

Shifts in European Society Whiteboard Notes

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- Which shifts in society had the greatest impact on the Renaissance?
- How did humanism influence Renaissance ideas?

Medieval Europe (Middle Ages)

- Early (476-1000)
- High (1000-1300)
- Late (1300-1453)

The Renaissance (1400-1600)
"Transition from Medieval to Modern"

→ Shifts in Society

- Population Decreases (famine, War, Disease)
- Standard of Living Increases
 - New Technology
 - Basic Education

→ Trade creates a middle class → Bankers & Merchants
→ Decline in Feudalism

→ Italian City-States (Commercial Centers)

Success is not final, failure is not fatal - It is the courage to continue that counts.

