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## **World Cultures II**

This course examines the modern world through a thorough consideration of themes that are prevalent in the modern age. Themes include Imperialism, Industrialization, Post-Industrialization, and Post-Colonialism. As a result of their studies, students will be left with a body of knowledge that will allow them to connect what they've learned to the world in which they live. Along the way students will read, consider, and discuss a variety of fiction, poetry, primary sources, and secondary sources. This course will require students to speak knowledgeably on shared topics and topics of their choosing; it will ask that they organize their thoughts into cogent literary analysis; and it will require students to engage in a sustained research project that includes a paper and a presentation.