

Modern World History Unit 5: Imperialism Study Guide

Make sure you check out the presentation materials on the class website!!

Vocabulary: These terms will appear on the test. Either in the form of a multiple choice question or as part of a short answer question.

Mad Scramble for Africa
Raw Materials
Consumer Goods
Missionary
Nationalism
Humanitarianism
Racism
Berlin Conference
Shaka Zulu
Boer

Assimilation
Menelik II
Colony
Protectorate
Direct Control
Indirect Control
Geopolitics
Crimean War
Suez Canal
Sepoy

Raj
White Man's Burden
King Leopold II
Maxim Gun
Tools of Empire
Quinine
Bull Horn
Cethswayo
Maji-Maji

Short Answer Questions: These are prompts that you will likely see on the test.

Describe the difference between direct and indirect imperial control. Be sure to use specific examples.

Describe the causes and outcomes of the two Boer Wars.

Why was India referred to as the crown jewel of the British Empire?

Describe the importance of the Berlin Conference in regards to African imperialism.

What about the Enfield Rifle helped spark the Sepoy Rebellion in India?

Essay Questions: Be prepared to answer at least two of the three essay questions listed below. You will need to use complete sentences and be at least 3 paragraphs in length.

1. Describe the primary causes of the push for European Imperialization. Use specific examples.
2. What were the main differences between the experience of European Imperialists in Africa and Asia?
3. How did natural resources influence the actions of European imperialists? How did this impact borders of many modern nations?