

# CH5.1 AMERICAN IMPERIALISM INTRODUCTION

**WHAT is Imperialism?**

**WHEN did it occur?**



**WHAT countries did America imperialize?**

**WHO will we learn about?**

**WHY did the U.S. imperialize other countries?**

Economic	
Political	
Social	

**WHY is it important?**

## Film: America in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century

Link to the film from the website. As you watch the film, take notes on this worksheet. Be sure you include how the territory was imperialized and why they territory was imperialized.

Expansionism

### Timeline: Imperialism & America

1867 Purchasing Alaska

1898 The Spanish-American War

1890

1920

1853 Opening Japan

1893 Annexing  
Hawaii

1899 Open Door  
Policy

1904-1909 Roosevelt's Big Stick

1909 – 1913 Taft's Dollar Diplomacy

1914-1918 Wilson's Moral Diplomacy