Period 7 American Imperialism through World War I Era Study Guide

1. Define Imperialism
2. What was the significance of the Spanish-American War?
3. What territories were gained during the Spanish-American War?
4. What was the significance of the Roosevelt Corollary to the Monroe Doctrine?
5. What was the geographic significance of the Panama Canal?
6. What was the economic significance of the Panama Canal?
7. What was the purpose of Woodrow Wilson’s neutrality policy?
8. List 3 reasons American entered World War I?
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12. What was the significance of the Zimmerman Telegram?
13. What was the significance of the Great Migration?
14. What was the significance of the Espionage Act?
15. What was the significance of Eugene Debs?
16. What was the significance of Woodrow Wilson’s Fourteen Points Plan?
17. What was the purpose of the League of Nations?
18. How did Congress react to Wilson’s Fourteen Points and League of Nations?
19. What was the significance of the Progressive Era?
20. Define: Muckrakers
21. How did the muckrakers impact society?
22. What was the role of women during the Progressive Era?
23. What were the Jim Crow laws?
24. What was the significance of Plessy v. Ferguson?
25. What was the purpose of the NAACP?
26. List 3 ways progressives improved citizen’s political power?
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27. What was the significance of Teddy Roosevelt’s Conservation Movement?

**Review**

1. What was the significance of the Railroad boom right after the Civil War?
2. What was the significance of John D. Rockefeller?
3. What was the significance of Andrew Carnegie?
4. List three inventions that improved American Infrastructure during the Industrial era?
5. What were the names of the two islands used to receive new immigrants?
6. Who were the new immigrants
7. What were some of the tactics used by the American Federation of Labor?
8. What immigrant groups helped build the transcontinental railroad?
9. How did the Transcontinental railroad impact western population?
10. List three innovations that impacted farming and ranching in the West?
11. What one consequence of the Plains Indians’ resistance to western expansion?
12. What were the Jim Crow laws?
13. What was the significance of Plessy v. Ferguson?
14. What was the purpose of the NAACP?
15. What was the significance of Lincoln’s Assassination?
16. What was the purpose of Lincoln’s and Johnson’s Presidential Reconstruction Plan?
17. What was the purpose of the Congressional Reconstruction Plan?
18. What did the North gain in the Presidential Election of 1876?
19. What did the South gain in the Presidential Election of 1876?
20. Which side (North or South) had the economic advantage during the Civil War?