MWH - Imperialism Research Sources

Posted under Pathfinders on East Library website
http://www1.cbsd.org/schools/cbeast/departments/library/Pages/default.aspx

Databases

- **ABC-CLIO** which includes: World at War: Understanding Conflict and Society, World History: The Modern Era
- **ABC-CLIO World Geography** (available through CB West’s Library)
- **ACCESS PA POWER LIBRARY** which includes: AP Images, eBooks on EBSCOhost, SIRS Discoverer
- **CountryReports**
- **INFOTRAC** Student Resources in Context
- **World Book Online**

Books

- List of East Library books that other students have found useful
  - Library catalog – Copy Categories tab – Imperialism MWH
- Search the Library catalog for more books
  - Use search terms such as ‘imperialism’, ‘colon*’ (for colony/colonies), and the name of the imperialist country or its colony

Websites

- BBC News Country Profiles http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/country_profiles/default.stm
  - On your country’s profile page, also try the Timeline link in the At a Glance box

**Websites listed by topic** (compiled by West Librarian Ms. Graney)

Country Research

BBC Country Profiles:  http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/country_profiles/default.stm


U.S. State Dept: Background Notes:  http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/

PBS Commanding Heights – Countries:  
http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/commandingheights/lo/countries/

The World Bank (focuses mostly on economies):  http://data.worldbank.org/country

Imperialism

http://www2.sunysuffolk.edu/westn/imperialism.html

http://www.fordham.edu/halsall/mod/modsbook34.html

http://www.historyteacher.net/APEuroCourse/WebLinks/WebLinks-NewImperialism.htm

Belgium’s Imperialism/Colonization


http://encyclopedia.jrank.org/articles/pages/5918/Africa-Belgian-Colonies.html

French Imperialism/Colonization


http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/dztoc.html  (Algeria)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/khtoc.html  (Cambodia)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/latoc.html  (Laos)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/vntoc.html  (Vietnam)
British Imperialism/Colonization

http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/education/empire/g1/cs2/default.htm

http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/abolition/scramble_for_africa_article_01.shtml

http://www.britishempire.co.uk/
http://countrystudies.us/south-africa/16.htm (South Africa)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/sdtoc.html (Sudan)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/egtoc.html (Egypt)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/ngtoc.html (Nigeria)
http://www.historyworld.net/wrldhis/PlainTextHistories.asp?historyid=ad21 (Kenya)

http://news.bbc.co.uk/onthisday/hi/dates/stories/july/1/newsid_2656000/2656973.stm (Hong Kong)

http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/2747.htm#profile (Hong Kong profile)

http://www.yale.edu/ynhti/curriculum/units/1983/3/83.03.10.x.html (India)

German Imperialism/Colonization
http://www.1911encyclopedia.org/German_East_Africa
http://en.wikisource.org/wiki/The_New_Student%27s_Reference_Work/German_East_Africa

Japanese Imperialism/Colonization

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/jptoc.html (Japan)

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/kptoc.html (North Korea)
http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/krtoc.html (South Korea)

Portuguese Imperialism/Colonization

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/aotoc.html (Angola)
http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/pttoc.html (Portugal)

http://www.historyworld.net/wrldhis/PlainTextHistories.asp?historyid=ab48

Dutch Imperialism/Colonization

http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/idtoc.html (Indonesia)
http://www.nipissingu.ca/department/history/MUHLBERGER/2805/dutchind.htm
http://eh.net/encyclopedia/article/touwen.indonesia

**Research Reminders:**

- Do not use Wikipedia, blogs, or someone else’s research paper about a topic.
- Find REPUTABLE news sources – newspapers, magazines, global organizations.
- You may not find what you need on the first try. You have to look, look, and look some more. Looking for and finding information is half of the battle of a research based project.
- You may need to piece together small bits of information from multiple sources to create your full picture.
- Remember to note where you have found your information in order to cite the source.

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