YOUR NAME: Ms. Jessica Durinsky	
LESSON TITLE: Introduction to Imperialism in Africa	SUBJECT AREA: History
GRADE LEVEL: 9 <sup>th</sup> grade	TIME ALLOCATION: 50 min

**OBJECTIVES:** Students will analyze the causes and effects of Imperialism in Africa, including political boundaries, use of resources, and relationships between the colonizers and the colonized.

## **STANDARDS:**

# **History (Grade 9)**

- 4. Describe the political, economic, and social roots of imperialism
- 5. Analyze the perspectives of the colonizers and the colonized concerning:
  - a. Indigenous languages;
  - b. Natural resources;
  - c. Labor;
  - d. Political systems;
  - e. Religion.
- 6. Explain the global impact of imperialism including:
  - a. modernization of Japan;
  - b. Political and social reform in China;
  - c. Exploitation of African resources

GROUPING OF STUDENTS: Students will work individually for this lesson. Students will work as a class for discussions.	PRIOR KNOWLEDGE NEEDED: The students have just learned about the Industrial Revolution. The students will make connections between Industrialized nations and the need for resources found in Africa.	
MATERIALS: Textbook, Patterns in World History, Mcdougall – Littell. Lecture notes The White Man's Burden by Rudyard Kipling	<ul> <li>MODIFICATIONS FOR SPECIAL NEEDS:</li> <li>1. The content and strategies will be modified based on the individual students' IEPs.</li> <li>2. Reading learning disabled children will be given modified assignments with shorter requirements or longer completion time.</li> <li>3. All notes will be posted online.</li> </ul>	

# INSTRUCTIONAL MODELS: Modified Interactive Lecture PROCEDURES AND ACTIVITIES: Set: Opening Activity: Students will read poem *The White Man's Burden* by Rudyard Kipling and answer questions. Activity: Interactive Lecture: Students are provided with partial notes to aid in note-taking. Teacher uses powerpoint slides as visual aids for students. Class discussion built into lecture. Close:

Exit pass – students write a few short sentences reflecting on the day's lesson before leaving class.

5 min

#### **EVALUATION AND ASSESSMENT:**

Lesson evaluation and assessment: Notebook Check for questions on the poem. The students "exit passes" will be collected at the end of the lesson

Authentic assessment: Student participation in class discussion

Formal assessment: At the end of the unit the students will complete a 50 question multiple choice test with a take home essay.

#### SUPPORTING MATERIALS

- ✓ Attach, in sequential order, the supporting materials, the actual documents (e.g., lecture notes, hand-outs, primary sources, worksheets, overheads) that will be used in the lesson.
- ✓ The supporting materials should include everything another person would need to implement the lesson. Therefore, lecture notes should present a fairly robust amount of content knowledge, with questions inserted at point of use. Likewise, for discussions, anticipated guiding questions should be listed; for other teaching strategies, specific cues and directions should be listed at point of use.

## **Teacher Notes**

During the early 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries Western Powers (Europe and the United States) divided and colonized:

- 1. Africa
- 2. Asia

Motives: Industrialization increased the need for:

- 1. Raw materials and Natural Resources
- 2. New Markets

Where would Europeans find these?

- 1. Africa
- 2. Muslim Lands (Middle East)
- 3. Asia (India, China, and Japan)

# Imperialism: seizure of a country or territory by a stronger country

Read through Chapter 11, section 1 and define these terms in your own words:

- 1. Colony
- 2. Racism
- 3. Empire
- 4. Social Darwinism

# Old Imperialism vs. New Imperialism – Different Motives

Old Imperialism	New Imperialism
Examples: North and South America	Examples: Africa, India, Dutch East Indies
Age of Exploration - European countries were racing to be the first to discover new lands.	Motivated by the need for new resources
Colonies and outposts were established to build permanent <b>settlements.</b> Resources only a minor source of income.	Colonies established to exploit resources, Not for permanent settlement

# **Forces Driving Imperialism**

- 1. Belief in European Superiority
  - a. National pride, big empire = greatness
  - b. Convert to Christianity
- 2. Factors Promoting Imperialism in Africa:
  - A. Inventions/Technological Superiority
    - 1. Maxim Gun worlds 1<sup>st</sup> automatic machine gun, 1884
    - Steam Engine travel rivers = establish base of control deep into the African continent
    - 3. Railroads, Cables, Steamships = faster communication between Colony and Colonizer
  - B. Factors within Africa

# 1. Disunity – Division of Languages and Cultures

#### **Division of Africa**

- a. Diamonds discovered in 1867, Gold discovered in 1886
- b. Effect? SCRAMBLE!!! Europeans rush to cash in on resources

#### Berlin Conference 1884-5

- 1. Who was there? 14 European nations with interests in Africa were present
- 2. Who wasn't? NO African nations were represented at the Berlin Conference.
- 3. What happened? The African continent is divided up among European powers.
  - No thought is given to African ethnic, linguistic, or cultural groups.

# Imperialism in Africa

- a. New Markets for European Goods? NO
- b. Raw Materials? YES

Major Source of Wealth from Africa: Mineral Resources

Belgian Congo: Copper and Tin

South Africa: Gold and Diamonds

Cash Crop Plantations

- a. peanuts, palm oil, cocoa, rubber
- b. displaced food crops

#### Conflict in Africa – Clash over South Africa

- c. Ethnic groups disputed land claims even before the arrival of the Europeans
- d. European arrival sparks even more disputes over land Zulus vs. Great Britain

Zulus – controlled much of South Africa during early to mid 1800's, tried to fight British with spears and shields against British guns, were unsuccessful

A. Shaka – Zulu chief, used highly disciplined soldiers and good military organization to build a large centralized state.

Boers vs. Great Britain

Boers – Dutch farmers, settled the South African cape before Great Britain arrived.

- Clashed with Britain over policies regarding land and slaves

#### Boer War –

- e. Gold and diamonds discovered in South Africa, adventurers rush in.
- f. Boers deny "outsiders" political rights
- g. Failed rebellion Boers blame British, start war
- h. First "Total War"
- i. guerilla tactics, commando raids, burn farms, imprison women and children
- j. Black South Africans involved in fighting, British put into concentration camps, 14,000 die
- k. 1910 British win control of South Africa

## Boers vs Zulus

- 1. Boers move North into Zulu territory to avoid British
- 2. Come into conflict with Zulus

# Rudyard Kipling, The White Man's Burden (1899)

Born in British India in 1865, Rudyard Kipling was educated in England before returning to India in 1882, where his father was a museum director and authority on Indian arts and crafts. Thus Kipling was thoroughly immersed in Indian culture: by 1890 he had published in English about 80 stories and ballads previously unknown outside India. As a result of financial misfortune, from 1892-96 he and his wife, the daughter of an American publisher, lived in Vermont, where he wrote the two Jungle Books. After returning to England, he published "The White Man's Burden" in 1899, an appeal to the United States to assume the task of developing the Philippines, recently won in the Spanish-American War. As a writer, Kipling perhaps lived too long: by the time of his death in 1936, he had come to be reviled as the poet of British imperialism, though being regarded as a beloved children's book author. Today he might yet gain appreciation as a transmitter of Indian culture to the West.

What is it today's reader finds so repugnant about Kipling's poem? If you were a citizen of a colonized territory, how would you respond to Kipling?

Take up the White Man's burden-Send forth the best ye breed-Go bind your sons to exile To serve your captives' need; To wait in heavy harness, On fluttered folk and wild-Your new-caught, sullen peoples, Half-devil and half-child.

Take up the White Man's burden-In patience to abide,
To veil the threat of terror
And check the show of pride;
By open speech and simple,
An hundred times made plain
To seek another's profit,
And work another's gain.

Take up the White Man's burden-The savage wars of peace-Fill full the mouth of Famine
And bid the sickness cease;
And when your goal is nearest
The end for others sought,
Watch sloth and heathen Folly

Bring all your hopes to nought.

Take up the White Man's burden-No tawdry rule of kings,
But toil of serf and sweeperThe tale of common things.
The ports ye shall not enter,
The roads ye shall not tread,
Go mark them with your living,
And mark them with your dead.

Take up the White Man's burden--And reap his old reward:
The blame of those ye better,
The hate of those ye guard-The cry of hosts ye humour
(Ah, slowly!) toward the light:-"Why brought he us from bondage,
Our loved Egyptian night?"

Take up the White Man's burden-Ye dare not stoop to less-Nor call too loud on Freedom
To cloke (1) your weariness;
By all ye cry or whisper,
By all ye leave or do,
The silent, sullen peoples
Shall weigh your gods and you.

Take up the White Man's burden-Have done with childish days-The lightly proferred <u>laurel</u>, (2)
The easy, ungrudged praise.
Comes now, to search your manhood
Through all the thankless years
Cold, edged with dear-bought wisdom,
The judgment of your peers!

- (1) Cloak, cover.
- (2) Since the days of Classical Greece, a laurel wreath has been a symbolic victory prize.

http://www.wsu.edu:8080/~wldciv/world\_civ\_reader/world\_civ\_reader\_2/kipling.

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# **The Office of Student Teaching**

Student Teacher Name: JESSICA DURINSKY University Supervisor Name: RON SKelley Lesson Topic: IN APRICA Date: 11-10-10

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Domain A Planning and Preparation	Domain B Classroom Environment	Domain C Instruction	Domain D Professional Responsibilities
A1 Demonstrates knowledge of students	B1 Demonstrates and encourages fairness	C1 Communicates goals, procedures and content clearly and accurately	D1 Reflects, self-evaluates and assesses effectiveness of student learning 1/2
A2 Selects appropriate instructional goals/objectives	B2 Creates an environment of respect and rapport	C2 Makes content comprehensible to students	D2 Demonstrates efficacy, or capacity to make an impact $ u$
A3 Designs coherent instruction	B3 Expresses positive and challenging learning expectations	C3 Uses strategies and discussion techniques to extend student thinking i	D3 Establishes supportive and cooperative relationships with colleagues
A4 Demonstrates knowledge of methods, strategies and resources to enhance teaching and learning	B4 Manages student behavior_v	C4 Checks student understanding through consistent, varied and timely feedback	D4 Establishes supportive and cooperative relationships with families
A5 Assesses student learning of goals and objectives	B5 Organizes physical space	C5Manages time effectively during the lesson	

Timely lesson plans

**Dispositions** 

Attendance