

Chapter 27 - Empire and Expansion (1890-1909)

Essential Question

How the participation in a series of global conflicts propel the United States into a position of international power while renewing domestic debates over the nation's proper role in the world?

Essential Vocabulary

Maine

Rough Riders

Anti-Imperialist League

Open Door Note

Roosevelt Corollary

Questions from Reading

1. What caused Americans to look outward?
2. What led to U.S. involvement in Hawaii?
3. What led to the Spanish-American War?
4. How did the acquisition of the Philippines lead to debates over the U.S. role in the world?
What were the arguments of imperialists/anti-imperialists?
5. Read and take notes on the section "The Puerto Ricans."
6. How did the U.S. respond to the nationalist movement in the Philippines?
7. What was U.S. policy in China?
8. What was President T. Roosevelt's "Big Stick" policy?
9. What led to the creation of the Panama Canal?
10. What was the Roosevelt Corollary?