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Early Years of the Cold War: 1945-1955

**Directions:** Using your notes from the day, complete the following chart to describe each policy/event and how it was a part of the overall policy of *containment*. Afterwards, complete the questions at the bottom of the page.

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| **Policy/Event** | **Description** | **How was this part of the policy of *containment*?** |
| Truman Doctrine |  |  |
| Marshall Plan |  |  |
| Berlin Airlift |  |  |
| North Atlantic Treaty Organization |  |  |
| Brinkmanship |  |  |
| Korean War |  |  |

1. Why did the United States and Soviet Union distrust each other so much at the end of World War II?
2. How did the speeches of Winston Churchill and Joseph Stalin create higher tensions at the start of the Cold War?
3. What was the Domino Theory? How did it justify the policy of *containment*?