Post World War II-Unit 1 From Communism to Democracy-ish

Topic 1—The USSR

 -Communism Vocabulary and Notes

 -Stalin’s Russia Outline-Writing Assignment for Homework

 -Start of the Cold War Power Point

 -Fall of the USSR

 -Chechnya Reading/Questions

 -Putin’s Russia Readings

 -Putin’s Russia Essay—Is Vladimir Putin Good or Bad for Russia

Topic 2-Eastern Europe

Topic 3-China

Topic 4-Cuba

Questions you will be able to answer—

 1. Why were the Communists able to take power in Russia?

 2. What changes did the Communists make?

 3. What is communism? How is it different from our system?

 4. Why were American and Soviet citizens afraid of nuclear war during the Cold War?

 5. What long term impact did communism have on Russia and Eastern Europe?