

iLAP: Becoming a World Power
Section 1, Activity 3
Who's Who in the Age of Imperialism?

Your task in this activity is to create a booklet titled, *Who's Who in the Age of Imperialism?* To do this you will need to do the following:

1. Choose at least five names from the list below.

Alfred Thayer Mahan
William Henry Seward
John Hay
George W. Goethals
William Gorgas

Theodore "Teddy" Roosevelt
William McKinley
Commodore George Dewey
Queen Liliuokalani
Matthew C. Perry

2. Do some research to discover the role the people you chose played in the expansion of American power and territory in the late 1800's and early 1900's. Take notes on your research.
3. Use your notes to write at least one full paragraph about each person. Your goal is to explain to the reader how and why the people in your booklet were important to this time in our history. Focus on the Age of Imperialism!
4. Find a picture of each person you chose.
 - Find your pictures on the Web and print them or insert them into a document.
 - Find your pictures in books and scan them to a digital file.
 - Create your own pictures!

You may also include other appropriate graphics relevant to each person's contributions.

5. Organize and create your booklet!