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Rebuilding After WWII Answer Key

1. To promote peace, diplomacy, and cooperation between nations.
2. By providing economic aid to rebuild cities, industries, and infrastructure.
3. They helped prevent future wars by encouraging cooperation and reducing poverty and instability.
4. The U.S. wanted to prevent the spread of communism and support democratic allies.
5. They created stronger alliances and a model for solving global problems through cooperation.

Teacher's Guide

- **Differentiation Tips:**
 - Provide key vocabulary support (*diplomacy, reconstruction, alliance*) with short definitions before reading.
 - For struggling readers, summarize the passage aloud and use guiding questions for each paragraph.
 - For advanced learners, have them evaluate how effective these programs were in preventing future conflicts.
- **Engagement Ideas:**
 - Have students role-play as delegates forming the United Nations, creating a "charter" of three new global goals.
 - Conduct a class discussion on what modern challenges the UN faces today compared to 1945.
- **Extension Ideas:**
 - Ask students to research one Marshall Plan recipient nation and explain how the aid changed its recovery path.
 - Connect to civics by comparing the UN's role to that of national governments in maintaining peace and rights.