

Western Imperialism in the 1800s - Worksheet 4.3.3

Use the PDF file on Moodle (4.3.0 - Imperialism - Summary - PDF) to answer the questions

Name _____ Period _____

1. Imperialism derives from the Latin word meaning _____.
2. In world history, the three major periods of imperialism and colonialism were:
 - A. _____
 - B. _____
 - C. _____

Matching. A. Social Darwinism D. Imperialism
 B. White man's burden E. Colony
 C. Gunboat diplomacy

- _____ 3. When a stronger nation expands its territory by military conquest, political or economic domination, or by turning the other territory into a colony.
- _____ 4. The use of guns and other weapons on ships to force others to submit to your nation.
- _____ 5. A territory that is subsidiary to a mother country and not independent
- _____ 6. The idea that Europeans were superior to other races, cultures and societies, and had a Christian duty to spread their superior culture to them
- _____ 7. Applying Darwin's theory of evolution to human societies, especially the idea of survival of the fittest

The Scramble for Africa

1. Who was David Livingstone? _____
2. Who was Henry Morton Stanley? _____
3. Who was Leopold II? _____
4. Who was Cecil Rhodes? _____
5. What was the Berlin Conference? _____
6. What two African nations escaped from European imperialism? _____
7. What war was fought in South Africa between the British and Dutch settlers? _____
8. How did the British treat Dutch civilians in this war? _____

Muslim Lands

1. What nation was considered the "sick man of Europe" in the 1800s? _____
2. Who was nationalist leader who modernized Egypt? _____
3. What engineering project did the French complete in 1869? _____
4. What natural resource was discovered by the British in Persia in the early 1900s? _____
5. Who invented modern nursing during the Crimean War? _____

India

1. Who was queen of England during most of the 1800s? _____
2. Why was India considered the "jewel" in the crown of the British Empire? _____
3. Who were the Sepoys? _____
4. What sparked the Sepoy Mutiny? _____
5. Before the Sepoy Mutiny, what company controlled India? _____

6. What pacifist (nonviolent) leader pushed for India's independence from Britain? _____
7. In 1947, Britain created what two new nations out of its colony of India? _____

Southeast Asia

1. What European nation controlled Indonesia? _____
2. What European nation controlled Burma, Malaysia and Singapore? _____
3. What European nation controlled Indochina (Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos)? _____
4. What Southeast Asian nation remained independent? _____

China

1. What product did Britain try to smuggle into China, producing a war with China? _____
2. What important territory did Britain gain control of because of victory in this war? _____
3. What rebellion in China in the 1800s was the second deadliest war in history? _____
4. What secret society of martial arts fighters opposed foreigners in China? _____

Japan

1. Who visited Japan in 1853 and ended Japanese isolationism? _____
2. In 1904, Russia and Japan fought a war, the Russo-Japanese War. Who won? _____
3. By 1910, what part of Asia had Japan annexed (added) to its territory? _____

The United States

1. What territories did the U.S. gain in the Mexican-American War? _____
2. What territories did the U.S. gain in the Spanish-American War? _____
3. In the Spanish-American War, a famous cry was, "Remember the Maine!" What was the Maine and what happened to it? _____
4. What future American president became famous in the Spanish-American War, leading his "rough riders" up San Juan Hill in Cuba? _____
5. What major military engineering project did this President support? _____
6. In 1823, what U.S. doctrine told Europeans to stay out of the Americas? _____
7. The Roosevelt Corollary to the Monroe Doctrine gave the U.S. the right to act as what in the Americas?

8. What Pacific islands became a territory of the U.S. in 1898 because of U.S. business pressure? _____



- Indicate on the Map:
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| A. Africa | C. China | E. Indochina | G. California |
| B. India | D. Japan | F. Philippines | H. Suez Canal |
| | | | I. Panama Canal |