

**The Cold War** Homework  
**World History** textbook readings, unless otherwise stated.

**HW #41-Cold War: Superpowers Face Off**      **Pages 965-970**

1. Define and/or give the significance of:
  - United Nations
  - iron curtain
  - containment
  - Marshall Plan
  - NATO
  - Warsaw Pact
2. What was the goal of the Allies in forming the United Nations?
3. What was the goal of the Marshall Plan?
4. What factors help to explain why the United States and the Soviet Union became rivals instead of allies?

**HW #42-War In Korea and Vietnam**      **Pages 976-981**

1. Define and/or give the significance of:
  - 38th Parallel
  - Ho Chi Minh
  - domino theory
  - Vietcong
  - Khmer Rouge
2. What role did the United Nations play in the Korean War?
3. What caused the division of Vietnam?
4. How did imperialism contribute to the Vietnam War?

**HW #43-The Cold War Divides The World**      **Pages 982-987**

1. Define and/or give the significance of:
  - Third World
  - Fidel Castro
  - Daniel Ortega
  - Ayatollah Ruholla Khomeini
2. How was the Cuban Missile Crisis resolved?
3. What was significant about the 1990 elections in Nicaragua?
4. What advantages and disadvantages might being nonaligned have offered a developing nation during the Cold War?

**HW #44-The Cold War Thaws**      **Pges 988-991**

1. Define and/or give the significance of:
  - Nikita Khrushchev
  - Leonid Brezhnev
  - détente
  - SALT
2. What effects did destalinization have on Soviet satellite countries?
3. What changes did Dubcek seek to make in Czechoslovakia in 1968, and what was the response of the Soviet government?
4. Why was the policy of brinkmanship replaced?

**HW #45-Collapse of the Soviet Union****Pages 1046-1051**

1. Define and/or give the significance of:
  - Politburo
  - glasnost
  - Perestroika
  - CIS
2. What are some of the changes that Mikhail Gorbachev made to the Soviet economy?
3. How did Gorbachev's reforms help to move the Soviet Union toward democracy?
4. After the breakup of the Soviet Union, what problems did Yeltsin and Putin face as the leaders of Russia?

**HW #46-Changes in Central and Eastern Europe****Pages 1052-1058**

1. Define and/or give the significance of:
  - Solidarity
  - Lech Walesa
  - reunification
  - ethnic cleansing
2. How did Solidarity affect Communist rule in Poland?
3. Why did many in Europe fear a reunited Germany?