1. **Emergence of a Nation (syllabus section 5) – Modernization in the Americas and its Impact on Foreign Policy.**

*\*To gain an understanding of how America transformed from a marginalized nation across the Atlantic to the global world power.*

*\*To appreciate the implications and effects of this new phase in inter-American relations*

*\*To realize the role and the impact of American nations in and on WWI.*

* 1. Spanish-American War: Causes & Effects 1898
		1. Origins: America Looks Abroad
			1. Ideological Reasons
				1. Monroe Doctrine
				2. Social Darwinism
				3. Manifest Destiny
			2. Economic Reasons
				1. Need to expand markets
				2. Switch to gold standard globally
				3. Protecting our present and future growth
			3. Political Reasons
				1. Protecting *expatriate* interests (e.g. Hawaii)
		2. Causes & Course of the Conflict
			1. Underlying issues
				1. American tariff of 1894 & the *insurrectos*
				2. US Caribbean control
				3. Reconcentration
				4. Cuban *expat* community
				5. Yellow journalism
			2. Immediate causes
				1. Dupuy DeLomê
				2. “Remember the Maine!”
				3. Pressure on McKinley
			3. The War
				1. The Teller Amendment
				2. Adm. Dewey & Battle of Manila Bay May 1, 1898
				3. Cuban Campaign

Santiago: 17K v. 125K

Spanish Fleet

Puerto Rico

Armistice

* + 1. Effects of the War
			1. Casualties
			2. Great White Fleet
			3. Treaty of Paris 1898
				1. Ratified
				2. Platt Amendment 1902
			4. Philippine-American War
				1. Emiliano Aguinaldo
				2. William Howard Taft
	1. Expansionist Ideals
		1. “Open Door” Diplomacy
			1. China
				1. Caleb Cushing & Treaty of Wanghia 1844
				2. Beijing 1900
				3. John Hay’s ‘Open Door’ Note
			2. Japan
				1. Matthew Perry & Treaty of Kanagawa 1854
				2. Meiji Restoration 1867
				3. Russo-Japanese War

Roosevelt & Treaty of Portsmouth 1905

* + 1. “Big Sister” Diplomacy - James G. Blaine (Sec. of State)
			1. Expansion
				1. trade, not territory
				2. Pan-American Conference 1889
		2. “Big Stick” Diplomacy 1901-09
			1. The Monroe Doctrine for the 20th Century
				1. Venezuela 1895 & 1902
			2. Roosevelt Corollary
				1. Santo Domingo 1904
			3. Panama Canal
				1. Bidlack-Mallarino Treaty 1946
				2. Clayton-Bulwer Treaty 1850
				3. Hay-Pauncefote Treaty 1901
				4. Panama Revolution
				5. Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty 1903
			4. Cuba 1906-09
				1. Palma Regime in 1906
		3. Dollar Diplomacy 1909-13
			1. Manchuria 1909
			2. Latin American intervention
				1. Nicaragua 1912
			3. 16th Amendment (Income Tax) 1913
		4. Moral/Missionary Diplomacy 1913-21
			1. Wilson & Latin American diplomacy
				1. Mexico 1914
				2. Haiti 1915