |  |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1.         | Give 5 ways in which WW2 helped the                                                     |  |  |
|            | economy to prosper                                                                      |  |  |
| 2.         | What were Truman's Fair Deal policies?                                                  |  |  |
| 3.         | Why was inflation a problem in the 1950s?                                               |  |  |
| 4.         | How were the suburbs a visible sign of the                                              |  |  |
|            | impact of the economic boom?                                                            |  |  |
| 5.         | Describe what stagflation was, and the effect it                                        |  |  |
|            | had on the economy                                                                      |  |  |
| 6.         | Why were there fuel shortages in the 1970s, and                                         |  |  |
| _          | what effect did they have on the economy?                                               |  |  |
| 7.         | ,                                                                                       |  |  |
| 0          | President Roosevelt in July 1979?                                                       |  |  |
|            | What happened to home ownership 1917-41? What were retail chains, and how did they help |  |  |
| 7.         | create and 'American culture' that made                                                 |  |  |
|            | people at home in any state?                                                            |  |  |
| 10         | . How was the health of the nation improving?                                           |  |  |
|            | . How was the education of the nation                                                   |  |  |
|            | improving?                                                                              |  |  |
| 12         | . Why were farm workers still at the bottom of                                          |  |  |
|            | society?                                                                                |  |  |
| 13         | . How did the post-war economic boom lead to                                            |  |  |
|            | consumerism?                                                                            |  |  |
| 14         | . 3 pieces of precise evidence about the impact                                         |  |  |
| 1.5        | of television                                                                           |  |  |
| 15         | . 3 ways in which teenagers were important                                              |  |  |
| 1/         | consumers in the 1950s                                                                  |  |  |
| 10         | Describe the gap in wealth in the USA in the years 1949, 1956, 1968, and 1978           |  |  |
| 17         | . What was affirmative action, and why was it                                           |  |  |
| 17         | not helpful, and not welcome by whites?                                                 |  |  |
| 18         | . How did President Johnson's 'Big Society' aim                                         |  |  |
|            | to fight the 'war on poverty'?                                                          |  |  |
| 19         | . How did President Nixon encourage 'workfare'                                          |  |  |
|            | not 'welfare'?                                                                          |  |  |
| 20         | . How did President Carter attempt to solve the                                         |  |  |
|            | poverty problem?                                                                        |  |  |
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