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In the 18th century, liberal ideas from Britain and France spread rapidly across Europe. In 1815, the Congress of Vienna gave Austria control over most of the Italian peninsula while other areas of Italy were divided up into three separate nations. The liberal ideas of the Italians clashed with the conservative ideas of the Austrian monarchy. These clashes led to the rise of nationalism, the belief that the Italian people should control their own, united nation. There were four major leaders of the Italian Unification, each with his own idea of how Italy should be won and governed. This WebQuest will lead your group through a series of websites that explains the goals of unification, the major obstacles to unification, and the final outcome of the unification efforts. By the end of this lesson your team should be able to explain how the forces of nationalism and liberalism both helped and hindered the unification process in Italy.

**The Quest**

You are living in Italy in the year 1870. Create a public awareness campaign that informs the Italian people how the forces of nationalism and liberalism are both helping and hindering the unification of your country.

**The Process and Resources**

Each of you will research a separate aspect of the unification process and then come together in pairs to brainstorm the following:

• Problems with unification

• Solutions to these problems

Once you have identified the major issues and possible solutions to Italian unification, your team will then create a publicity campaign to inform the Italian people how these issues relate to nationalism and liberalism. This product can be in the form of a poster, newscast, newspaper article, or a product of your choice. If your team has an original idea, you must pass it by me first. Your end product must include four or more specific examples from Italian unification to support your campaign. All sources you utilize must be documented.

**Phase 1 - Background: Something for Everyone**

Use the Internet information linked below to edit your history from to make sure it is accurately filled out. Be creative in exploring the information so that you answer these questions as fully and insightfully as you can.

**Giuseppe Mazzini:** Use the Internet information linked below to answer these questions specifically related to Giuseppe Mazzini:

1. <http://www.fordham.edu/halsall/mod/1852mazzini.html>

Describe Mazzini’s view of Nationalism. Include one piece of evidence (quote) from his writing to support your answer.

According to Mazzini, why does the map of Europe need to be redrawn?

**Count Camillo di Cavour:** Use the Internet information linked below to answer these questions specifically related to Count Camillo di Cavour:

1. <http://www.britannica.com/biography/Camillo-Benso-conte-di-Cavour>

2. <http://www.zum.de/whkmla/region/italy/itunif.html>

How did Cavour play a major role in the unification of Italy?

**Guiseppe Garibaldi:** Use the Internet information linked below to answer these questions specifically related to Guiseppe Garibaldi:

1. <http://www.historyplace.com/speeches/garibaldi.htm>

2. <http://www.britannica.com/biography/Giuseppe-Garibaldi>

Garibaldi’s speech inspires nationalism amongst Italians. Choose 2 references which inspires nationalism in the people. Explain.

Why is Garibaldi considered a national hero to Italians?

**Victor Emmanuel II:** Use the Internet information linked below to answer these questions specifically related to Victor Emmanuel II:

1. <http://www.fordham.edu/halsall/mod/1871victoremm.html>

2. <http://www.britannica.com/biography/Victor-Emmanuel-II>

What role did Victor Emmanuel II play in Italian Unification?

What concerns does he identify in his speech, after unification has been achieved?

Now you are ready to create a public awareness campaign that informs the Italian people how the forces of nationalism are helping the unification of your country. This will be from the leader’s perspective that you have chosen.

DAY 2

<http://www.zum.de/whkmla/region/germany/bismarck.html>

1. What problems did both Italy and Germany have in common before unification?
2. What role does Bismarck play in German Unification?
3. How was Germany unified? Use specific evidence from the site and your homework.

<http://www.fordham.edu/halsall/mod/germanunification.asp>

1. Read the six primary sources.

2. Summarize the main idea of each speech.

3. Read: The Imperial Proclamation, January 18, 1871

Identify and explain three references of Nationalism.