

Unit 3: The Gilded Age and Progressivism (1865-1914)
(PART 1**)**

Unit 3 Essential Questions:

1. How did America's economy, industries, & population grow after the Civil War?
2. Who migrated to the United States at the end of the 19th & 20th centuries? Why did they come? What was their experience like when they arrived?
3. What challenges did workers face? How did they overcome them?
4. What parts of U.S. society changed as a result of the Progressive Era?

I. Industrial Revolution (Second Industrial Revolution)

Annotations

Notes

A. Causes of Industrial Expansion (Factors of Production)

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B. Railroads, Steel, and Oil

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C. Inventions and New Technologies

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D. Impact of Industrialization

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II. The Rise of Big Business

Annotations

Notes

A. Robber Barons or Captains of Industry?

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B. Workers Endure Harships

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C. Labor Unions Promote Workers' Rights

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D. Class Tensions Grow

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E. Workers and Big Business Clash

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Four-Sentence Summary