

# The Cold War in the '60s

**Name:**

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**Directions:** Each of these terms or people are related to the Cold War in the 1960s. See if you can match each of them with the correct definition or description. Good luck!

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| Bay of Pigs  | Cuban Missile Crisis | Domino Theory | Fidel Castro | Ho Chi Minh | Lyndon Johnson | Richard Nixon |
| Soviet Union | Tet Offensive        | Vietcong      |              |             |                |               |

This was a confrontation between the Soviet Union and the United States over nuclear missiles the Soviets had allegedly deployed to Cuba.

He was the leader of the Cuban Revolution that succeeded in toppling Batista from power in 1959.

This Cold War enemy of the United States was an ally of Cuba and North Vietnam during the 1950s and 60s.

He was the Prime Minister of North Vietnam from 1946-1969 and led North Vietnam during the Vietnam War.

This is the name of the North Vietnamese group that was both official army and guerilla group during the era of the Vietnam War.

This was the unsuccessful attempt to overthrow the Cuban government of Fidel Castro by Cuban exiles. It was funded by the US in 1961.

This was the attack in January of 1968 by North Vietnamese forces on South Vietnamese towns and cities.

He was President from 1969-1974 and resigned from office due to the Watergate scandal.

He was the 36th President, and took over following the assassination of his predecessor in 1963.

This was the belief that if one land in a region came under the influence of communists, then more would follow.