

# Vocabulary Activity



## Becoming a World Power, 1872–1917

### Content Vocabulary

**Directions:** Answer each of the following questions about the chapter with a complete sentence. Include the listed vocabulary words in your answer.

1. How did imperialism benefit strong nations? (**imperialism, protectorate**)

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2. What role did yellow journalism play in Cuba’s fight for independence? (**yellow journalism**) \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Explain the connection between jingoism and McKinley’s foreign policy. (**jingoism**) \_\_\_\_\_

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4. **Directions:** Use this graphic organizer to evaluate three economic policies.

Economic policy	Pro	Con
Sphere of influence		
Open Door policy		
Dollar Diplomacy		

### Academic Vocabulary

**Directions:** Use your textbook to find these academic vocabulary words for the chapter. Write the sentence in which each word is found (context). Then, write a definition of each term in your own words.

5. **expansion** Context \_\_\_\_\_

Definition \_\_\_\_\_

6. **intervene** Context \_\_\_\_\_

Definition \_\_\_\_\_

7. **access** Context \_\_\_\_\_

Definition \_\_\_\_\_