

Cold War Leadership Timeline Activity (pg 491 from readings)

When studying the Cold War, one of the main problems is remembering who is in power when, and where. It is a good idea to establish a table of the relevant countries and personalities involved so that at any given point in time, you know who has power.

Directions: Complete the table, using notes and your *smarts*.

Time Period	USSR Leader	US President (party)	UK Prime Minister
1945-50	Stalin		
1951-55	Stalin (to 1953) Khrushchev		
1956-60	Khrushchev		
1961-65	Khrushchev (to 1964) Brezhnev		
1966-70	Brezhnev		
1971-5	Brezhnev		
1976-80	Brezhnev		
1981-85	Brezhnev (to 1982) Andropov (1982-84) Chernenko (1984-85)		
1986-91	Gorbachev		

For each of the US Presidents and party affiliation, make a note whether their foreign policy stance is more liberal (left-leaning) or conservative (right-leaning).

What characterizes liberal vs. conservative foreign policies?

How are they known colloquially? (remember, birds of a feather flock together ...)