







*Week 12 (November 10, 12, 14): Khrushchev in Control*

(Suny, 411-46; Khrushchev article [Moodle])

Khrushchev's Secret Speech; The Thaw; Cold War heats up; Cuban Missile Crisis; Brezhnev takes over

*Week 13 (November 17, 19, 21): Brezhnev and Stagnation*

(Suny 447-76; Brezhnev article [Moodle])

Stagnation internally; Repression externally; Protest and Rebellion

*Week 14 (December 1, 3, 5, **No Class November 24**): Gerontocracy*

(Suny 477-81)

Discussion of the Khrushchev and Brezhnev articles (Monday and Wednesday); increasing Stagnation internally; Rise of dissident culture; Andropov and Chernenko; Increasing Conflict with the West

*Week 15 (December 8, 10, 12): The Rise of Gorbachev - **Khrushchev and Brezhnev paper due 12/8***

(Suny, 481-514)

Gorbachev in power; Internal and External Reform; Glasnost and Perestroika

**Final Exam – Tuesday, December 16, 3:30–6:30 P.M.**

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