## Frontpage News: The Cold War

## Task:

Research information about a Cold War event and how the event impacted relations between the US and USSR to create the front page of a Cold War newspaper.

## Requirements:

Write a primary news article about an important Cold War event. The article should be approximately 300 words. It should also include at least one quotation (the quotation can be fictitious but must be historically accurate). The article must also mention how the event impacted relations with the United States and Soviet Union. The following should be incorporated into the layout for the newspaper:

- a headline for the newspaper
- a picture with a caption which relates to the article.
- an original and creative title for the newspaper.
- a date for the paper
- other creative elements which might be found on a front page (table of contents, quote of the day, etc.) These features should also relate to the Cold War.
- Other: The paper may be written from the perspective of the United States or the perspective of the Soviet Union.

## **Events**

Yalta Conference

Marshall Plan/COMECON

Truman Doctrine

NATO

Warsaw Pact

The Arms Race/MAD Berlin Blockade/Airlift

Berlin Wall

Chinese Communist Revolution

Korean War **Cuban Revolution** Cuban Missile Crisis Bay of Pigs Invasion

Bandung Conference/Non-alignment

McCarthyism Vietnam War

De-Stalinization **European Community Hungarian Uprising** Prague Spring Brezhnev Doctrine

Sino-Soviet Split Detente

1980 Olympics

SALT

U-2 Incident

Invasion of Afghanistan Destruction of the Berlin Wall Re-unification of Germany Soladarity Movement in Poland

Velvet Revolution

Sputnik

Gorbachev's Reforms