

The BARE causes of The Cold War



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		U.S.	U.S.S.R
B	Beliefs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capitalism - free enterprise • Democracy free elections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communism State run economy • totalitarianism Dictatorship
A	Aims	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help Germany recover • protect Democracy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • make Germany pay rep • create a "buffer" of friendly countries to prevent another invasion
R	Resentment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • USSR Pact with Germany • USSR delay in war with Japan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US and UK opposition to Russian Revolution • US and UK delay in attacking German western front
E	Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Potsdam Conference • Churchill's speech at Fulton "Iron Curtain" • The Marshall plan • Greece; US backed Greek Government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yalta conference • Stalin breaks his promise to allow free elections in Eastern Europe • Cominform - Stalin required all communist countries to join. • Czechoslovakia - Soviets take over government