

ASSESSMENT TASK #3

SOURCE COLLECTION - THE WORLD IN 1900

This task requires you to undertake some independent research into aspects of the world in the period 1870 to 1914. It requires you to collect and analyse a variety of sources.

Part A

Collect and submit 5 sources that show an aspect of the world in the period 1870 to 1914.

For each source you must provide the following information:

- **The type of source** (primary or secondary, map, diary entry, newspaper article, photograph, etc) and **origin of the source** (where you found it and, where appropriate, where it originally appeared).
- **What does this source tell us about the world in this period?** You may write a maximum of 50 words per source to answer this question.

You **must not** hand in anything given to you by your teacher in class as one of your sources.

Part B

Use the sources that you have collected, and your own knowledge, to answer the following question:

What were the causes of World War 1?

In your answer you must refer to developments in the period 1870 –1914.

Your answer must be in essay form and be a maximum of 1000 words.

OUTCOMES ASSESSED

- P1.2 investigate and explain the key features and issues of selected studies from the eighteenth century to the present
- P3.2 locate, select and organise relevant information from different types of sources
- P3.4 identify and account for differing perspectives and interpretations of the past
- P3.5 plan and present the findings of historical investigations, analysing and synthesising information from different types of sources
- P4.1 uses historical terms and concepts appropriately