**Brief Description of What You Will Be Doing:**

You will research one country that was imperialized and taken over during the Age of Imperialism. In your research, you will use important questions [listed in your Research Helper] to guide your research. Once finished with your research you will design a visually appealing and creative poster displaying all your research along with pictures. Your poster, along with the rest of the class’s, will be displayed in a Gallery Walk, where you will then visit, read, and learn about your fellow classmate’s researched countries.

**Step 1: Pick a Country**

- You will choose from a list of countries that were imperialized during the Age of Imperialism.

**Step 2: Research and Citing**

* While in the lab, you need to focus and be able to find the answers to all of the listed questions in the handout.
* The handout, called Research Helper, will allow you to record and organize your research and sources.
* You will be graded on how you spend and value your time in the library.

**Step 3: Designing Your Poster**

- You will create a poster or visual displaying all of your research.

- Every research question listed on the corresponding Research Helper is required to be displayed on your poster. Most important part of the entire project!

- The questions on the Research Helper **cannot** appear on the Poster. You must find a way to organize your research and displayit without listing questions and answer.

- The information on your poster must be legible and understandable. Not only I, but all of your classmates, will be reading your poster and taking notes off of it.

- Pictures:

O You must include at least 3 pictures on your poster.

**Student Evaluation**

**Creativity and Display of Poster**

**\_\_\_/15 Pictures -** Your pictures are hand drawn, legible, accurate, appropriate, and colorful.

**\_\_\_/10 Creativity** – Your poster is creative, colorful, neat, and appealing to the eye.

**Works Cited Page**

**\_\_\_/10 Sources** – You have over five appropriate sources listed in your works cited page on the back of your poster.

**\_\_\_/5 MLA** – You used MLA format for your all of your sources in your works cited page

**Information**

**\_\_\_/45 Information -** You have answered all the required questions thoroughly and backed your answers with examples. You did not simply list the answer to the questions, but your organized your information in a unique way. All point values to question are listed on the handout.

**\_\_\_\_\_\_/85 TOTAL**

**Teacher Evaluation**

**Creativity and Display of Poster**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5 Map –** Your map is hand drawn, legible, accurate, appropriate, and colorful.

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/15 Pictures -** Your pictures are hand drawn, legible, accurate, appropriate, and colorful.

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5 Creativity** – Your poster is creative, colorful, neat, and appealing to the eye.

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**Directions**: Use this worksheet to guide your research. All of the following questions are required to be answered and included on your final poster or brochure. Keep a works cited page, written or typed, as you research. Each source you use must be included in your works cited page. This handout will be turned in for a grade.

**QUESTIONS**

**1. Colonial Parent Country**

a. Who was your country’s colonial parent? Who took over them? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_[1]

b. When did they take over?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_[1]

c. Why did they take over? What did your country have that was worth taking over for? [6]

d. How did your parent country take over your country? Be detailed. [7]

e. How was your country treated under its colonial parent? Provide real life examples. An answer like, “good,” will NOT be acceptable. [6]

**2. Independence of Your Country**

a. When did your country gain independence? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_[1]

b. Who was involved in the process of independence? Countries? Certain People? [4]

c. How did your country gain independence? Be detailed. Explain steps that led up to their independence. [8]

**3. Lasting Impact/ Effects of Imperialism**

a. What were the effects of imperialism on your country? You need to shoot for at least 5 effects. [10]

b. What is the state of your country now in 2014? [5]

1. India

2. Vietnam

3. Hong Kong

4. Philippines

5. Indonesia

6. Hawaii

7. Egypt

8. Virgin Islands

9. Con*go*

10. Samoa

11. Haiti

12. Algeria

13. Morocco

14. Midway Islands

15. Sudan

16. Nigeria

17. Dominican Republic

18. Sierra

19. Puerto Rico

20. Guam

21. Alaska

22. Cuba

23. Panama

24. Mexico