

Chapter 35

Global Figures

Name these leaders who have made an impact on world politics. Take help from the help card :

He was the primary founder and the first Prime Minister of Israel. He was one of the most important Zionist leaders and executive head of the World Zionist organization.

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He is commonly known by his initials JFK, was an American politician who served as the 35th President of the United States. He was assassinated while in office.

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He was the chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization from 1969 until his death in 2004, a tumultuous period in which clashes with neighbouring Israel were prevalent. He was the first President of the Palestinian National Authority.

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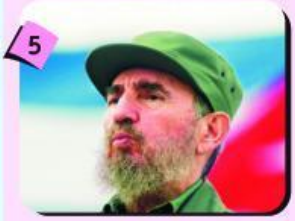
He served as the head of government of the Russian Soviet Federative Socialist Republic from 1917 and of the Soviet Union from 1922 until his death. Under his administration, the Russian Empire was replaced by the Soviet Union. He was the founder of the Russian Communist Party.

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He is a retired Cuban communist politician and revolutionary who served as prime minister and president of Cuba.

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He was the founder of the People's Republic of China which he governed as chairman of the Communist Party of China from its establishment in 1949 until his death in 1976.

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She was the prime minister of the United Kingdom from 1979 to 1990 and the Leader of the Conservative Party. She is also known as the 'Iron Lady'.

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She was the President of Liberia. She served as minister of Finance under President William Tolbert. She is the first elected female head of the State.

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He was a South American soldier who was instrumental in the continent's revolutions against the Spanish empire. After France invaded Spain in 1808, he became involved in the resistance movement and played a key role in the Spanish American fight for independence.

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He was a South African anti-apartheid revolutionary, politician and philanthropist who served as president of South Africa. He fought for the blacks in South Africa and spent 27 years in prison before becoming the country's first black president.

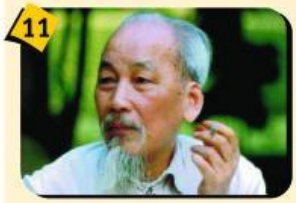
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He was a Vietnamese Communist revolutionary leader who was the prime minister and president of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam.

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He is famous for the Gettysburg Address, abolishing slavery and being one of the four presidents who have been assassinated.

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She is a German politician and a former research scientist who has been the leader of the Christian Democratic Union since 2000 and the Chancellor of Germany since 2005.

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He wanted to be known as somebody who was leading the people in an uprising against an unpopular government. He is the president of Afghanistan, leading his war-torn country towards recovery.

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He was the first president of Bangladesh during the Bangladesh Liberation War and later became prime minister of independent Bangladesh.

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He was Britain's prime minister for most of World War II. He was famous for his speeches, and for his refusal to give in, even when things were going badly. For a time he was the most famous person in Britain.

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Help Card

David Ben-Gurion, Simon Bolivar, John F. Kennedy, Abraham Lincoln, Hamid Karzai, Winston Churchill, Nelson Mandela, Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, Vladimir Ilyich Lenin, Angela Merkel, Yasser Arafat, Margaret Thatcher, Fidel Castro, Mao Zedong, Ho Chi Minh, Ellen Johnson Sirleaf.

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