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World History
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WORLD HISTORY

Second Semester Final Exam

REVIEW SHEET

The Age of Exploration and Conquest (Europe, Latin America, & Africa)

- o Trade patterns of Ghana, Mali, Songhai
- o Technological developments of Inca, Aztec, Maya
- o Portuguese origins of exploration in the 15th century
- o Columbian Exchange

Early Modern Europe (Absolutism & The Scientific Revolution)

- o Absolutism
- o Louis XIV, Versailles
- o Heliocentric vs. geocentric theory

The Enlightenment & The French Revolution

- o Reason
- o Social contract
- o Montesquieu, Locke, Hobbes, Voltaire
- o Adam Smith
- o The Estates General
- o The National Assembly, Tennis Court Oath

The 19th Century: Industrialization, Nationalism, & Imperialism

- o Congress of Vienna
- o Industrial revolution (conditions)
- o Karl Marx, scientific socialism, communism
- o *The Communist Manifesto*
- o New Imperialism, Scramble for Africa
- o Berlin Conference
- o Social Darwinism
- o Gandhi and Indian nationalism

World War I

- o Alliances before war
- o Alliances during war
- o Underlying causes of war
- o Immediate cause of war, including “chain of events”
- o Total war
- o Causes for American entry into war
- o Armenian Genocide

- o Treaty of Versailles (main clauses)
- o League of Nations

Russian Revolution

- o Bolsheviks
- o Mensheviks
- o V.I. Lenin
- o Soviets
- o Rasputin
- o Trotsky
- o Soviet Union

Interwar Period

- o Fascism
- o Basic territorial changes (dissolution of empires)
- o Alsace-Lorraine
- o Basic background of Hitler
- o *Mein Kampf*
- o Nazism
- o Conquest of Sudetenland
- o Annexation of Austria
- o Nazi economic policies

World War II

- o Einsatzgruppen
- o American entry into war
- o Stalingrad
- o Auschwitz-Birkenau
- o Allied invasion of France