

## IMPERIALISM PROJECT

### INSTRUCTIONS:

Choose a country in Africa, Asia, or Latin America to study and explain the impact that imperialism had on that particular country during the period from 1880-1950. You will use the information you find to create a Google Slide presentation.

**STEP 1:** Join a Group with a total of 3 students.

**STEP 2:** Decide which country you are going to choose for this project. You may choose any Country that has been colonized from Africa, Asia, or Latin America.

**STEP 3:** Create a Digital Google Slide Presentation.

**STEP 4:** Begin researching your country. Collect information that you need for your presentation.

Your presentation must include the following information:

- a. The colony's name
- b. Who colonized it (which country)?
- c. When the country was colonized (beginning to independence)?
- d. Form of colonial management-did the country that colonized this place use direct control or indirect control? Explain.
- e. What were the reasons for colonizing this country? Explain.
- f. Economic changes: Describe the colonial economy in this country. Did it focus on specific activities or services? Did it focus on producing certain goods? Where were these things shipped to (Cash Crops, Exploiting Natural Resources, etc.)? Explain.
- g. What forms of labor did the colonizing country use in this colony (forced labor, wage labor, etc.)? Explain.
- h. Did any cultural changes happen in this country as a result of colonization (ex: new languages, religions, or other ideas introduced)? Explain.
- i. Did the colonizing country change anything about this country's environment? Was anything modified (ex: dams, railroads, bridges, etc.)? Explain.
- j. Was this country's social structure changed at all by colonization? Explain.
- k. Did colonization provide any new opportunities for the people in this country? Explain.
- l. How were the native people of this country treated during colonization? Explain.
- m. How was the colonizing country (mother country) affected by its colonization of this country?
- n. How did this colony get its independence? Explain.
- o. How did this former colony do after achieving independence? Are they still controlled economically and politically by their former colonizer or other Western nations? Explain.
- p. Make sure you also have at least 10 images in your presentation