

GLOBAL ISSUES POWER STANDARDS

The student will...

- **Globalization:** Identify the role and influence that globalization plays in multinational foreign policy
- **Weapons proliferation:** Examine the scope and sequence of weapons proliferation on current global status
- **Immigration:** Evaluate the pros and cons of legal and illegal immigration on U.S. economy and foreign policy
- **Global/Regional Conflicts:** Analyze the impact that wars and third world conflict have on current westernized country relations
- **Environment and Energy:** Evaluate the pros and cons of Cap and trade programs and the U.S. subsidization of pro environmental friendly initiatives.
- **The U.S. Federal Budget:** Examine the debate between taxes be levied on wealthy or middle class vs. cap on governmental spending.
- **U.S. Foreign Policy:** Analyze the ideology and method behind past U.S. Foreign relations and use it to better understand current U.S. foreign policy.
- **Middle East relations:** Understand the history and depth of the conflict and relationship between nations in the Middle East and the United States/Westernized World.
- **Asian relations:** Examine the leadership and governmental differences that exist in Asia and SE Asia. Distinguish the role that poverty, environment and economic influence this region has on a world wide scale
- **Latin American relations:** Evaluate the relationships that various nations in Latin America have w/ the U.S. as well as the history of those relations.
- **African issues/relations:** Analyze the depth of poverty and government, or lack there of, that exist in Africa. Examine the conflicts past and present and understand the west's role in them. Examine the vast difference in culture and land of this giant continent.