



Sir Wilfrid Laurier

Social Studies 10
Canada to 1919
4 Politics at the Turn of the Century

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Date: _____

Objective 2.1 - Explore the changes in Canadian autonomy and sovereignty.

1. What was the Boer war? Why did the Boer War divide French and English relations in Canada?
2. How did Laurier assert Canadian autonomy during the Boer War?
3. Were Canadians happy with Laurier's decision? Explain.
4. What was the Alaska Boundary Dispute? Why did the British side with the United States in regards to the Alaska Boundary Dispute?
5. How did this dispute bring Canadians together?
6. How did Laurier assert Canadian autonomy with the Naval Services Bill?

7. For what reasons did the French Nationalists and English Imperialists not like Laurier's solution.

8. What was **Reciprocity**?

9. Why did some Canadians support free trade? Why did others oppose it?

10. Who became Prime Minister after Laurier?