Study Guide Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Grade 9 US. History Part 1 Due:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Part 2: Due\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Unit 1-America as a World Power**

**Part 1**

1. What is the difference between foreign policy and domestic policy?
2. **List and then explain** America’s four forms of foreign policy that we utilized during America’s imperialist period. (foreign policy spectrum). Place the four policies on the spectrum.
3. **Describe** the 4 reasons for imperialism

a.

b.

c.

d.

1. Explain how each of the following countries shows a connection between the 4 reasons for imperialism.
   1. Hawaii –
   2. Philippines-
   3. Panama -
2. What was the “Open Door” policy? How would it help the United States in China?
3. What were the arguments of the Anti-Imperialists and the Imperialists?

Imperialists Anti-Imperialists

1. **List and explain** the three main causes of the Spanish American War.

Cause # 1 –

Cause # 2 -

Cause # 3 -

1. What was “Big Stick” diplomacy? What is the Roosevelt Corollary? How are they connected?
2. How did the United States acquire the territory for the Panama Canal and what challenges did the construction of the canal present? What was the importance of the Panama Canal?

**Part 2**

1. **One the left**, list and explain the four long-term (MAIN) causes of the First World War. **On the right**, list and explain the three events that pulled the United States into WWI.
2. 1.

2. 2.

3. 3.

4.

1. Put the following events in timeline order: Zimmerman Note, WWI Begins, Assassination of Franz Ferdinand, Sinking of the Lusitania, US Declares War. Make sure to put the dates underneath them.
2. Define and list the arguments of isolationists and interventionists:

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| Isolationist- | Interventionist- |
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1. Define propaganda: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   1. List the 5 objectives of propaganda below:
   2. List and briefly describe the 8 different tools that propaganda utilized during World War I.
2. Explain the roles trenches, machine guns, tanks, and poison gas played in WWI.
3. During WWI, there were many homefront organizations and laws created to aid in the war effort. Describe 3 ways the government helped on the homefront.
4. Explain the following laws
   1. Espionage Act-
   2. Sedition Act-
   3. How did the court case of Schenck v the US tie to the Espionage Act?
5. What were some of Woodrow Wilson’s 14 points? Which points tie to the causes of WWI?
6. Explain the purpose of the League of Nations (LON):

Who was in favor of the L.O.N and why? Who was against the L.O.N. and why?

1. What was America’s eventual decision regarding U.S. participation in the League of Nations? What factors played a role in the final decision of the United States?
2. What were the main points of the Treaty of Versailles? How did the Treaty create more problems than it solved?