

INVESTICE DO ROZVOJE VZDĚLÁVÁNÍ

Angličtina: John F. Kennedy

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Stručný obsah	Základní informace o Johnu F. Kennedym
Způsob využití	Snímky prezentují základní informace o Johnu F. Kennedym jako jedné z významných osobností americké historie. Součástí jsou kontrolní otázky a závěrečné shrnutí obsahu.
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Who is it?

- It is a man
- He was the 35th US President
- He was the country's youngest president
- He was the Roman Catholic ever to be elected
- His wife's name was Jackie
- He was murdered in Dallas

John F. Kennedy



John Fitzgerald Kennedy

(1917-63)

- the 35th US President (1961-3)
- known informally as Jack Kennedy or JFK
- first elected to the House of Representatives and then to the Senate
- his greatest success as President → dealing with the Cuban missile crises
- his worst failure → the Bay of Pigs incident



- worked with his brother, US Attorney General Robert Kennedy, to support the Civil rights movement
- his wife was Jackie Kennedy



← Robert Kennedy
Jackie Kennedy →



John F. Kennedy,
First Lady Jacqueline
Kennedy,
with children
John F. Kennedy, Jr.
and Caroline Kennedy



Cuban missile crises

- in 1962 between the US and USSR
- President Kennedy became aware that there were Soviet nuclear weapons in Cuba and sent US Navy to stop Soviet ships from bringing more
- the Soviet leader Nikita Khrushchev ordered the Russian ships to turn back and later removed all the weapons



John F. Kennedy, Nikita Khrushchev →

The Bay of Pigs

- a bay on the south-west coast of Cuba



- in 1961 about 1500 Cuban exiles landed there in an attempt to end the rule of Fidel Castro
- the attempt failed, causing great embarrassment to the US President Kennedy

The assassination of JFK

- Kennedy was shot and killed probably by Lee Harvey Oswald (was himself shot and killed only two days after the assassination)
- in November 1963
- Dallas, Texas

**Kennedy family leading
funeral procession,
25 November 1963**



TASK 1:

Answer the following questions about JFK:

- When did he become the US President?
- What was his greatest success as President?
- What was his worst failure as President?
- What do you know about these events?
- What is his wife's name?
- What did he and his brother support?
- When and where was he assassinated?

TASK 2:

Work in pairs and talk about JFK. The following words can help you.

- President
- elect
- youngest
- Roman Catholic
- wife
- success
- failure
- assassination

Zdroje

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