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## U.S.A.

- Constitutional Republic, Free market
- Permanent seat on U.N. Security Council
- 4<sup>th</sup> most populated country in world
- Powerful military support from NATO
- Largest navy in world
- **Military bases all over world**
- CIA (spies)
- Large reserve of nukes
- **Influenced world events**

## Soviet Union

- Communist, Command
- **Permanent seat on U.N. Security Council**
- Largest country in the world
- Military and space technology
- World-wide spy network (KGB)
- One of largest stockpiles of nukes in world
- **Influenced world events**

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15  
points

1. Read page 171.
2. Create a comic strip using the guidelines below.
3. Each box should have a picture and a caption.

\*\* Someone should be able to read your comic and understand a clear story.

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85  
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