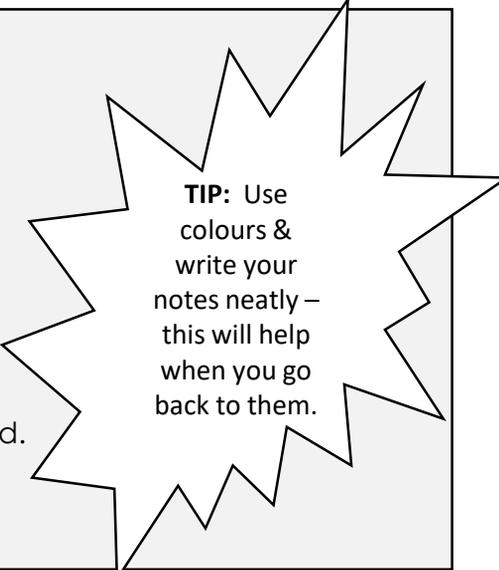


How do I make revision notes?

1. Get your **book** and a **stack of cards**.
2. On the front of each card, write **one the questions below**.
3. On the back, write the **answer** to that question, with some detail if you will be able to remember it.
4. Write any words you don't know in a **glossary**, and **ask your teacher** about any information you don't understand.
5. **Store** your notes in your revision folder.



TIP: Use colours & write your notes neatly – this will help when you go back to them.

Paper 1B.1: The Origins of the Cold War, 1945-9

Lesson 1.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is a Cold War?• What do Capitalists believe about money and individual freedoms?• What do Communists believe about money and individual freedoms?• Why do Capitalists and Communists disagree?• Why was the USA afraid of Communism?• What are the other names for the USA? Is the USA Capitalist or Communist?• What are the other names for Russia? Is Russia Capitalist or Communist?
Lesson 1.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Which countries were in the wartime alliance against Hitler?• Which countries are the 'Western Allies'?• When was the Yalta Conference and which countries were there?• What were the agreements at the Yalta Conference?• What was the one disagreement at the Yalta Conference?
Lesson 1.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• When did World War Two end in Europe?• Give three reasons why the relationship between the USA, USSR and Britain had got worse by the Potsdam Conference.• When was the Potsdam Conference and which countries were there?• What were the disagreements at the Potsdam Conference?
H/W – Soviet Expansion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• What was Soviet Expansion?• When did it happen?• How did Communism spread to Czechoslovakia?• How did Communism spread to Hungary?
Lesson 1.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Why did Soviet Expansion scare the Americans?

Lesson 1.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who was Truman? • What was the Truman Doctrine? • When was the Truman Doctrine passed? Which country passed it? • Why did the events in Greece help Truman to pass the Truman Doctrine? • What was the policy of containment? • How is the Truman Doctrine an example of containment? • What was the Marshall Plan? • When was the Marshall Plan passed? Which country passed it? • Why did events in Czechoslovakia help Truman to pass the Marshall Plan? • How was the Marshall Plan supposed to stop Communism from spreading? • How did Stalin react to the Marshall Plan? • What was Cominform and when was it set up? • What was Comecon and when was it set up? • How did Cominform and Comecon help Stalin to control Eastern Europe?
Lesson 1.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What happened to Germany and Berlin after World War Two? • What did Stalin want to do to Germany? • What did America want to do to Germany? • Why did Britain, America and France join their zones together? • Why did that make Stalin angry? • What did Stalin do in 1948? • How did the Americans and British react? • When did the blockade end? • What is another name for West Germany? Were they Capitalist or Communist? • What is another name for East Germany? Were they Capitalist or Communist?

Paper 1B.2: The Development of the Cold War, 1949-60

Lesson 2.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What happened in China in 1949? • Who was the new Chinese leader? • What did China and the USSR agree in 1950? • What was the American 'domino effect' theory? • What were the dates of the Korean War? • Which part of Korea was Communist and which Capitalist? • Why did the Korean War start? • What did the United Nations do? • What was the impact of the Korean War? • How did the Korean War end? • Which part of Vietnam was Communist and which Capitalist? • Why did the Vietnam War begin in the 1960s? • Why did the Vietnam War increase Cold War tension? • Why was the Vietnam War a disaster for the USA?
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<p>H/W – military alliances</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an alliance? • Why would alliances make a small disagreement become a large war? • What was NATO, and when was it set up? • What were the aims of NATO? • Was the USA or USSR in NATO? Was NATO Communist or Capitalist? • What was the Warsaw Pact, and when was it set up? • What were the aims of the Warsaw Pact? • Was the USA or USSR in the Warsaw Pact? Was the Warsaw Pact Communist or Capitalist?
<p>Lesson 2.2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an arms race? • What is a space race? • Why did the arms race begin? • When did the USSR have their own atomic bomb? • What did the USSR test in 1957? • Why were ICBMs important? • What did the USSR do in 1957? Why did that make the USSR look good? • What did the USSR do in 1961? Why did that make the USSR look good? • What did the USA do in 1969? Why did that make the USA look good? • What does ‘MAD’ stand for? • How does ‘MAD’ work? • What is the ‘military industrial complex’? • Why were the American people worried about it? • How did the American people feel about the arms race? • What did American children learn to do if there was a nuclear attack?
<p>Lesson 2.3</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When did Stalin die? • Who took over from Stalin as Soviet leader? • How did Khrushchev make it seem as though the Cold War would get better? • What was the name of the event that occurred in Hungary in 1956? • Who was the Communist leader of Hungary in 1956? • Why did people in Hungary not like Rakosi’s government? • What happened to Rakosi in 1956? • Who formed the new government? • What changes did Nagy try to bring in? • What was Nagy’s plan for the Warsaw Pact? • How did Khrushchev react to Hungary wanting to leave the Warsaw Pact? • What did the USSR do in November 1956? • What happened to Nagy? • Who became leader after the uprising? • Why did the USA and Britain not intervene in Hungary? • What happened to Soviet soldiers in Hungary after the uprising? • What was the long-term impact of the uprising in Hungary?

Lesson 2.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a 'U-2' plane? • Why are U-2s useful for spying? • When was the Paris Peace Summit supposed to happen? • Which countries were supposed to be at the conference? • What was supposed to be discussed at the conference? • Who was Gary Powers? • What happened to Gary Powers just before the Paris Summit? • Why did Khrushchev refuse to attend the Paris Summit? • What was the long-term impact of the U-2 crisis?
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Paper 1B.3: The transformation of the Cold War, 1960-72

Lesson 3.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Which year was the Berlin Wall crisis? • Where was Berlin? • Why did many people want to leave East Germany? • What type of people were leaving East Germany? Why was that a problem? • Why was it easy to escape through Berlin? • Why was Berlin a good place for US spies? • Who was the Soviet leader at the time of the Berlin Wall crisis? • Who was the American leader at the time of the Berlin Wall crisis? • Why did Khrushchev think he could test Kennedy? • What did East German soldiers do in August 1961? • Why could people not cross the Berlin Wall easily? • What was Checkpoint Charlie? • What happened at Checkpoint Charlie in October 1961? • Why did Kennedy accept the Berlin Wall?
Lesson 3.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why was there no war over the Berlin Wall? • What impact did the wall have on Berlin? • How many people left East Germany before the Berlin Wall? • How many people left East Germany after the Berlin Wall was built? • Why do we know that the Berlin Wall worked? • How did the USSR AND USA use the Berlin Wall as propaganda?
Lesson 3.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where is Cuba? • Who was the leader of Cuba up to 1959? Why was he unpopular? • Who took over Cuba in 1959? Why was he popular? • Why did the USA dislike Castro? • What did the USA do to cause problems for Castro? • What did Khrushchev start sending to Cuba?

Lesson 3.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the plan for the Bay of Pigs invasion? • Why did the invasion go wrong? • What was the impact of the failed invasion on the USA/Kennedy? • What did a US spy plane discover in October 1962? • What did Kennedy decide to do about the missile sites on Cuba? • Did the US blockade of Cuba work? How do you know? • What did Khrushchev say in his first letter to Kennedy? • What did Khrushchev say in his second letter to Kennedy? • What happened to a US spy plane on Sat 27th October? • What did Kennedy refuse to do? • What did Khrushchev do at the end of the Cuban Missile Crisis? • What did Kennedy do at the end of the Cuban Missile Crisis?
Lesson 3.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did Kennedy benefit from the Cuban Missile Crisis? • How did Khrushchev benefit from the Cuban Missile Crisis? • Why did relations between the USA and USSR get better after the Cuban Missile Crisis? • What did the USA and USSR sign in 1963? • What did the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty say?
Lesson 3.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who was the leader of the Soviet Union at the time of the Prague Spring? • In which year did the Prague Spring happen? • Why did Czechs dislike Communism? • Who became the new Communist leader of Czechoslovakia in 1968? • What was the name of Dubcek's action plan? • What did Dubcek plan to do with Communism? • Did Dubcek plan to take Czechoslovakia out of the Warsaw Pact? • What was the name of the period when Dubcek tried to reform Communism? • What did Dubcek think about setting up in Czechoslovakia? • What did the Soviet Union think about the changes in Czechoslovakia? • What did Brezhnev do in August? • How did the Czechs respond to this? • Why did America not support the 'Prague Spring'?
Lesson 3.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did relations between the USA and USSR get worse after the Prague Spring? • What did the Brezhnev Doctrine say? • How did the Czechs feel about the Soviets after the Prague Spring?
Lesson 3.8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does 'détente' mean? • Why did the USA and USSR want to have détente? • What did the USA allow China to do in 1971? • What agreement was signed in 1972? • What did this agreement say?