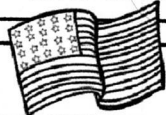


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# THE COLD WAR (1947-1991)

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## AMERICA

## SOVIET UNION

* _____ Elections	*No Elections (or were fixed)
*Democratic	*Autocratic/ _____
* _____	*Communist
*"Survival of the Fittest"	*Everybody helps _____
*Richest world _____	*Poor economic base
*Personal freedom	*Society controlled by the NKVD (_____)
*Freedom of the _____	*Total censorship

Describe the relationship between the U.S. & Soviet Union:

Prior to World War II:

During World War II:

**TRUMAN  
DOCTRINE:**

1947- Stated the United States would support countries whom \_\_\_\_\_ nations tried to take over



## TYPES OF WAR

1) HOT WAR	Actual _____ All talks have failed and the armies are _____
2) WARM WAR	Talks are still going; there is a chance of _____ outcome; Militaries have been fully _____ though and are ready for the command to fight
3) COLD WAR	Sides do not actually _____, but fight for their beliefs using other nations who fought

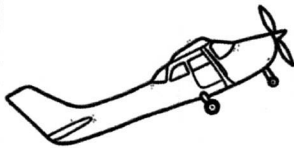
**RED SCARE**  
(Late 1940s-  
Early 1950s)

Hysteria in America over the perceived threat posed by \_\_\_\_\_ in the U.S.  
Communists were often referred to as "\_\_\_\_\_"  
for their allegiance to the red Soviet flag

**MCARTHYSM**

Practice of making accusations of \_\_\_\_\_  
without proper regard for evidence.  
(Named after Senator Joseph McCarthy who  
\_\_\_\_\_ many prominent Americans of being  
Communists during the Red Scare)

**BERLIN  
CRISIS**  
1948-1949



Germany was divided into \_\_\_ sections after World War II \_\_\_\_\_, the capital, was located in the Soviet Union zone, but control of the city was also split into four zones among the four nations  
The Soviets cut off all \_\_\_\_\_ to Western Berlin so the Allies had to \_\_\_\_\_ supplies into the people of West Berlin  
In 1949, the Soviets finally lifted the \_\_\_\_\_

**NATO** North  
Atlantic  
Treaty  
Organization

Created in April of 1949 in reaction to a fear that Europeans and Americans had of \_\_\_\_\_ Soviet Union attacking and taking over other countries during the Cold War; still exists today

**ARMS RACE**  
August 29th,  
1949

The Soviet Union successfully tested their first \_\_\_\_\_, shocking the world and starting the arms race between Soviets and Americans; Each nation spent BILLIONS throughout the Cold War on weapons

**PROXY WAR**




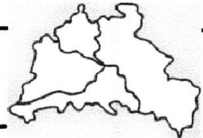


Two opposing countries avoiding \_\_\_\_\_ war, but support combatants that serve their interests

**KOREAN WAR**  
1950-1953



North Korea: \_\_\_\_\_; supported by Soviet Union, China  
South Korea: Anti-Communist; supported by United Nations, Great Britain,  
\_\_\_\_\_

The war ended with little resolution and the countries remain \_\_\_\_\_ today North Korea is still ruled by a \_\_\_\_\_ regime

<b>WARSAW PACT</b>	Formed as a reaction to _____ by the Soviet Union and their eastern European allies (1955)
<b>VIETNAM WAR</b> 1955-1975	<b>North Vietnam:</b> pro-Communist; supplied by Communist _____ and Communist China. <b>South Vietnam:</b> anti-Communist; supplied by _____; Reunited in 1976 
<b>SPACE RACE</b> 1955	Began when the Soviet Union and United States said they planned to launch _____ into space
<b>SUEZ CRISIS</b> 1956 	Occurred in the Middle East starting with Egypt taking control of the Suez _____, an important manmade waterway, so they could make money from people using it Israel, France, and Great Britain attacked _____ to make the canal free again; eventually they withdrew troops, and the canal became free
<b>SPACE RACE</b> 1957	The Russians placed the first successful satellite, _____ I (Russian for "traveler"), into orbit In 1958, Americans successfully launched their first satellite, _____ I 
<b>BAY OF PIGS INVASION</b> 1961	United States sent trained Cuban exiles to Cuba to try and overthrow Fidel Castro's communist government, but _____ miserably It was an embarrassment for _____ and the U.S.
<b>BERLIN WALL (1961)</b>	<b>East Berlin-</b> Soviet Union, _____ <b>West Berlin-</b> United States & Allies, _____ A _____ was built into 1961 to divide the two 
<b>CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS (1962)</b>	Occurred after the Soviet Union installed _____ missiles in Cuba; The United States would not allow this installation and after _____ tense days and many secret negotiations, the Soviet Union agreed to remove them; The event was perhaps the closest the United States and the Soviet Union came to a nuclear _____ during the Cold War
<b>MIKHAIL GORBACHEV</b>	(1985) Became leader of the Soviet Union and introduced new _____ to improve the Soviet Union 
<b>BERLIN WALL</b> 1989	The Berlin Wall dividing the two parts of the capital of Germany is _____ 
<b>COLLAPSE OF SOVIET UNION</b>	Gorbachev was overthrown and the Soviet Union collapses; Boris _____ became the new President of Russia The Cold War ends after years of tension 