

1. Complete the following responses.

- What is an Empire?
- Manifest Destiny?
- Monroe Doctrine?
- Why would the U.S. want to expand overseas?

2. Complete the following responses.

- How can the Panama Canal benefit the U.S.?
- Briefly describe how the U.S. gained control in Panama to build the canal? (Hay Herran Treaty)
- Why is the Panama Canal a big commitment for the U.S. to maintain?

3. What did the U.S. want to spread to their overseas colonies? Why?

4. Agree or Disagree with this statement. Be sure to explain why.

- The U.S. believed that it was their duty to spread the American way of life to the lands recently acquired.
- What is Imperialism?

5. Roosevelt centered his foreign policy around this statement:

“Speak softly and carry a big stick”

- Briefly describe what this statement means in terms of foreign policy.

6. **Spanish – American War**

- What country did the U.S. fight against?
- Dates?
- What is the importance of the *U.S.S. Maine*?

7. What did the U.S. acquire as a result of the Spanish-American War? (Treaty of Paris)

8. Describe the persona of Teddy Roosevelt!