Directions: While reading the following text on Cold War Context, fill out the following organizers
below to support your processing and showcase your understanding. You will be filling out the
different parts as you go (so not necessarily one at a time) - be on the lookout for themes or
patterns so that you can more easily fill out the charts.

PART I: **Explain** the historical context of <u>3 different locations</u> that were impacted by the Cold War after 1945. Essentially take notes on 3 locations where the U.S & the USSR struggled to gain influence. (NOTE: Think about the order of dates and events!)

Location / Countries Involved	Time Period	Significant Event

PART II: Explain 2 causes and effects of the ideological struggle of the Cold War for EACH nation. When writing *causes & effects*, you need to explain what was done by one nation (an action and thus the cause) and then the impact (effect of the action). The main ideological struggle was between the U.S (democracy/capitalism) and the USSR (communism). Some Of this will be repetitive from Part I.

	Cause	Effect
United States		
Soviet Union		

PART III: **Compare** the ways in which the United States and the Soviet Union sought to maintain influence over the course of the Cold War. Meaning, you are to list HOW the U.S & Soviet Union (USSR) tried to or was able to influence/control other locations. <u>List evidence</u> to support your comparison of the two superpowers.

United States	Soviet Union
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