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Roots of the Cold War

**COLD WAR**

* Definition: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* Two **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
	+ United States vs. Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
* Mainly a conflict between **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** & **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** nations
* Why is it called the “Cold” War?
	+ No direct conflict on the **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
	+ The U.S. and Soviet Union did engage in **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** (spying), propaganda, athletic, and political “battles” around the world.

**Learning Target #1 Recap**

* + Cold War begins as **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** ends
	+ Between capitalist nations (led by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) and communist nations (led by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)
	+ No direct fighting between U.S. and Soviets
	+ Ends in 1990s

**CAUSES**

* Competition between superpowers
* Nuclear weapons
* Disagreements/distrust over end of WW2
* U.S. policies toward communism
* Alliances

**Competition**

* The U.S. and Soviet Union competed in nearly everything – List 6 things that the U.S. and Soviets competed over:

**Nuclear Weapons**

* The U.S. and Soviet Union began building up their nuclear arsenal, just in case the countries went to war.
* Nuclear annihilation was the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the Cold War

**Disagreements & Distrust**

* Democratic nations (United States, France, & Britain) wanted free elections in Eastern European elections after WWII
* Soviet Union would not allow; instead, they set up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ governments in places like Poland and East Germany
* These nations were called **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** of the USSR

**U.S. Policies**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ U.S. tries to keep communism from spreading to more countries
* Marshall Plan
	+ U.S. gives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to countries to keep them from turning to communism

**Alliances**

* North Atlantic Treaty Organization (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)
	+ U.S.-led alliance between democratic nations
* Warsaw Pact
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-led alliance between communist nations and Soviet satellite nations
* These were military, as well as political, alliances

**Learning Target #2 Recap**

* The Cold War was caused by competition between the two superpowers—\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Each side tried to get more power and influence around the world
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ war was a real possibility