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# Reading and resources list

2R The Cold War, c1945–1991

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## Key texts for classroom and individual study

- J Aldred, *Aspects of International Relations, 1945 – 2004*, Nelson Thornes, 2009
- O Edwards, *Access to History: The USA and the Cold War 1945-63*, Hodder, 2002
- S Phillips, *The Cold War in Europe and Asia*, Heineman, 2001
- K Rogers and J Thomas, *The Cold War*, Pearson, 2008
- D Williamson, *Access to History: Europe and the Cold War 1945-1991*, Hodder, 2006

## Useful books for students

- G S Barrass, *The Great Cold War*, Stanford University Press, 2009
- R Croackatt, *The Fifty Years War*, Routledge, 1995
- John Lewis Gaddis, *The Cold War*, Penguin, 2007
- Isaacs and Downing, *The Cold War: For Forty-five Years the World Held its Breath*, Abacas, 2008
- B Lightbody, *The Cold War (Questions and Analysis in History)*, Routledge, 1999
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- T Judt, *Postwar: A History of Europe Since 1945*, Vintage, 2010

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- S Ambrose, *Rise to Globalism; American Foreign Policy since 1938*, Penguin, 2012
- A Applebaum, *Iron Curtain: The Crushing of Eastern Europe 1944-56*, Penguin, 2013
- M Dobbs, *One Minute To Midnight: Kennedy, Khrushchev and Castro on the Brink of Nuclear War*, Arrow, 2009
- N Ferguson, *Colossus: The Rise and Fall of the American Empire*, Penguin, 2009
- J Fenby, *Alliance: The Inside Story of How Roosevelt, Stalin and Churchill Won One War and Began Another*, Pocket Books, 2008
- J L Gaddis, *We Now Know, Rethinking Cold War History*, Clarendon Press, 1998
- R Garthoff, *Détente and Confrontation: American-Soviet Relations from Nixon to Reagan*, Brookings Institution Press, 1994
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- J Mann, *The Rebellion of Ronald Reagan: A History of the End of the Cold War*, Penguin, 2011

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- S M Plokhy, *Yalta: The Price of Peace*, Viking, 2011
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  - F Taylor, *The Berlin Wall: 13 August 1961 - 9 November 1989*, Bloombury Publishing, 2009
  - M Walker, *The Cold War and the Making of the Modern World*, Vintage, 1994
  - Westad *The Global Cold War: Third World Interventions and the Making of Our Times*, CUP, 2007
  - V Zubok, *Inside the Kremlin's Cold War: From Stalin to Khrushchev*, Harvard University Press, 1997
  - M Zubok Vladislav, *A Failed Empire: The Soviet Union in the Cold War from Stalin to Gorbachev*, University of North Carolina Prerss, 2008

## Document Collections (see also web sites)

- J M Hanimaki and O Westad, *The Cold War: A History in Documents and Eyewitness Accounts*, OUP, 2004

## Biographies and first-hand accounts

- R Nixon, *Memoirs*, Simon and Schuster, 1981
- Gorbachev, *Memoirs*, Doubleday, 2007
- R Kennedy, *Thirteen Days: A Memoir of the Cuban Missile Crisis*, WW Norton, 2002
- H Kissinger, *White House Years*, Simon and Schuster, 1979
- H Kissinger, *Years of Upheaval*, Simon and Schuster, 1982

## Visual sources and websites

- S Khrushchev, *Drawing the Curtain: The Cold War in Cartoons*, Fontanka, 2012
- <http://www.wilsoncenter.org/program/cold-war-international-history-project>
- [http://avalon.law.yale.edu/subject\\_menus/coldwar.asp](http://avalon.law.yale.edu/subject_menus/coldwar.asp)
- <http://www2.gwu.edu/~nsarchiv/coldwar/documents/>
- [http://millercenter.org/academic/dgs/primaryresources/cold\\_war](http://millercenter.org/academic/dgs/primaryresources/cold_war)
- <http://www.historywiz.com/primarysources/coldwarprimary.html>
- [http://web.archive.org/web/20081217154418/http://www.cnn.com/SPECIALS/cold\\_war/](http://web.archive.org/web/20081217154418/http://www.cnn.com/SPECIALS/cold_war/)
- <https://www.mtholyoke.edu/acad/intrel/coldwar.htm>