The ‘Cold War’ lasted from 1945 to 1990 and the term refers to the conflicts between the Soviet Union and the United States. Examine the Era overview document in the Featured Content section about the Cold War. What are the two features of the Cold War that are noteworthy compared to other periods in modern history?

**Answers:**

**Source:**

In *Gale In Context: World History*, you may find interesting primary source documents, including speeches, letters, interviews, and even diary entries. Explore the Primary Sources content section. Read the speech excerpt from the “Iron Curtain” by Winston Churchill. What was Churchill concerned about? What organization did Churchill feel could assist with the Soviets dominating power??

**Answers:**

**Source:**

The Reference content type has over 292 different types of documents available on the Cold War. Search for an article to answer this question, what does the term “Iron Curtain” refer to?

**Answers:**

**Source:**

Image content relevant to a subject can be found in your Gale resources. Locate the image taken at the Berlin Wall where the photographer captured soldiers on each side of the wall standing guard. Why was the Berlin Wall built? By 1961, how many East Germans had fled to West Germany and why?

**Answers:**

**Source:**

The Intermediate Nuclear Forces (INF) Treaty was signed on December 8th, 1987. Who signed the treaty? What did the treaty ban?

**Answers:**

**Source:**