

# AP Euro Summer Assignment

2016 – 2017

A copy of this assignment can be picked up in the HS Curriculum office if one is misplaced.

Rather than simply take notes, I wish for you to explain the following people & terms. You may use any source you wish (printed or electric), I would refrain from Wikipedia.

- Work will be checked on the second day of class.
- **A quiz worth 10% of your first quarter grade will be given on the second day of class (based on the list of terms that follows).**
- Expectation: definitions will be done thoroughly (do not simply cut & paste), you need to **summarize & condense** into a format that will allow you to commit them to memory, and then of course answer questions on them for the quiz.
  - Many of these terms have entire books written on them, so realize you need a summation only.
  - In many ways think of this assignment as creating a well-structured Quizlet® (Include the essentials, the base knowledge you need)
  - For example: my thoughts on summing up an event
    - Countries/ individuals involved
    - Issue at stake
    - Major events/ plot (3 to 4)
    - Resolution

- If the person is a writer, what is their famous work? What is its importance? Its storyline etc. A day to day biography of the person place of birth, etc. really isn't that important.
- Use your common sense, check multiple sources, where do they agree? If they agree then the point is probably important!
- This class is a college level class with college expectations.
  - You are expected to work and read at a college level.
  - This is not a general level nor college prep class.

*Although this assignment is rather short (ok, you may not think so, but it should not take as long as reading a supplemental book or two). It is important as it sets the basis for the Cold War, our last unit (which if we get to at all is often a scramble for time dictated by snow days etc).*

### Terms (in very rough chronological order)

1. Post WW II Displaced persons (DPs)
2. Konrad Adenauer
3. Brinkmanship
4. COMECON
5. Cominform
6. Truman Doctrine (Containment)
7. NSC-68
8. Marshall Josef Broz Tito
9. De-Stalinization (Khrushchev's secret speech)
10. German "economic miracle"
11. European Coal and Steel Community and "inner six"
12. European Economic Community
13. Iron Curtain speech
14. Nikita Khrushchev
15. Jan Masaryk
16. Berlin blockade
17. North Atlantic Treaty Organization
18. Warsaw Pact
19. Willy Brandt
20. Ostpolitik
21. "Peaceful coexistence"
22. Cuban Missile Crisis (Russian point of view)

23. European Common market
24. SEATO/CENTO
25. British Commonwealth of Nations
26. Algerian war & Pieds Noir
27. France's Vietnam War (Ho Chi Minh)
28. French Fifth Republic
29. Mahatma Gandhi
30. Generalizations about European decolonization (reasons, decades)
31. Geneva Conference 1955
32. Wladyslaw Gomulka
33. Hungarian revolt (1956) & Imre Nagy
34. Suez Crisis
35. Prague Spring & Alexander Dubcek
36. Berlin Airlift
37. Berlin Wall
38. ICBMs
39. Sputnik
40. Boris Pasternak
41. CIA & KGB
42. France's force de frappe
43. Gaullism
44. Second Vatican Council
45. Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn (Gulag Archipelago)
46. Simone de Beauvoir (Second Sex)
47. Betty Friedan (Feminine Mystique)
48. Sex and drugs and rock n' roll & punk
49. Europe's Protests of 1968
50. Pronatalism
51. Brezhnev Doctrine
52. Kitchen Debate
53. Détente
54. Helsinki Pact
55. Helmut Kohl
56. Irish Republican Army
57. Aldo Moro & Red Brigade
58. Soviet Invasion of Afghanistan
59. Margaret Thatcher
60. Falklands War
61. Francois Mitterand
62. Reykjavik summit
63. SALT & START talks

