

# THE ORIGINS OF THE COLD WAR

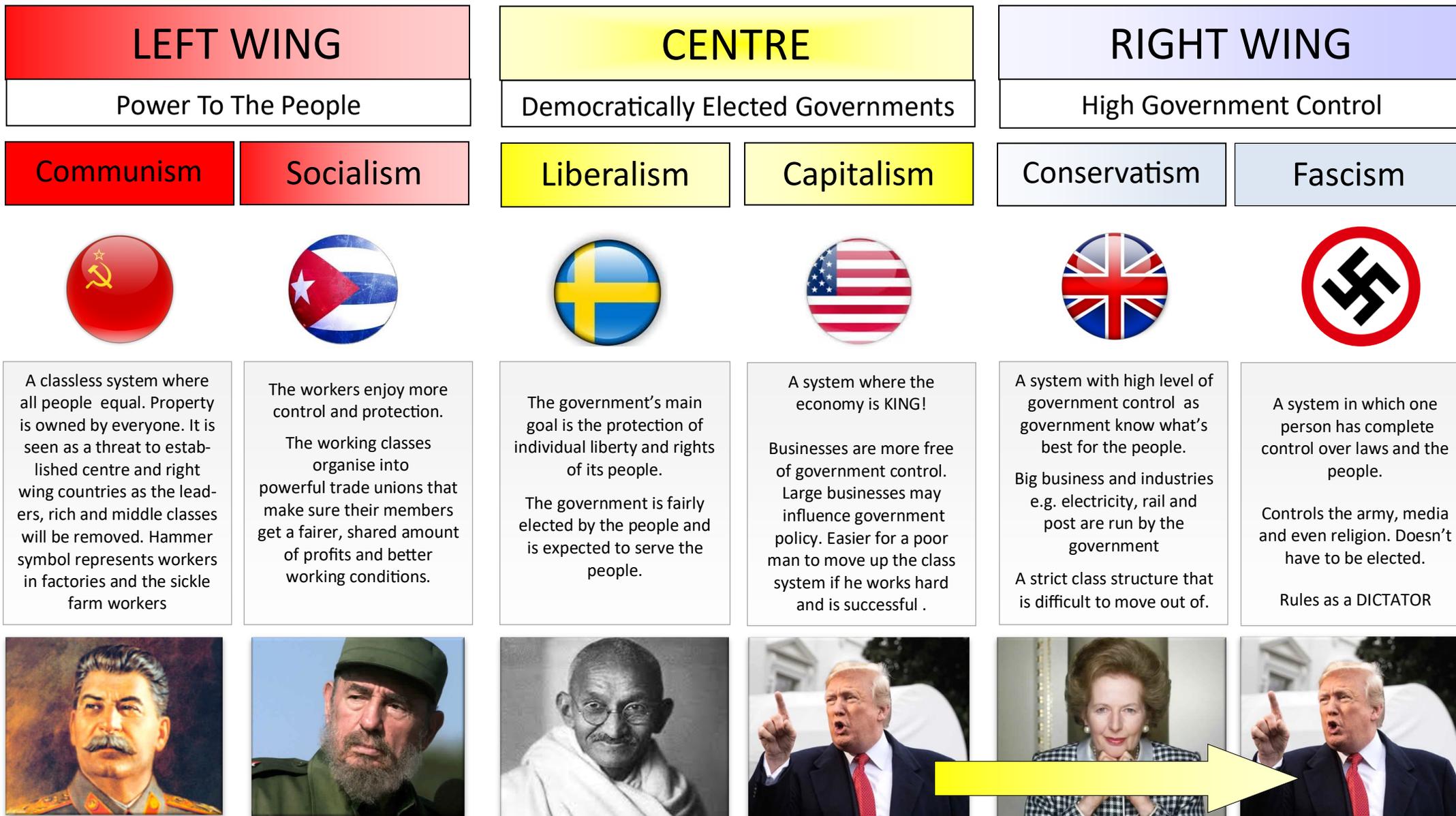


# Understanding The Political Spectrum

Ordered

**Discover:** 6 ideologies exist within the political spectrum **Explore :** the nature of these ideologies **Skill :** organisation and classification.

The term right-wing and left-wing is said to have its origins in the French Revolution of 1789. This revolution saw the overthrow of the existing right-wing monarchy. In the French chamber building the conservatives (the people who wanted to keep the rule of the king) sat to the RIGHT of the speaker whilst the radicals (those who wanted change and handing of power to the people) sat on the LEFT side.



# Cold War Origins: key words starter

Answers:

Comecon



Aid

Rhetoric



Democracy

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Doctrine

Manifesto



Ambiguous

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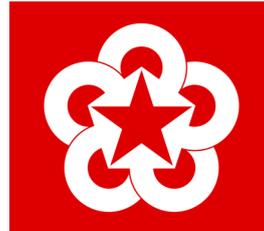
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A stated idea about government policy - often in foreign policy

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# Origins of the Cold War: Unit Key Words.

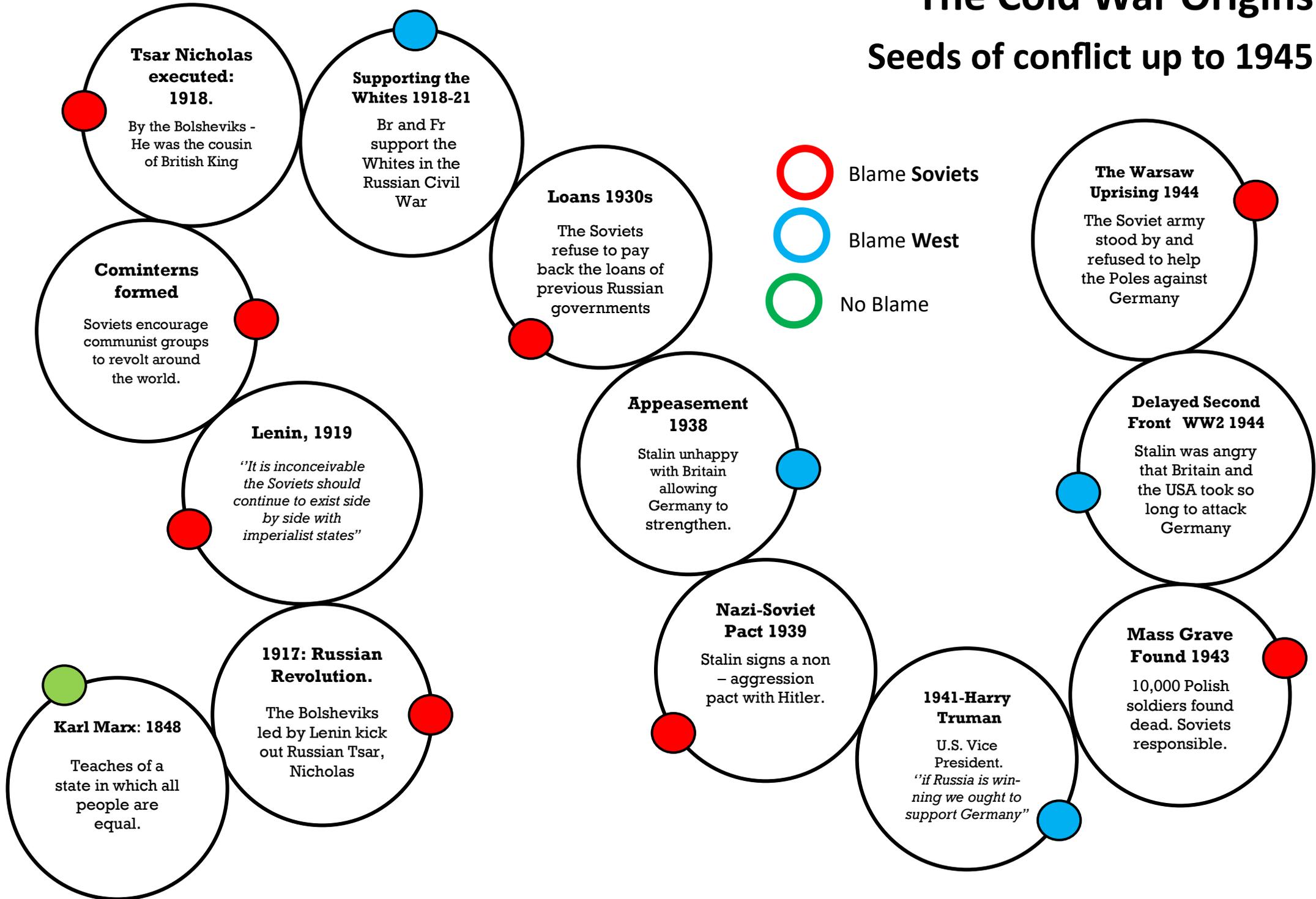
 **Mission:** to learn ( check your answers )



Word	Definition	Similar Word	?
Bolsheviks	The Russian communists (group) who killed Tsar Nicholas	Reds	A
Cominform	Alliance of communist parties / governments in Europe - under Soviet influence		B
Left-Wing	Political ideologies that ( in theory) gives the working classes more control		C
Manifesto	A set of aims or ideas	Agenda	D
Rhetoric	Use of language and / or persuasive speech	Propaganda	E
Capitalism	A political ideology based on free trade / economy		F
Potsdam	The capital of the German state of Brandenburg		G
Imperialism	Extending power through invasion or other influences		H
Blockade	Stopping essential goods getting to an area	Embargo	I
Yalta	A Soviet resort town located in the Crimea		J
Right-wing	Political ideologies in which the government has a lot of control		K
Lenin	A Russian (communist) leader and hero of the Russian Revolution		L
Truman Doctrine	U.S. President's instruction to resist the spread of communism		M
Ambiguous	A statement or idea that is not clear or well defined	Vague	N
Karl Marx	German Jewish man credited with founding the ideas of communism	Marxism	O
Subjugate	To bring under control by threat / force	Quash	P
Comecon	Soviet led alliance to give economic help in the Eastern Bloc		Q
Doctrine	A stated idea about government policy - often in foreign policy		R
Aid	Help or support ( economic )	Relief	S
Iron Curtain	British PM, Churchill's phrase to describe the line between the East and West		T
Eastern Bloc	The USSR and the European countries taken under Soviet influence		U
Democracy	Countries where people are given freedom to vote + elect governments		V
The West	The USA and its allies ( other friendly countries )		W
Comintern	Communist (international) groups created to spread communism worldwide		X

# The Cold War Origins

## Seeds of conflict up to 1945



# The Origins of the Cold War: up to 1945.

 **Mission:** decide which side was to blame for starting the Cold War

	The 'West'	The 'East'	Sort
Categorise the words in the 'sort' column into this row.	The USA Britain France NATO	USSR + Red + Soviets Eastern Bloc Bolsheviks Karl Marx + Lenin + Stalin Comecon	
Differences in Ideology (add from previous page )	Capitalist Democratic Liberal	Communist Autocratic	The USA USSR Britain Red
Mistrust + Paranoia (add from previous page and knowledge)	Fear of communism See 'rhetoric'	Fear of attack from the West - especially economically See 'rhetoric'	France Lenin Stalin Comintern Truman
Actions of the Soviets (add from previous page and knowledge)		Russian Revolution Nazi-Soviet Pact Killing Polish soldier Creation of cominterns	Karl Marx Communist Soviets Capitalist
Actions of the West (add from previous page and knowledge)	Appeasement Supporting the 'Whites' Did not help Stalin fight Hitler at the end of WW2		Democratic Autocratic Cominform Left Wing Liberal
Rhetoric (add from previous and Know	<i>'It is inconceivable the Soviets should continue to exist side by side with imperialist states' Lenin.</i>	U.S. Vice President. <i>"if Russia is winning we ought to support Germany"</i>	NATO Comecon
Blame % ( circle )	10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100	10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100	