

Imperialism and Independence Slideshow

Pick one country from Asia, Africa, or Latin America that suffered under the boot of European or US imperialism. Design an eight card google slideshow, telling the story of this country. You may work alone or with a partner on this project.

Research at least three sources about your country. Make sure one of the sources is your textbook section which deals with the area of the world you are studying:

- Chapter 9 section 2 The Partition of Africa
- Chapter 9 section 3 European Claims in Muslim Regions
- Chapter 9 section 5 China and the New Imperialism
- Chapter 10 section 2 Imperialism in Southeast Asia and the Pacific
- Chapter 10 section 4 Economic Imperialism in Latin America

Your second source is the Logan database called [Gale Group](#). The password is *jimmy*. You may find your own third source.

Use the *Imperialism and Independence Slideshow note taking sheet* to gather information about:

- your nation before European Imperialism
- the reasons for European imperialism in your nation
- the impact of European imperialism on the nation's economy, government and culture
- the fight for independence of your nation
- your nation's independence
- your nation since independence

Design an eight card slideshow. Begin with a title screen and then design six information cards about your country. Be sure to include an eighth card with a bibliography of your sources. See my example on *British Imperialism in India and the Fight for Independence*.

Your text information should be your own paraphrased writing. Do not plagiarize from your sources. Make sure that the text is at least 18 point font. Each card should include a visual image, along with information. The visual should help tell the story and be directly related to the card text.

Once you have completed your slideshow, upload it to [turnitin.com](#), under the assignment title *Imperialism and Independence Slides*. The first draft is due Friday December 5th. You will receive an originality report and grade marks feedback on your first draft. Fix the errors in the slideshow and re-submit by Friday December 13th.

The final draft will be graded according to the *History Slideshow Rubric* and will be worth up to 50 points. In addition, students will present their slideshows to the class, upon completion of the project.