

Study Sources F and G.

### SOURCE F

The following cartoon, entitled 'Over the Garden Wall', was published in a British magazine in 1962.

In the cartoon are two gardens, separated by a wall. In the garden at the left stands a big tree. On its trunk are written the words 'U.S. Bases'. Its many big and long branches, on which are written 'Turkey', 'West Germany' and 'Japan', extend over the wall into the garden at the right. These branches overshadow a man who sits in the middle of the garden. At the same time, the garden at the right also has a small tree, with a small branch (on which is written the word 'Cuba') extending into the garden at the left, overshadowing a small part of the garden wall. In the middle of the garden at the left also sits a man. The two men stare at each other with hostile eyes. Both hold in hand the same book, entitled *Hints of Pruning*.

### SOURCE G

The following is adapted from a speech by Khrushchev at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union in 1962.

The irrational imperialists openly voice their desire to undertake a new war. The ideologists of imperialism, intimidating the people, try to instill a philosophy of hopelessness and desperation. They shout: 'Better death under capitalism than life under communism.' They do not like free people to flourish, you see. They fear that the people in their countries will also take the path of socialism. Blinded by class hatred, our enemies are ready to doom all mankind to the catastrophe of war. The imperialists' opportunities to carry out their aggressive designs, however, are becoming smaller and smaller. They behave like a weak and greedy old man whose power has been exhausted, whose physical capacity has weakened, but whose strong desires remain.

- (a) Identify *two* characteristics of the Cold War as reflected in Source F. Support your answer with relevant clues from Source F. (4 marks)
- (b) Which country – the USA or the USSR – do you think was more threatening to peace in the Cold War period? Explain your answer with reference to Sources F and G and using your own knowledge. (7 marks)