

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Event:</b>
<b>1944: February</b>	Yalta Conference
<b>1945: July-August</b>	Potsdam Conference.
<b>1945: August</b>	Atomics bomb- bombing of Nagasaki and Hiroshima.
<b>1947:</b>	Truman Doctrine
<b>1947: September</b>	Cominform established.
<b>1948: April</b>	Marshall Plan put into action.
<b>1948: June – May 1949.</b>	Berlin Blockade and airlift.
<b>1949: Jan</b>	Comecon established.
<b>1949: April</b>	NATO formed.
<b>1949: August</b>	USSR tests atom bomb
<b>1949: October</b>	China become Communist.
<b>1950-53</b>	Korean War
<b>1955, May</b>	Formation of Warsaw Pact
<b>1956 Oct- Nov</b>	Hungarian Uprising.
<b>1957: October</b>	USSR launch Sputnik 1 , satellite into space, then Sputnik 2.
<b>1959: Jan</b>	Fidel Castro takes power in Cuba- Cuba is Communist.
<b>1960: May</b>	U2 spy plan shot down in USSR and Paris Peace Summit fails.
<b>1961: April</b>	Bay of Pigs failure for Kennedy.
<b>1961: August</b>	Berlin Wall is constructed.
<b>1962: October</b>	Cuban Missile Crisis.
<b>1968: Jan-Aug</b>	The Prague Spring
<b>1969: July</b>	Armstrong, American, 1 <sup>st</sup> Man on the Moon.
<b>1972: May</b>	SALT I