1. April 1945 - who met in Berlin? How did they feel about one another?
2. May 1945 – what happened? What was Berlin like afterwards?
3. What had been decided at Yalta in February 1945?
4. What did the USSR want and had been given? What were the USSR doing now?
5. Why were the US + UK okay with this?
6. Why were they still concerned about Stalin though?
7. How was Berlin divided after WW2?
8. How was the USA after WW2?
9. Why were the USSR increasingly suspicious of them?
10. What did they now want to build in Eastern Europe and why?
11. How was US + UK freedom to choose different from Stalin’s freedom to choose?
12. Why was life getting more confrontational and awkward in Berlin 1946 onwards?
13. What did Stalin want to achieve in Berlin + E Germany; and then the rest of E Europe?
14. How did Soviet policies affect life in Berlin + E Germany?
15. What did these problems illustrate about the wartime alliance?
16. How did the USA respond to Stalin’s policy in E Europe?
17. What was Stalin’s next action concerning Berlin?
18. Why was it the ‘first test of the Cold War’? How did the USA deal with it?
19. How had Stalin been seen in the West in 1945, and how was he seen by 1949?

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What did the building distrust result in? (88)

How did the Western half of Berlin recover so fast? (88)

Why was Stalin worried about this and what did he do? (89)