History Through H@ndles: The Cold War

**Instructions**

1. Circle your assigned role: East Berliner West Berliner
2. Write your Twitter handle:
3. Write the activity hashtag:
4. It is Nov. 9, 1989. You just heard a radio announcement that East Berliners will be able to cross the border. Write a sample tweet reacting to this news from your assigned role.
5. Check that your tweet will be published correctly. Does it:

* Have fewer than 140 characters (including spaces)?
* Include the activity hashtag?

**Twitter Vocabulary**

Tweet = a tiny statement

* Tweets must be 140 characters or fewer.

Feed = your homepage

* This is where you will see tweets from everyone on Twitter.
* Follow people to more easily find their tweets in your feed.

Handle = a username

* + Include someone’s handle in your tweet to make sure it shows up in their feed.
  + Example: Hey @NewseumED! This is a great activity!

Hashtag = a grouping

* Include a hashtag to make sure your tweet shows up with other tweets on the same topic.
* Example: I’m going to use #edtech in my #classroom.
* In this example, if your colleagues search Twitter for #edtech or #classroom, they will see your tweet.