**Cold War**

**Study Guide**

**Describe the major conflict that arose after the end of WWII between the United States and the Soviet Union.**

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**What is the United Nations, and why did the U.S. join?**

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**Define collective security:**

**Why did the U.S. establish a long-term military presence in Germany after WWII?**

**What is the containment policy, and why was it the U.S. strategy?**

**Describe the purpose of the Truman Doctrine**

**Describe the purpose of the Marshall Plan**

**Which social and political issues challenged the United States during the Cold War?**

**How were U.S.-Soviet relations different during the Khrushchev and Brezhnev regimes?**

**Describe the following revolts in 1956 and how they were resolved:**

**Poland–**

**Hungary –**

**Czechoslovakia –**

**Who were the “Asian Tigers” and during the initial post –WW II period, in what was were they similar?**