

# VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

## HISTORY 10

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### UNIT 3: AGE OF IMPERIALISM

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In this unit we will study the impact of the Age of Imperialism. The study will begin in the Age of Exploration as the dominant European powers searched for land overseas. This will lead us to examine the Scramble for Africa and the implications of the new policy of Imperialism on the rest of the world. Along with this study we will also look at how Imperialism and the Industrial Revolution lead to the American Civil War and the First World War.

#### Essential Questions:

- What right does one group of people have to dominate over another?
- What are some of the long term consequences of the Scramble for Africa?
- What are some pros and cons for the meeting of the Old World and the New World during the Age of Exploration?

#### Unit Guide:

##### BASIC KNOWLEDGE

###### People to Know

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Abraham Lincoln</li><li>• Francisco Pizarro</li><li>• Atahualpa</li><li>• Otto Von Bismark</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Christopher Columbus</li><li>• Jacques Cartier</li><li>• David Livingstone</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hiram Maxim</li><li>• Rudyard Kipling</li><li>• Charles Darwin</li></ul>
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###### Be able to Define

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Conservatism</li><li>• liberalism</li><li>• socialism</li><li>• freedom</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• hierarchy</li><li>• imperialism</li><li>• colonialism</li><li>• suffrage</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• New Imperialism</li><li>• Old Imperialism</li><li>• Social Darwinism</li><li>• order</li></ul>
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###### Be able to Identify

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• American Civil War</li> <li>• Scramble for Africa</li> <li>• Treaty of Nanjing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• World War One</li> <li>• Suez Canal</li> <li>• <i>The Origin of Species</i></li> <li>• Berlin Conference</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• division of labour</li> <li>• navigation act</li> <li>• nature of wages</li> <li>• foreign markets</li> <li>• supply and demand</li> <li>• Art (realism, impressionism, postimpressionism/ expressionism)</li> </ul>
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### DEEPER KNOWLEDGE

<p><b><i>Be able to Explain/Give the historical significance of...</i></b></p>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How do the Industrial Revolution and the American Civil War relate?</li> <li>• What were some of the causes of the American Civil War?</li> <li>• What was the result of the American Civil War?</li> <li>• What caused the end of the Age of Imperialism?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What were some of the implications of European imperialism for the African people?</li> <li>• What were the explorers looking for before the Industrial Revolution?</li> <li>• How did the Industrial Revolution influence exploration?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What kind of economic system was used by societies in the New World?</li> <li>• Why did it take until the 19<sup>th</sup> Century for Europeans to move into Africa?</li> <li>• Why were Europeans able to so easily conquer the New World?</li> </ul>
<p><b>Use examples from this unit to answer the following?</b></p>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How did World War One end the Age of Imperialism?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What were the primary causes of the American Civil War?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are some of the lasting consequences of imperialism in Africa and the “New World”?</li> </ul>