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**Imperialism Map Activity**

Identify the areas of United States military, economic, and political involvement and influence.

*Objective:* Create a map of the world noting the countries affected by American Imperialism.

*Directions:* Enlarge or draw a Pacific Centered World Map to fit on something that is the size of ½ poster board. Complete the following:

1. Color each continent (7) a different color and label them by name.

2. Color the 4 oceans and label them by name.

3. Heavy outline and label the United States of America. Make it stick out from the rest of the world.

4. Create a key with the symbols and their role in the era of American History.

a. Example: For Hawaii, on the map, I would label the country by name and with a star and in the key, I would place my symbol of a star and state:

\* Annexed by the US in 1898

5. Label with their name and symbol, the following territories affected by the United States during Imperialism:

a. Hawaii

b. Guam

c. Puerto Rico

d. Cuba

e. The Philippines

f. Alaska

6. Label with their name and a symbol the countries with whom the United States had foreign policy relations with. You must include

a. Russia

b. Japan

c. Panama

d. Mexico

e. China.

7. Make sure all of your symbols maintain a theme.

8. Label your map: American Imperialism 1850-1917

9. Your group will be assigned a country from the list above and will report on their experiences of American imperialism. Report on what the country was like before American involvement, what it was like during 1850-1917 American imperialism, and what relations are like after the end date of imperialism in 1917. Who were the key players in your country and in America, and key legislation. You will report this to the whole class. This will be on the test and you will need to take notes.

10. You will turn in your notes as a part of the grade.

**Everything is worth 10 pts.**

Your assigned country is:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Due: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

~Email me or see me if you have questions!!!

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