**Guided Notes – Imperialism**Video Link: http://bit.ly/imperialvid

Main Idea: European powers came to rule a large portion of Africa and Asia between 1800 and 1920.

Essential Standards:

* **WH.H.7.2** Analyze the increase in economic and military competition among nations in terms of the influences of nationalism, imperialism, militarism, and industrialization.
* **WH.H.7.3** Analyze economic and political rivalries, ethnic and regional conflicts, and nationalism and imperialism as underlying causes of war

Golden Hawk Historians will…

* Evaluate the extent to which societies may change as a result of significant catalysts, such as geopolitical transformation, environmental change, conflict, or new ideas.
* Analyze how scarcity of resources may increase tensions between peoples as nations pursue inclusion in global economic competition.

**Age of Imperialism**

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| **Imperialism**  Definition:   Causes: | **Social Darwinism** |

**British Imperialism – India**

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| **British Imperialism**  British East India Company:    British Raj: | **Indian Nationalism**  Indian National Congress:  Swadeshi: |

**British Imperialism – China**

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| **Influence of Opium**  Treaty of Nanjing: | **Spheres of Influence** | | **Open Door Policy** |
| **Taiping Rebellion** | | **Boxer Rebellion** | |

**The Scramble for Africa**

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| **Scramble for Africa** | **Social Darwinism/White Man’s Burden** |
| **Suez Canal** | **Berlin Conference** |

**American Imperialism**

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| **Monroe Doctrine** | **Roosevelt Corollary** |

**Check for Understanding**

**Directions:** Answer the following questions to the best of your ability **without** using your notes as much as possible. Check your answers against your notes if needed.

1. Explain the factors that led to Imperialism. (Why did countries originally want to imperialize other countries? What natural resources were the imperial nations looking for? What were the social, political, and economic reasons for Imperialism?) **WH.H.7.2**
2. Explain the conflicts that occurred between the Imperial Powers and the Imperialized Nations of ONE of the following: India OR China. (What conflicts occurred between the countries that imperialized and their colonies? Why did these conflicts occur? How did they seek to solve those conflicts? **WH.H.7.3**
3. Evaluate the extent to which Imperialism created competition between European countries. (What were they competing for? What was the role of Nationalism? How might this type of competition lead to conflict?) **WH.H.7.3**