World History: Imperialism and Nationalism Unit Plan

**Big Picture Questions** :

1) What were the main motivations for Imperialism and how did Europeans justify the scramble for land in Africa?

3) Explain how nationalism was both a unifying force and a destructive force throughout 20th Century European history.

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| **Knowledge Targets**“What do I need to know?” | I can identify or explain the following: 1. Imperialism
2. 5 Motives
3. Colony
4. Raw Materials
5. Markets
6. Berlin Conference
7. Direct & indirect rule
8. Scramble for Africa
9. King Leopold II
10. Social Darwinism
11. Racism
12. Protectorate
 |  13. Sphere of influence  14. White Man’s Burden 15.Henry Stanley 16.King Mojimba 17. David Livingston 18. Nationalism 19. Unification of Italy & Germany 20. Armenian Genocide 21.Decline of Ottoman Empire 22. Once Brothers 23.Dual Monarchy 24. Austrian-Hungary Empire 25. Sardinia - Count Cavor 26. Prussia 27. Bismarck - Blood and Iron 28. Second Reich |

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| **Reasoning Targets**“What can I do with what I know?” | 1. I can label primary sources with the 5 motives of imperialism.
2. I can analyze documents showing a variety of causes of imperialism.
3. I can identify the connections of racism within imperialism to racism today within Jane Elliot’s Blue/Brown Eyes Theory.
4. I can define nationalism and identify characteristics that bind people into nations
5. I can identify the characteristics of nationalism that unified countries (Italy and Germany as case studies)
6. I can explain how nationalism destroyed old empires (Austrian and Ottoman Empires as case studies)
7. I can identify the dangers of nationalism which can lead to war and even genocide.
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| **Skill Targets**“What can I demonstrate?” | 1. I can connect industrialization to the drive for cheap labor, raw materials, & markets.
2. I can analyze documents and recognize differing points of view regarding contact with Europeans.
3. I can make a claim(thesis/topic sentence) regarding the primary driving force behind imperialism and defend it using at least one primary source doc as evidence & analysis.
4. I can write a paragraph about the Once Brothers video that explains the power of nationalism
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