



# The Cold War



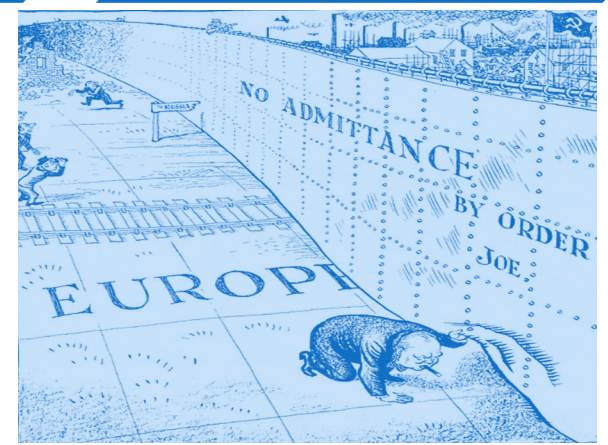
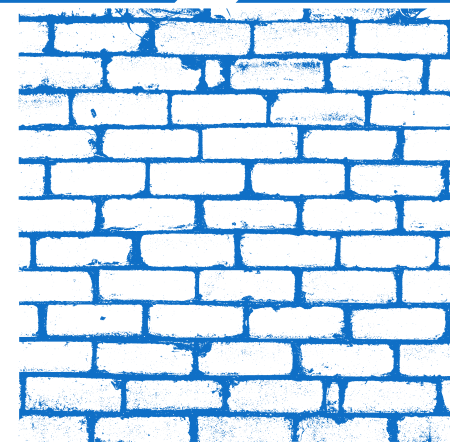
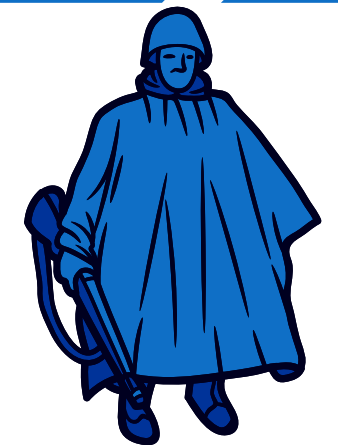
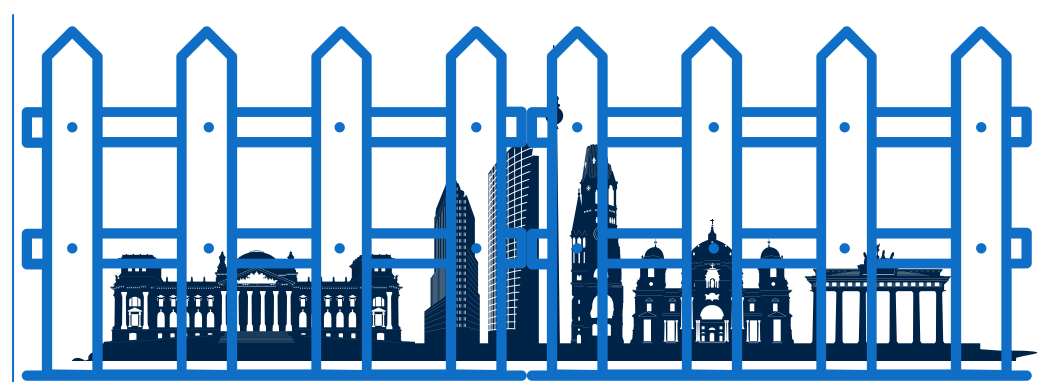
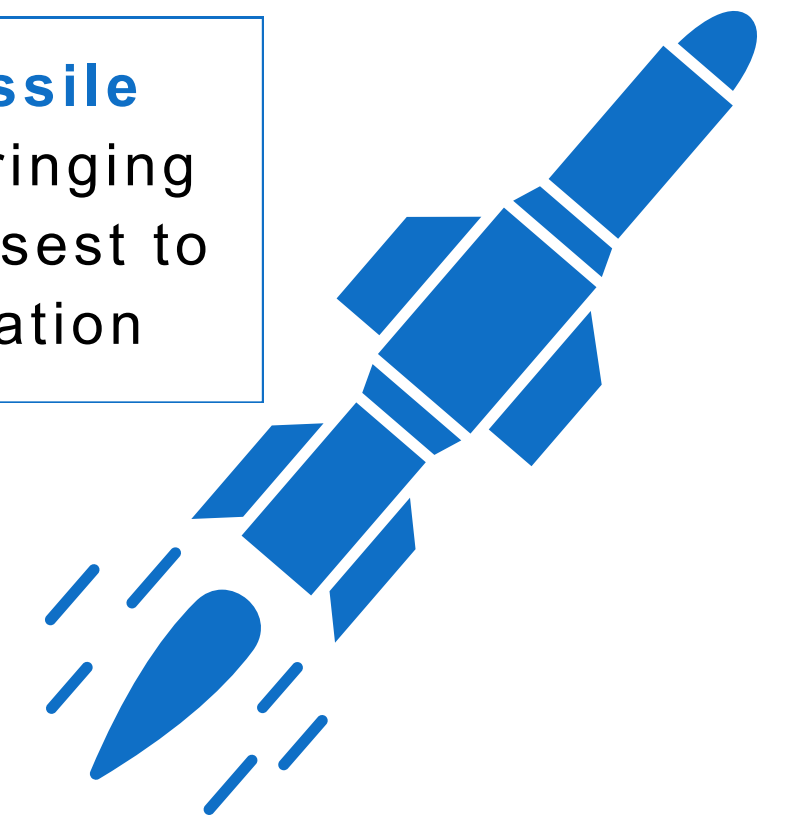
**3.5 RECOGNISE** the importance of the Cold War in international relations in the twentieth-century world



**NATO** is formed while **USSR** tests its first atomic bomb.

**The Vietnam War** begins

**The Cuban Missile Crisis** begins, bringing the World the closest to nuclear annihilation



The **Marshall Plan** and the **Berlin Blockade** marks the beginning of the **Cold War**

**The Korean War** begins

The **Berlin Wall** is built. The **Iron Curtain** separates the USSR from Western Europe

The **Fall of the Berlin Wall** predates the Fall of the Soviet Union two years later.