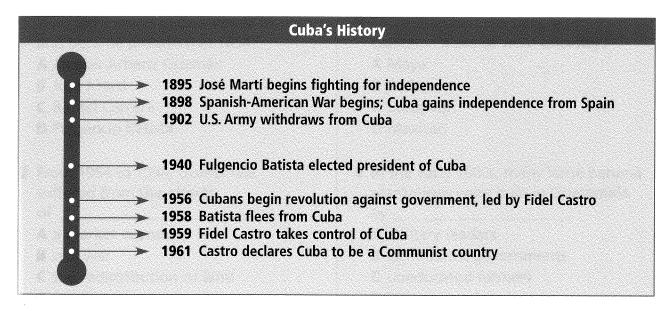
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TIME LINES

Time Line in a Box—Multiple Choice

Directions: Look at the time line of important events in Cuba's history. Use the time line to answer the following multiple-choice questions.



- 1 In what year did Cuba gain its independence from Spain?
 - A 1895
 - **B** 1898
 - **C** 1902
 - **D** 1940
- 2 Who became the ruler of Cuba in 1940?
 - A José Martí
 - **B** Fidel Castro
 - C Fulgencio Batista
 - **D** the U.S. Army

- 3 In what year did Castro's revolution begin?
 - **A** 1956
 - **B** 1958
 - **C** 1959
 - **D** 1961
- 4 What happened in Cuba in 1961?
 - A Fulgencio Batista fled from Cuba.
 - **B** Fidel Castro took control of Cuba's government.
 - C The United States declared war on Cuba.
 - **D** Castro made Cuba a Communist country.

Test Your Knowledge

Why did Fidel Castro's decision to make Cuba a Communist country lead to conflict with the United States?

