World History Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Per:\_\_\_\_

**Unit 8: The Cold War Thaws**

**Soviet Union**

* Joseph Stalin died on March 5, 19\_\_
* Nikita \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ took over after Stalin
* Khrushchev announced the policy of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The point of it was to point the Soviet Union in a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Wanted to make sure people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Monument were destroyed and his body was moved outside the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wall

**United States**

* John F \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ involved in a U-2 plane incident and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, put the US on the brink of war
* After the assassination of Kennedy, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ becomes president
* Johnson believed in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Which escalated the US involvement in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Protest and government deceiving the people lead to a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Johnson didn’t run for election

**Richard Nixon**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ became president in 1969
* Ran on the promise that he would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the war in Vietnam
* He actually expanded the war into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Nixon wanted to drastically change US policy on dealing with the Soviet Union
* Introduced­­ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to lessen the tension
* This policy came from realpolitik which means “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_”

**United States reduces tensions**

* Both the US and Soviet Union agreed to reduce tensions
* In February 1972, Nixon became the 1st president to visit the \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Nixon and Brezhnev had a series of meeting called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_\_)
* This limited the number of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and submarine-launched missiles each country can have

**Détente cools**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ tried to improve relations with the Détente policy
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the Soviet Union didn’t get along
* Carter and Brezhnev signed ­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_ in June 1979
* US congress never ratified the agreement because of the Soviet Union involvement in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* This caused nations around the world to build up their nuclear weapons

**Ronald Reagan**

* Reagan took office after Jimmy Carter in 19\_\_
* He was against the policy of détente
* Reagan announced a program called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_)
* The program also had another name that was named after a famous movie \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* This program was to help protect America from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ missiles
* This help lead to the end of the \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ Summary**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**