

The student will demonstrate knowledge of the emerging role of the United States in world affairs and key domestic events after 1890 by
a) explaining the changing policies of the United States toward Latin America and Asia and the growing influence of the United States in foreign markets.

The growing role of the United States in international trade displayed the American urge to build, innovate, and explore new markets.

America's intervention in World War I ensured her role as a world power for the remainder of the century.

20th century American Foreign policy issues have their origins in America's emergence as a world power at the end of the 19th century.

LATIN AMERICA

Spanish American War

Puerto Rico annexed by the United States.

United States asserted the right to intervene in Cuban affairs.

Panama Canal / role of T. Roosevelt

U. S. encouraged Panama's independence from Colombia.

Treaty was negotiated to build the Canal.

ASIA & THE PACIFIC

Annexation of Hawaii by the U.S. after Hawaii's monarchy was deposed.

Philippines annexed after the Spanish American War.

OPEN DOOR POLICY urged foreigners to obey Chinese laws & observe fair competition.