

Unit IV

Industrialization and Western Dominance 1750-1914

This Unit will unfold much like the past unit. In the last era, we saw the rise of a global trading network bring the whole world closer together, but tip the balance of power in the favor of Western Europe at the expense of pretty much everyone else. This unit will see industrialization accelerate and amplify the patterns already established.

As the West becomes increasingly dominant, the rest of the world will be transformed as well. Some regions will join the west, some will be overwhelmed, and some regions will resist by various means. By the time this unit ends people will fly in airplanes, make telephone calls, and receive vaccinations. Entire empires will have fallen, and democratic revolutions will have spread through much of the world. In short, this will be the era where most of what you've learned this year becomes the world you see around you.

- The AP World history course is designed to highlight **five overarching themes** throughout history:
 1. Interaction between humans and the environment
 - Demography and disease
 - Migration
 - Patterns of settlement
 - Technology
 2. Development and interaction of cultures
 - Religions
 - Belief systems, philosophies, and ideologies
 - Science and technology
 - The arts and architecture
 3. State-building, expansion, and conflict
 - Political structures and forms of governance
 - Empires
 - Nations and nationalism
 - Revolts and Revolutions
 - Regional, transregional, and global structures and organizations
 4. Creation, expansion, and interaction of economic systems
 - Agricultural and pastoral production
 - Trade and commerce
 - Labor systems
 - Industrialization
 - Capitalism and socialism
 5. Development and transformation of social structures
 - Gender roles and relations
 - Family and kinship
 - Racial and ethnic constructions
 - Social and economic classes

Stuff you need to know:

Major developments

1. Questions of periodization
 - a. Continuities and breaks; causes of changes from the previous period and within this period.
2. Changes in global commerce, communications, and technology
 - a. Changes in patterns of world trade
 - b. Industrial revolution (transformative effects on and differential timing in different societies; mutual relation of industrial and scientific developments; commonalities)
3. Demographic and environmental changes (migrations; end of the Atlantic slave trade; new birthrate patterns; food supply)
4. Changes in social and gender structure (Industrial Revolution; commercial and demographic developments; emancipation of serfs/slaves; tensions between work patterns and ideas about gender)
5. Political revolutions and independence movements
 - a. Latin American independence movements
 - b. Revolutions (United States, France, Haiti, Mexico, China)
 - c. Rise of nationalism, nation-states, and movements of political reform
 - d. Overlaps between nations and empires
 - e. Rise of democracy and its limitations: (reform, women, racism)
6. Rise of Western dominance (economic, political, social, cultural, and artistic; patterns of expansion; imperialism and colonialism) and different cultural and political reactions (reform, resistance, rebellion, racism, and nationalism)
 - a. Impact of changing European ideologies on colonial administrations
7. Patterns of cultural and artistic interactions among societies in different parts of the world (African and Asian influences on European art; cultural policies of Meiji Japan)
8. Diverse interpretations
 - a. What are the debates over the utility of modernization theory as a framework for interpreting this period and the next?
 - b. What are the debates about the causes and effects of serf and slave emancipation in this period, and how do these debates fit into broader comparisons of labor systems?
 - c. What are the debates over the nature of women's roles in this period; how do these debates apply to industrialized areas, and how do they apply to colonial societies?

Major Comparisons and Snapshots

1. Compare the causes and early phases of the Industrial Revolution in Western Europe and Japan
2. Compare the Haitian and French Revolutions
3. Compare the reaction to foreign domination in the Ottoman Empire, China, India, and Japan
4. Compare nationalism, e.g. China and Japan, Cuba and the Philippines, Egypt and Nigeria
5. Compare forms of Western intervention in Latin America and Africa
6. Compare the roles and conditions of women in the upper/middle classes with the peasantry/working class in Europe

Examples of what students are expected to know contrasted with examples of what students are not expected to know for the multiple choice section:

Women's emancipation movements, but not specific suffragists
 The French Revolution of 1789, but not the Revolution of 1830
 Meiji Restoration, but not Iranian Constitutional Revolution
 Causes of Latin American independence movements, but not specific protagonists
 Boxer Rebellion, but not the Crimean War
 Suez Canal, but not the Erie Canal
 Muhammad Ali, but not Isma'il
 Marxism, but not Utopian Socialism
 Social Darwinism, but not Herbert Spencer

Schedule:

Date	Agenda
Mon 1/25	Go over Unit III Test
Tue 1/26	Writing Workshop: DBQ
Wed 1/27	Ch. 23 Due <i>The Enlightenment and Liberal Revolutions</i>
Thu 1/28	The Enlightenment and the American Revolution
Fri 1/29	The French Revolution
Mon 2/1	The French Revolution
Tue 2/2	Writing Workshop: C&C
Wed 2/3	Ch.24 Due <i>The Colonial World</i>
Thu 2/4	<i>Mangal Pandey</i>
Fri 2/5	<i>Mangal Pandey</i>
Mon 2/8	Colonial India
Tue 2/9	Colonial Africa
Wed 2/10	South Africa, Oceania, and Polynesia
Thu 2/11	Writing workshop: CCOT
Fri 2/12	Regional review
Mon 2/15	Ch. 25 <i>Due Independence in Latin America</i>
Tue 2/16	Latin American revolutions
Wed 2/17	Post-Independence developments

Thu 2/18	Latin America on the eve of the 20 th Century
Fri 2/19	Writing Workshop: CCOT
Mon 2/22	Ch. 26 Due <i>Civilizations in Crisis</i>
Tue 2/23	The Ottoman Empire
Wed 2/24	The Islamic Heartlands
Thu 2/25	Qing China
Fri 2/26	Writing Workshop
Mon 2/29	Ch. 27 Due <i>Russia and Japan: Industrialization Outside of the West</i>
Tue 3/1	Russia
Wed 3/2	Russia/Japan
Thu 3/3	Japan
Fri 3/4	Writing Workshop: C&C
Mon 3/7	Review Project
Tue 3/8	Review Project
Wed 3/9	Timeline
Thu 3/11	Must-Know Dates Quiz / Review
Fri 3/12	Unit IV Test