

Competency Goal 6: The emergence of the United States in World Affairs (1890-1914) – The learner will analyze causes and effects of the United States emergence as a world power.

Objective 6.01: Examine the factors that led to the United States taking an increasingly active role in world affairs.

Essential Questions:

- How did the government’s role in economic and political affairs change as America became more imperialistic?
- To what extent did industrialization affect the relationships between government, business, and the worker?
- How did technological advancement lead to the United States’ increased involvement in world affairs?
- To what extent was the government’s changing role necessary and beneficial as America became more imperialistic?

Answer the following question and define the following bolded terms:

What were the three factors that fueled American Imperialism?

Micro Concepts:	<i>Spheres of Influence</i>	<i>“White Man’s Burden”</i>
<i>Imperialism</i>	<i>Social Darwinism</i>	<i>Anglo-Saxon Superiority</i>
<i>Nationalism</i>	<i>Alfred T. Mahan</i>	<i>“Jingoism”</i>
<i>New Markets</i>	<i>Josiah Strong</i>	

Objective 6.02: Identify the areas of the United States military, economic, and political involvement and influence.

Essential Questions: Found in Chapter 18

- How did America and the world change as the US increased its role in world affairs?
- To what extent have the effects of US actions and policies been beneficial or detrimental to other countries?
- Why did the United States take an active role in world affairs in the late 19th and early 20th century?

Micro Concepts:	Queen Liliuokalani	USS Maine
Imperialism	“Splendid Little War”	Teller Amendment
Nationalism	Philippines	Treaty of Paris (1898)
Economic Markets	Commodore George Dewey	Platt Amendment
Social Darwinism	Theodore Roosevelt	Panama Canal
Yellow Journalism	Rough Riders	Pancho Villa Raids
Seward’s Folly	William Randolph Hearst	
Annexation of Hawaii	Joseph Pulitzer	

Objective 6.03: Describe how the policies and actions of the United States government impacted the affairs of other countries.

Essential Questions: Found in Chapter 18

- To what extent have the actions and policies of the US affected other countries in the world?
- How has the media shaped US foreign policy?
- As the US becomes increasingly involved in world affairs, should its self-perception be impacted by world opinion?
- How intrusive should a nation be in the affairs of another?

Micro Concepts:	Diplomacy	Roosevelt Corollary
Nationalism	Anti-Imperialism League	“Big Stick” Diplomacy
Imperialism	Open Door Policy	Dollar Diplomacy
Markets	Boxer Rebellion	Moral Diplomacy
Spheres of Influence	Platt Amendment	