# **WORLD HISTORY STUDY GUIDE**

# UNIT 3: Global Interactions (1200-1650)

In the years from 1200 through 1650, groups from various parts of the world came into contact with one another. In East Asia, cultural exchange occurred among China, Korea, and Japan. The Mongols established a vast empire that stretched from China westward into Europe. Over time, overland and sea trade routes linked more and more of the world and encouraged diffusion between the East and the West. In Europe, global interactions led to a new type of economy, based on money, and a new middle class. New ways of thinking emerged, in which old authority was questioned. Nations began to take shape as individual rulers gained power. In Africa, commerce contributed to the rise of powerful trading empires and the spread of Islam.

#### **STANDARDS**

WH.H.1 Apply the four interconnected dimensions of historical thinking to the United States History Essential Standards in order to understand the creation and development of the United States over time.

Concept(s): Historical Thinking, Creation, Development

Human Legacy pages H6-H49

WH.H.2 Analyze ancient civilizations and empires in terms of their development, growth and lasting impact.

Concept(s): Civilizations, Achievement, Growth, Influence, Trade, Innovation, Class

Human Legacy Chapter 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6

WH.H.3 Understand how conflict and innovation influenced political, religious, economic and social changes in medieval civilizations.

Concept(s): Power, Authority, Government, Innovation, Conflict

Human Legacy Chapters 12,13, 14

WH.H.4 Analyze the political, economic, social and cultural factors that lead to the development of the first age of global interaction.

Concept(s): Reform, Exploration, Improvement

Human Legacy Chapters 15,16,17,19

WH.H.5 Analyze exploration and expansion in terms of its motivations and impact.

Concept(s): Exploration, Expansion, Colonization

**Human Legacy Chapters 16 and 18** 

# **CONSTRUCTIVE RESPONSE QUESTIONS**

- 1. Was the influence of wealthy families or increased trade more responsible for the Renaissance?
- **2.** How did greed and corruption impact the influence of the Catholic Church? How did mercantilism affect indigenous/non-European populations?
- 3. Which of the following was the greatest motivation for European exploration; God, Gold, or Glory?
- 4. Why was the Middle Passage widely considered the most difficult leg of the Triangular Trade?
- **5.** How did economic systems such as mercantilism, capitalism, joint-stock companies, and corporations, etc. influence exploration?

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# **UNIT 3: Global Interactions** (1200-1650)

# The BIG IDEA

# SECTION1 U3: Early Japan and Feudalism

#### Section overview

Even though Japan was always an island nation, it was not completely isolated. It was influenced by Korea and China. Japan was ruled by an emperor since about A.D. 500, but fights between rival warlords led to the development of feudalism in the 1100s. For several hundred years, military rulers controlled Japan. The dynasty that took power in 1603 brought stability and prosperity to Japan but imposed a rigid political and social order.

# 1. Geographic Setting

## **Major Physical Features**

Japan is made up of a chain of mountainous islands in the Pacific Ocean off the coast of mainland Asia. There are four main islands and more than 3,000 smaller islands. The Japanese islands are part of the Ring of Fire, a group is islands around the Pacific Ocean that are vulnerable to earthquakes and volcanoes. Underground earthquakes can cause deadly tidal waves to sweep over the islands, destroying everything in their path.



#### Impact on Japanese Life

Because the islands of Japan are mountainous, the land is difficult to farm. Most of the population has always lived in narrow river valleys or along the coast. The rugged terrain has sometimes acted as a barrier to political unity.

The Japanese learned to use the sea both as a source of food and as a means of transportation from one island to another. The sea sometimes isolated Japan from other cultures, but it also acted as protection from invasion.

In addition, the experience of living in an unsettled natural environment that could bring volcanoes, earthquakes, and tidal waves taught the Japanese a deep respect for the forces of nature.

# Movement of Goods and People

The Japanese borrowed ideas selectively from their mainland neighbors, Korea and China. Korea acted as a bridge between China and Japan.

#### 2. SHINTOISM

The traditional Japanese religion is called Shinto, meaning "the way of the gods." Shinto is characterized by the worship of the kami, or divine spirits found in all living and nonliving things. Kami are thought to control the powerful forces of nature. Believers respect the kami and try to win their favor though prayer and offerings. The shared beliefs of the followers of Shinto eventually helped unite all of Japan. Shinto shrines still appear throughout Japan in places of unusual natural beauty or interest.

# 3. DIFFUSION FROM KOREA AND CHINA

Japanese culture features a unique blend of its own original traditions and ideas borrowed from the nearby civilization of Korea and China. Korea often acted as a bridge between China and Japan.

Contact between Korea and Japan occurred as a result of both warfare and trade. Koreans introduced the Japanese to various aspects of Chinese culture.

Great interest in Chinese civilization was spared among the Japanese. Around 600, a Japanese ruler sent nobles to study in China. For over a century, during the Tang dynasty, the Japanese upper classes imported cultural traditions and ideas directly from China. Between the 700s and the 1100s, the Japanese blended the best of China with their own traditions to produce a distinctly Japanese civilization.

## **Chinese Influence on Writing**

Around 500, the Koreans brought the Chinese system of writing to the Japanese. By the 800s, however, when Tang China began to decline, the Japanese adapted the Chinese system of writing to suit their own language and ideas.

#### **Buddhism**

Koreans also brought Buddhism from China. The religion spread quickly, and it flourished alongside traditional Japanese religions During feudal times, a Chinese sect called Zen Buddhism spread throughout Japan. Zen Buddhists value peace, simple living, and beauty.

#### Confucianism

The Japanese also were influenced by the Chinese philosophy of Confucianism, especially its ideas about proper behavior and social order. Although Buddhism took hold strongly in Japan, many Confucian ideas took root as well. These included ideas about family loyalty, honoring parents, and a respect for learning and the educated class.

#### **Customs and the Arts**

Japanese courts adopted such Chinese customs as tea drinking and the tea ceremony. Chinese music and dancing, as well as Chinese garden design, became popular. In addition, the Japanese built their Buddhist monasteries to resemble Chinese monasteries.

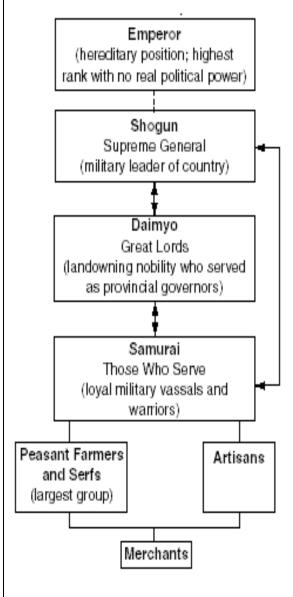
How was the structure of Japanese feudalism similar to or different from European feudalism?

# 4. THE IMPERIAL TRADITION

Early Japanese society was organized into clans with separate rulers and religious customs. Around A.D. 500, one clan, the Yamato, gained control over the largest island of Japan. They extended their rule and established themselves as the royal family of Japan, claiming to be the direct descendants of the sun goddess. Between the 700s and 1100s, the emperor, who was revered as a god, presided over an elegant and sophisticated court. Although the Japanese emperor today no longer claims divinity, he still traces his roots to the Yamato clan.

# 5. FEUDAL JAPAN

In the 1100s, the central authority of the Japanese emperor declined. Local warlords fought one another. While armies battles for power, a feudal system developed. Feudal society had distinct levels. All members of society had a defined place.



#### **Landowners and Warriors**

Under the Japanese feudal system, the emperor still ruled in name, but powerful warrior nobles actually controlled the country. The Japanese warrior aristocracy consisted of the following groups

**SHOGUNS:** Under the feudal system, the real power lay in the hands of the shoguns, or top military commanders. Shoguns set up dynasties called shogunates.

**DAIMYO**: As in European feudalism, the shogun distributed land to vassal lords, called daimyo in Japan. The daimyo received land in exchange for a promise to support the shogun with their armies when needed.

**SAMURAI:** The daimyo, in turn, granted land to lesser warriors called samurai, whose name means "those who serve". The samurai promised loyalty to the daimyo and lived by a strict code of conduct known as bushido, or "the way of the warrior." The samurai promised to be loyal, brave, and honorable. Honor was supremely important. A samurai who betrayed the code of bushido was expected to commit ritual suicide, and act called seppuku.

Were the reasons for the development of feudalism in the two regions the same? EXPLAIN YOUR ANSWER.

How was the position of women different in feudal Japan and medieval Europe?

#### **Other Classes and Groups**

**Peasants and Artisans:** Peasants farmed the land, and artisans made weapons for the samurai. For their services, peasants, and artisans were granted the protection of the samurai.

**Merchants:** Despite the fact that they might possess more wealth than members of the upper classes, merchants were the lowest social class in medieval Japan. Over time, however, merchants gained more influence.

**Women**: Early in the feudal period, women sometimes became warriors or ran estates. The status of women declined, however. Japanese feudal codes did not place women in high esteem. As time passed, inheritance was passed on to sons only.

## 6. THE TOKUGAWA SHOGUNATE

In 1603, the Tokugawa Shogunate came to power, bringing peace and stability to Japan for nearly 300 years.

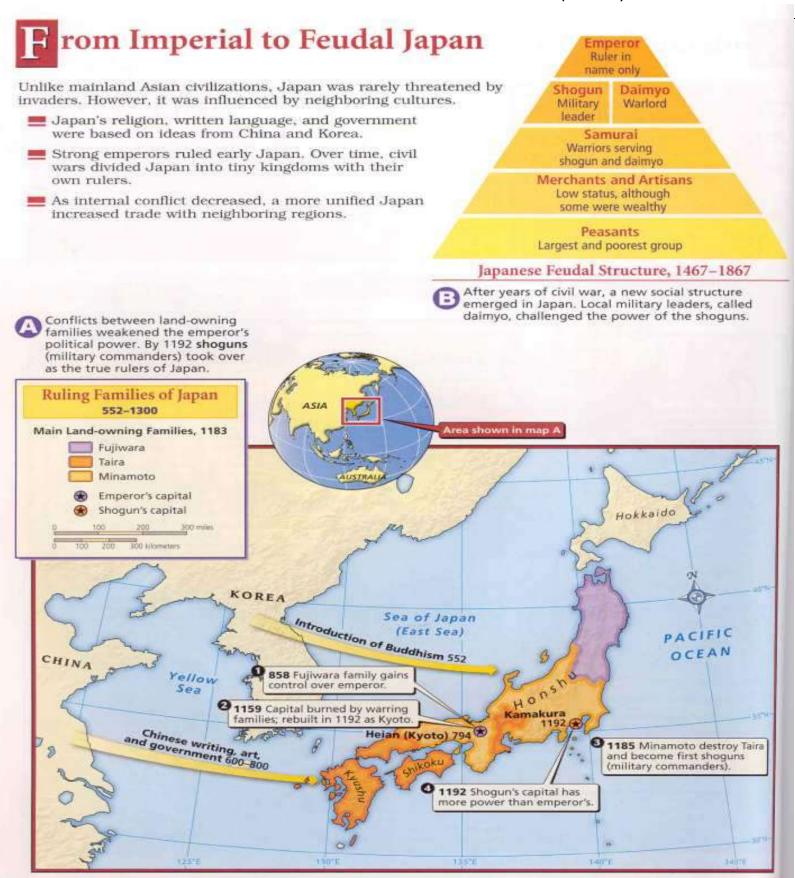
**Centralized Feudal Government:** The Tokugawa halted fighting among the powerful daimyo by at times forcing them to live at the capital of Edo (now Tokyo) instead of their country estates.

**Economic Prosperity:** New seeds, tools, and techniques allowed farmers to grow more food. The population grew, and towns were linked by roads. Trade increased. In cities, a wealthy class of merchants emerged.

The Tokugawa shoguns became extremely hostile toward foreigners. By 1638, they had barred all western merchants and prohibited Japanese from traveling abroad. During Japan's strict isolation, internal trade boomed. The economy prospered.

**Cultural Advances:** many Japanese learned Zen Buddhist practices, such as the tea ceremony and landscape gardening. At the same time, the Japanese made advances in the arts and theater. In kabuki theater, actors wore colorful costumes and acted out stories about families or events in history.. In literature, Japanese poets created a Chinese-influenced form of poetry called haiku.

**OVERALL:** Japan was strongly influenced by geographic conditions. It borrowed cultural elements from China but adapted them to develop its own unique culture. A decline in the power of the emperor led to the development of feudalism in the 1100s. In the early 1600s, the Tokugawa shogunate emerged, bringing stability and a flowering of culture but also strict government and a social structure consisting of unequal classes. Landowners and warriors dominated Japanese society.



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# Comparison Essay Organizer – European & Japanese Feudal Systems

Analysis: Identify CAUSES for these similarities.

Prompt: Compare the feudal systems of Middle Age Japan and Europe.

# Europe

# Japan

# Warrior Codes

# Bushido

 Loyalties based on negotiated contracts

Chivalry <

- Knights received land ownership – would become lords
- No ritualized suicide
  - Legacy = emergence of parliamentary institutions where aristocrats join to defend defined rights against monarch; Emergence of lawyers
    - Today =more emphasis on written contracts in business

- Aristocratic lords controlled mass of peasants
- Highly militaristic; long centuries of internal warfare caused by feudal loyalties & rivairies
- -Warrior values impeded dev. of stable, central gov't
  - -Family alliances
  - -Loyalty
  - -Ritualized combat
  - -Contempt for non-warriors
  - -Military/warrior ethic
  - persisted = personal ties as foundation for
    - political activity

- Relied on group & individual loyalties
- Samurai granted land rights;
   not ownership lord/Samurai relationship remained clear
- Ritualized suicide = Seppuku "hari-kiri"
- Legacy =Less-institutionalized group consciousness; collective, decision-making teams linked to the state

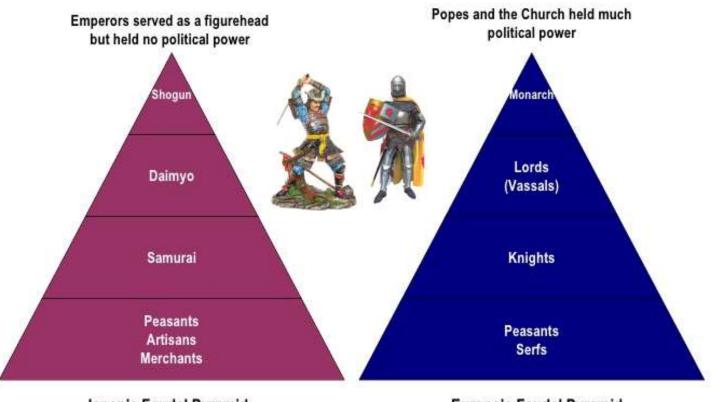
Today =More awareness of "Honor Codes" in business relationships

Analysis: Identify CAUSES for these differences.

Thesis: Write and analytical thesis addressing the above prompt.

# **Feudal Europe** Feudal government Feudal Japan Royalty (kings and queens, emperor) Christianity Buddhism, Shinto, Nobles (lords, daimyo) Religious Confucianism Warriors (knights, samurai) themes in art and literature ■ Warrior codes of honor (chivalry, Bushido) Nature themes in art and Peasants worked land literature

# Japan's Feudal Society



Japan's Feudal Pyramid

Europe's Feudal Pyramid

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UNIT 3 Section 1	DEFINE THE FOLLOWING VOCABULARY
5. Shinto	Shinto, which means "Way of the Gods," is the traditional religion of Japan that focuses on nature. Many consider Shinto to be a form of Animism due to the many similarities found between them. Shinto teaches that there is a sacredness of the whole universe and that humans can be in tune with this sacredness. Every mountain, river, plant, animal, and all the diverse phenomena of heaven and earth have spirits, or kami, which inhabit them. Reverence is paid to the ancestors through the practice of ancestor worship.
6. Kami	Sacred spirits that are worshipped in the Shinto religion of Japan.
7. Zen Buddhism	
8. Shoguns	
9. Daimyo	Land owning feudal lords in Japan.
10. Samurai	Warrior class during Japan's feudal age.
11. Bushido	Code of conduct for Samurai and nobles during Japanese feudalism.
12. Kabuki	
13. Haiku	

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CONSTRUCTIVE RESPONSE QUESTION: (20 pts) Complete on separate sheet of paper

Compare and Contrast Japanese and European Feudalism; List "3" similarities and differences.

# **SECTION2 U3:** The Mongols and Their Impact

### Section overview

Around 1200, the Mongols swept out of the grasslands of central Asia to build the largest empire in the world. Under leaders such as Genghis Khan and Kublai Khan, fierce Mongol fighters conquered an area from China to Persia, entering even Europe. Often, Mongol rulers provided stability peace, and prosperity. This stability encouraged cultural exchange between the East and the West. Mongol power declined gradually because of the size and diversity of the area they ruled, poor administration, and internal revolt.

# A. RISE OF THE MONGOLS

The Mongols of central Asia were nomadic herders who roamed the grasslands with their horses and sheep. The Mongols were skillful riders and fierce fighters and raiders. Under their leader Genghis Khan, the Mongols built the largest empire in the world.

### **Genghis Khan**

Genghis Kham was born with the name Temujin in central Asia in the 1100s. After experiencing a difficult boyhood, Temujin became a courageous warrior and a skilled leader. As supreme ruler of the Mongol clans, he earned the title Genghis Khan, when meant "World Emperor".

With his organized and disciplined armies, Genghis Khan took most of Asia from Korea in the east to the Caspian Sea in the west. His armies advanced into Persia, India, and even northern China.

The Mongols were skilled horsemen and bowmen. They also borrowed new military technology, such as cannons, from the Chinese and the Turks.



# **Expansion to the West**

**Eastern Europe:** The Mongols invaded, even came within reach of the Byzantine city of Constantinople. After the time of Genghis Khan, the Mongols attacked Russia, Hungary, and Poland.

One grandson of Genghis Khan, called Batu, led Mongol armies into Russia and other lands of Eastern Europe between 1236 and 1241. Known as the Golden Horde because of the color of their tents, this group conquered many Russian cities. They ruled from a capital on the Volga River for 240 years. The Golden Horde were fierce warriors but relatively tolerant rulers.

**The Middle East:** In the late 1300s, Timur, also called Tamerlane, gathered Mongol groups together and conquered areas of Persia, Mesopotamia, Russia, and India. Eventually a descendent of Tamerlane established the Mughal dynasty in India.

# A Mongol Dynasty in China

In 1279, Kublai Khan, another grandson of Genghis Khan, completed the job of conquering China by dominating the south. He ruled not only China but also Korea, Tibet, and parts of Vietnam.

Kublai Khan adopted a Chinese name for his dynasty, the Yuan Dynasty. He did not want the Mongols to become absorbed into Chinese civilization, however; he gave the best government jobs to Mongol workers and allowed only Mongols to serve in the army, although Chinese officials still governed the provinces.

**Mughal India:** Babur, a descendent of Tamerlane, established India's Mughal Dynasty, which ruled from 1526-1857. Babur's grandson Akbar the Great was the greatest Mughal ruler. Although he was a Muslim, Akbar won support of Hindus because of tolerant policies.

# **B.** The Mongol Impact

Mongol power reached its greatest extent by about 1300. Mongol rule stretched throughout central Asia and China, into Russia and Europe, and into Southwest Asia and India.

## **Destruction and Conquest**

Fierce Mongol warriors spread terror and destruction throughout the regions they conquered. For example, Mongols devastated the thriving province of Sichuan in China. In Russia, the Golden Horde looted and burned Kiev and other Russian cities, killing countless inhabitants.

Despite brutality in war, most Mongol leaders ruled in tolerance. Genghis Khan respected academics, artists, and artisans. He listened to the ideas of scholars of many religions. His heirs continued both his conquests and his tolerant policies. Conquered peoples were often allowed to live as before, as long as they paid tribute to the Mongols.

Although Mongol rule brought varied peoples into contact, it cut off Russia from contact with Western Europe.

## **Lasting Effects on Russia**

The Mongols ruled Russia for about 250 years.

Absolutist Government: The absolute power of the Mongol rulers served as a model for later Russian rulers who expected to rule without interference from groups such as nobles or the Church.

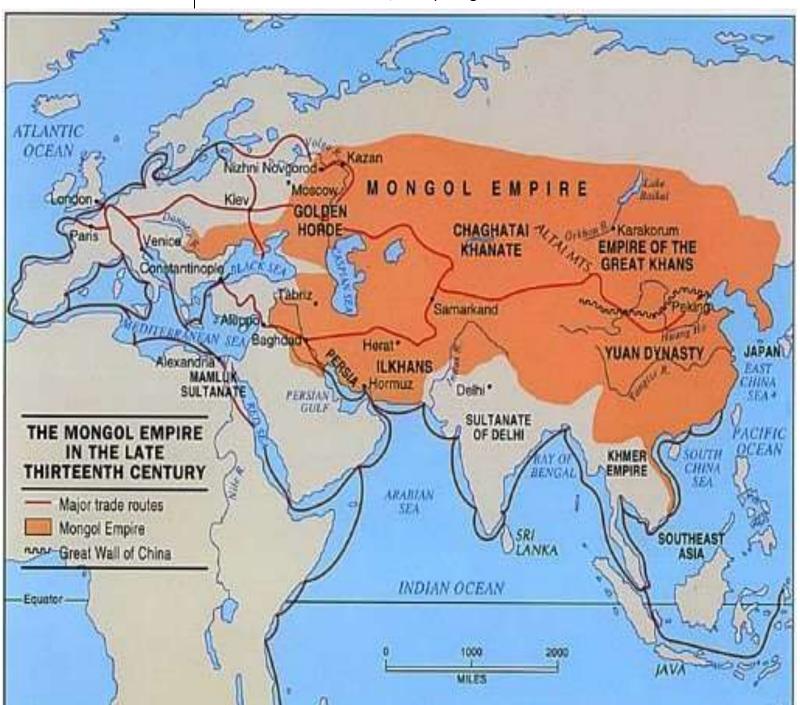
Isolation: deprived Russia of many advances in the arts and sciences of the later Middle Ages and the Renaissance.

Using the map, describe the extent of Mongol rule.

### **Prosperity and Discontent in China**

The Yuan dynasty ruled China for 150 years. They established peace and order in their kingdom. Great cities flourished in China under Kublai Khan. His capital of Khanbalik (now Beijing) was a large, well-planned city into which riches flowed. The city of Hangzhou was described as ten times the size of Venice, one of Italy's richest city-states.

However, only Mongols could serve in the military and hold the best government jobs. Chinese resentment resulted, and uprisings occurred.



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### Pax Mongolia and Global Trade

Political stability throughout much of Asia resulted from Mongol rule; it allowed for exchange of goods and ideas between the East and the West.

**The Silk Road and Trade:** In the centuries before the rise of the Mongols, the Silk Road, the trade route that linked China to the Middle East, had become dangerous. The Mongols provided safe passage; trade flourished. Products such as gunpowder and porcelain, as well as technology such as papermaking and the use of windmills, flowed west.

Marco Polo and Ibn Battuta: Marco Polo, an Italian merchant, traveled to the court of Kublai Khan in the late 1200s and remained for many years. His writings introduced Europeans to the beauty and riches of China.

Ibn Battuta, a scholar from Morocco, traveled at about the same time. He traveled first to Mecca and then through Asia Minor, Persia, India, Indonesia, and China. Later he traveled to Spain.

## C. DECLINE of MONGOL POWER

- Mongol lands were too large and diverse for one power to govern effectively.
  - Were excellent fighters, but had little experience in government.
  - Depended on others to do the job; some of the people were incompetent or corrupt.
- The death of strong leaders also hurt Mongol power.
  - After the death of Kublai Khan, the Yuan dynasty broke apart.
  - In both China and Russia, there was a resentment of Mongol rule.
    - Both countries desired independence and provoked leaders to overthrow the Mongols and establish new dynasties.

**OVERALL:** The Mongols conquered lands in Asia and Europe. Areas of Mongol rule included people of varied religions and nationalities, most of whom were allowed to continue their own ways of life. Mongol rule provided a period of stability and economic growth. Increased trade encouraged the movement of goods, ideas, and technology between the East and the West. As the pressures of such a diverse power grew, the Mongols declined.

**Note:** In wake of Mongol decline Turkish power dominated the region.

- Timur (Tamerlane)
- Turkish Muslim states rose to power following Timur



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4) Genghis Khan	
5) Golden Horde	
6) Kublai Khan	
7) Yuan Dynasty	
8) Mughal Dynasty	
9) Akbar the Great	(1542-1605) Emperor of the Mughal Empire in India. He is considered to be their greatest ruler. He is responsible for the expansion of his empire, the stability his administration gave to it, and the increasing of trade and cultural diffusion.
10) Pax Mongolia	Also known as the Mongol Peace. A time when global trade expanded due to the political stability provided by Mongol rulers.
11) Marco Polo	(1254-1324) Italian explorer and author. He made numerous trips to China and returned to Europe to write of his journeys. He is responsible for much of the knowledge exchanged between Europe and China during this time period.
12) Ibn Battuta	

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	C.	ending the rei	gn of C	Catherine the Gre	eat		
	d.	isolating Russi	a from	Western Europe	durii	ng the early Rer	naissance
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	b.	He was able to	unite	the conquered t	ribes	under one emp	ire.
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**CONSTRUCTIVE RESPONSE QUESTION:** (20 pts) Complete on separate sheet of paper

List "2" causes of the decline of the Mongol empire.

#### The BIG Idea

# **SECTION3 U3:** Global Trade and Interactions

#### Section overview

The Roman empire had been divided since the 200s. As the western half declined the eastern half rose in importance. The emperor Constantine founded a capital on the site of Byzantium . Justinian, the greatest of the Byzantine emperors, ruled a vast empire with a centralized government and a codified set of laws. The Orthodox Christian Church became powerful as the official church of the Byzantine empire. The Byzantine empire blended Greek, Roman, and Christian influences and produced art and architecture that have lived on through the centuries. The empire also left a legacy in Russia. The Byzantines gave Russia a written language, and influenced Russian religions, government, art, and architecture.

# 1. EXPANSION of CHINESE TRADE

Trade thrived in China under the Yuan dynasty (Mongols). The Ming dynasty took control of China in 1368, driving the Mongols behind the Great Wall. A time of economic prosperity and industrial growth followed. Population growth and expanded trade led to the growth of cities.

Ming rulers began a period of overseas expansion. In 1405, Zheng He, a Chinese admiral, set out with a fleet of ships. His goals were to promote Chinese trade and to collect tribute from less powerful lands.

The Chinese city of Canton, known today as Guangzhou, became an important center for global trade.

#### 2. MAJOR TRADE ROUTES

Important trade routes enabled people and goods to move across Asia, Africa, and Europe.

#### **ACROSS THE INDIAN OCEAN**

Sea routes crossing the Indian Ocean and the Arabian Sea allowed east trade between Asian and East Africa. Trading centers developed in eastern Africa, For example, Mogadishu and Great Zimbabwe thrived on trade across the Indian Ocean. European ships on their way to Asia often stopped at East African coastal cities.

#### **OVERLAND BETWEEN THE EAST AND THE WEST**

A variety of overland trade routes linked Asia with the Middle East, North Africa, and Europe. Trade from China followed the Silk Road and entered Europe through Russia or Constantinople. Goods also traveled between Constantinople and India.

#### **ACROSS THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA**

In the Middles East, Muslim traders brought goods to ports in Egypt, Syria, and Turkey. Major Egyptian ports included Cairo and Alexandria. In Egypt, goods could be transferred to Italian ships. Italian merchants carried the goods across the Mediterranean Sea to Europe.

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# 3. RESURGENCE OF EUROPEAN TRADE

Europeans were more and more interested in trade with the East. Improved methods of agriculture during the later Middle Ages allowed the European population to grow, leading to an increase in trade. The Crusade had also had an impact.

#### **IMPACT OF THE CRUSADES**

As you have learned, one of the effects of the Crusaded was increased European interest in the East. Returning crusaders brought back goods, Ships that had been used to carry crusaders back and forth to the Holy Land could not be used for trade. Even though the Muslims had captured the crusader states, trade continues between the Middle East and Europe through Italy.

#### **ITALIAN CITY-STATES**

Be the late 1300s, northern Italian cities had become flourishing centers on industry and trade. Venice, Genoa, and Florence had grown rich and powerful. Venice in particular took advantage of its location to control the valuable spice trade with Asia. Eventually Venice, in partnership with Egypt, came to dominate trade with the East. The Venetians and the Muslim counterparts prospered.

After goods arrive in Venice, traders took them over the Alps and up to the Rhine River to Flanders. From there, other traders took the goods throughout Europe, as far as England and to area along the Baltic Sea.

#### TRADE FAIRS AND THE GROWTH OF CITIES

Much trade within Europe went on at trade fairs. Trade fairs took place in towns where trade routes met, often on navigable rivers, These fairs contributed to the grown of European cities. Many traders came to settle in these areas, as did craft workers and merchants. The population of town increased. In time, some towns developed into large cities populated by thousands of people. The wealthiest cities were at either end of the trade routes, in Flanders in the north and in Italy in the south.

#### THE HANSEATIC LEAGUE

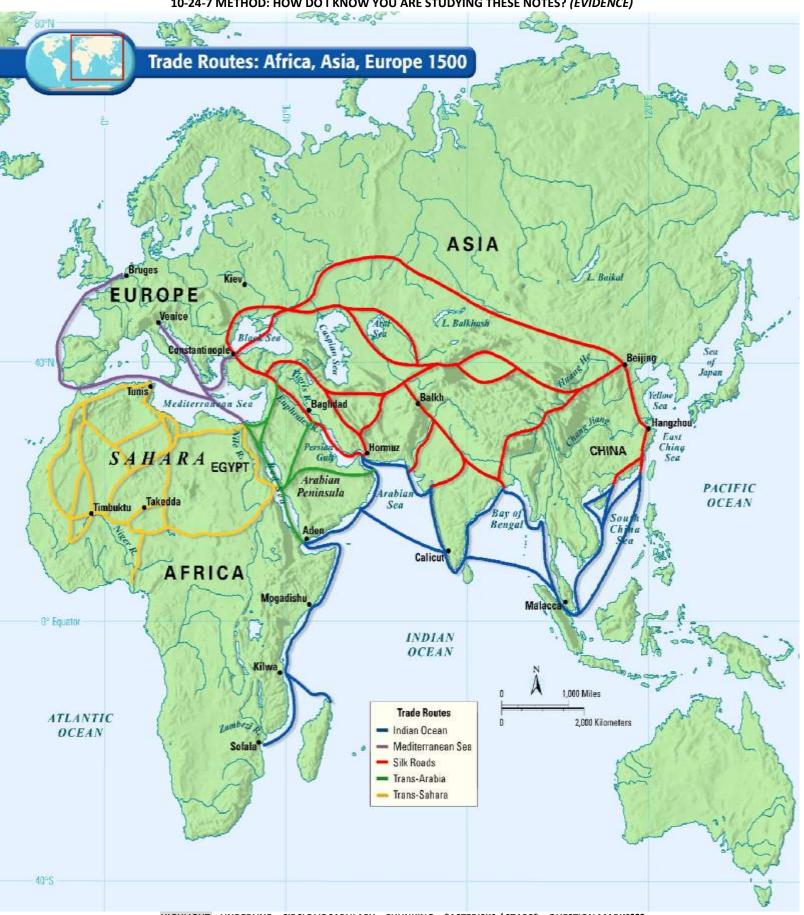
In northern Germany, groups of traders and merchants began to join together in the 1100s. Central gov'ts were still weak in Europe so merchants sometimes banded together to protect their interests. By the mid-1300s, Lubeck, Hamburg, and many other northern German towns were members of the league. Eventually the league monopolized trade in the Baltic and North Seas. The league worked to make navigation safer by controlling piracy, building lighthouses, and training sailors.

### **PORTUGAL** and the SPICE TRADE

Spices, such as pepper and cinnamon, were extremely valuable during the Middle Ages. Spices were used to preserve and flavor meats; they were also used in perfumes and medicine.

Ottoman Empire expansion disrupted trade routes; Portugal looked for new routes. Found a route around the tip of Africa to the Indian Ocean.

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# 4. THE PLAGUE AND ITS IMPACT

The Bubonic plague, also called the Black Death, was a highly contagious disease spread by the fleas that lived on rats. Shortly after being bitten by a flea, people developed swellings and black bruises on their skin. Within a few days, victims often died in agony. At the time, there was no cure for the plague, so many of those who became inflected dies.

#### **OUTBREAK in CHINA**

Although it had died out on its own in parts of Europe, Asia, and North Africa; in the early 1300s the plague appeared in Chinese cities

#### A GLOBAL EPIDEMIC

The bubonic plague was a devastating epidemic, or outbreak that spreads quickly and affects a large number of people. The resurgence of trade that had been occurring since the 1100s had helped the plague to spread. Fleas from rats infested traders in the East, who then carried the plague to the Middle East. North Africa and Italy were hit next. By the mid-1300s, the plague had reached Spain and France. From there it swept across the rest of Europe.

#### **EFFECTS OF THE PLAGUE**

The plague brought terror and devastation to all the regions it struck. Because of the number of deaths, the plague devastated economies around the world.

- POPULATION LOSSES In the early 1300s, when the plague first began to spread in China, about 35 million Chinese dies. At its peak, the plague killed about 7,000 people a day in Cairo. Other regions of Africa and the Middle East suffered similar fates. By the time the worst of the plague was over, about one-third of the European population had died.
- ECONOMIC DECLINE In killing so many people, the plague devastated economies around the world. In Europe, farm and industrial production declined. The people who were left were in a position to demand higher wages, and prices rose. When landowners and merchants took action to stop this wage increase, peasant revolts occurred. Because it devastated the economies of Eurasia and North Africa, the plague also disrupted trade. Some cities and provinces that had grown rich through trade struggled to survive.
- SOCIAL AND POLITICAL CHANGE Economic changes had social results, as the strictly defined levels of society that had been in place before began to break down. Feudalism declined as peasant revolts weakened the power of landowners over peasants. The decline of feudalism led to the growth of new political systems. In England and France especially, monarchs gained power and began to build more powerful nations.

• **CONFUSION AND DISORDER** The plague threw society into disorder. Some people questioned their faith and the Church, turning to magic and witchcraft to try to save themselves. Others blamed local Jews, whom they said had poisoned the wells. As a result, thousands of Jews were murdered.

**OVERALL**: Beginning the 1200s, global trade and other interactions increased. China underwent a period of expanding overseas and overland trade. Trade between Asia, Africa, and Europe increased. The Crusaded and a growing population helped European trade. Italian city-states transported goods across the Mediterranean Sea, becoming rich and powerful. Portugal found a direct sea route to the East. In the 1300s, however, the bubonic plague disrupted trade as well as social and political life in Europe, Asia, and parts of Africa.





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UNIT 3 Section 3	DEFINE THE FOLLOWING VOCABULARY
5. Zheng He	(1371-1433?) Chinese naval explorer who sailed along most of the coast of Asia, Japan, and half way down the east coast of Africa before his death.
6. Canton	
7. Mogadishu	
8. Cairo	
9. Venice	
10. Trade Fairs	
11. Hanseatic League	
12. Bubonic Plague	An infectious disease transmitted by fleas. It is characterized by fever, chills, and
	the formation of swellings. Also known as the Black Plague or Black Death.
13. Epidemic	

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How does capitalism determine what goods and services are to be produced and in what quantities?

Why were bankers important to the commercial revolution and the development of capitalism?

# **SECTION 4 U3:** The Resurgence of Europe

**SECTION OVERVIEW**: From the 1300s through the 1700s, Europe underwent many changes. An increase in the importance of trade brought Europe not only an economy based on money but also a new middle class. The Renaissance brought new philosophies that emphasized the world and the individual. In art and literature, new styles and ideas emerged. Reformers challenged the power and authority of the Roman Catholic Church in a movement that divided the Church. Throughout the period, feudalism weakened. In England and France, nation-states were forming. In France, the monarchy gained power; in England, the monarch shared power with a representative body.

# A. THE COMMERCIAL REVOLUTION

With the expansion of trade and the growth of cities between about 100 and 1300, new ways of doing business arose in Europe. Money grew in importance, and a new social class emerged.

#### **TOWNS AND THE MIDDLE CLASS**

A growing population and an increase in trade led to the growth of towns and cities. Urban centers based on trade gave new power to a rising new class- a middle class of merchants, traders, and artisans; They were called the "middle" class because they ranked between the older feudal classes of nobles and peasants.

#### **IMPORTANCE OF GUILDS**

Merchants and the craftspeople formed guilds. A guild was a type of trade association. All of the people who worked in one craft, such as baking or weaving, would join together. Merchant guilds had great power. Typically, guilds did the following to protect the interests of their members:

- made sure the quality of goods stayed high
- provided social service for members, such as hospitals and aid to widows and children of members
- regulated hours of work and prices of goods
- Ensured a supply of new artisans by training young people, called apprentices, in their crafts.

#### **RISE OF CAPITALISM**

As feudalism was declining all over Europe, a new system called capitalism was emerging. Capitalism is based on trade and capital, the name of money used for investment. When the demand for a product is great, prices rise, and traders therefore profit. However, traders can lose everything when the demand falls. Early capitalists devised new business methods to create wealth. This and other changes are known as the commercial revolution, or business revolution.

What new business practices developed during the commercial revolution?

#### **CHANGE**

The Renaissance represented a widespread change in worldview. Instead of concentrating on spiritual things, people began to focus more on the world in which they lived.

Humanist thinkers used the Greeks and Romans as models. They also focused on individual achievements

#### **NEW BUSINESS PRACTICES**

The new middle class gathered together in various types of organizations. Business people were aided by banking and insurance services.

- PARTNERSHIPS AND JOINT STOCK COMPANIES Merchants sometimes joined together in partnerships. By pooling their capital, they could finance ventures that no single merchant could have afforded. In a partnership, a small group of merchants pooled their funds to finance a large-scale trading venture. A joint stock company allowed many merchants to pool their funds for business ventures. Joint stock companies invested in trading ventures around the world.
- BANKING grew during this period. Individual merchants often did not have the
  capital they needed for an overseas trading venture. They borrow from
  moneylenders, who developed systems of banking. Bankers also provided bills
  of exchange. These were needed because it was dangerous to travel over long
  distances with gold coins. Instead, a merchant deposited money with a banker in
  his hometown. The banker gave him a bill of exchange. The merchant could
  exchange this bill for cash in the city where he would be engaging in trade.
- **INSURANCE** helped reduce business risks. For a small fee, a merchant's shipment was insured. If the merchant's goods were damaged or lost, the insurer paid the merchant most of the value of the shipment.

#### **SOCIAL CHANGES**

The Commercial revolution reshaped medieval society. For example, the use of money undermined serfdom and led to the decline of feudalism. Because feudal lords needed money to buy goods, peasants sold their farm products and began paying their lords with money rather than labor.

## B. THE RENAISSANCE AND HUMANISM

The period from the 1300s to the 1500s was a time of great creativity and change in Europe. This period is called the Renaissance, which means "rebirth". It was a golden age in the arts, literature, and sciences.

The Renaissance began in Italy in the mid-1300s and then spread northward. The cities of Italy were thriving centers of trade and manufacturing. Merchants in these cities had great wealth and were willing to use it to promote art and education.

#### **NEW WAYS OF THINKING**

During the Renaissance, Europeans developed a new way of thinking called humanism. During the Middle Ages, philosophers and writers had wondered about life after death. Renaissance humanists, on the other hand, were more curious about life in the present. Another feature of this new way of thinking was an emphasis on the achievements of the individual. Instead of religious issues, humanists examined worldly subjects that the ancient Greeks and Romans had studies. They hoped to use ancient learning to increase knowledge about their own times.

Describe some achievements of Renaissance artists.

# Artists of the Italian Renaissance

The Renaissance began in Italy in the mid-1300s. Over the next hundred years it spread to the rest of Europe. Rich merchants, princes, and popes took a great interest in the arts and gave financial support to artists.

How did writing in the languages of the ordinary people rather than Latin or Greek help Renaissance ideas to spread?

#### **ARTISTIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

The Renaissance produced some of the greatest painting, sculptures, and architecture in the history of the world. Renaissance architects rejected medieval forms of architecture. They returned to Greek and Roman styles for columns, arches, and domes. Artists were supported by merchants, popes, and princes.

The art of the time reflected humanist concerns. Many paintings still had religious subject, but others portrayed important contemporary figures. Renaissance art was very realistic. Renaissance artist learned the rules of perspective- the technique used to give art a three-dimensional effect. These artists also studied human anatomy and often worked from live models, so they could portray the body in amazingly accurate detail. Two of the most famous artist of the Renaissance were Michelangelo and Leonardo da Vinci.

## ARTISTS OF THE ITALIAN RENAISSANCE

Leonardo da Vinci	Michelangelo
<ul> <li>Painter, sculptor, inventor,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sculptor, engineer, poet, painter,</li> </ul>
architect, musician, engineer	architect
<ul> <li>Mona Lisa (painting)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>David (statue)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Sketches and plans for flying</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Dome of St. Peter's Church in</li> </ul>
machines and submarines	Rome
Raphael	Sofonisba Anguissola
<ul> <li>Painter</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Female artist</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Student of Michelangelo and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The Artist's Sisters Playing Cards</li> </ul>
Leonardo da Vinci	(painting)
<ul> <li>Painting of the Madonna, mother</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Painter for King Philip II of Spain</li> </ul>
of Jesus	

- **MICHELANGELO** was a sculptor, engineer, poet, painter, and architect. He is best known for his enormous mural on the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel in the Vatican. Michelangelo is also well known for his statue of the biblical character David.
- **LEONARDO DA VINCI** The *Mona Lisa* is Leonardo da Vinci's most famous painting. Leonardo da Vinci was very much interested in human anatomy, and he dissected human corpses to see how muscles and bones worked. His sketches for flying machines and underwater boats were made centuries before the first airplane or submarine was actually built.

#### LITERARY ACHIEVEMENTS

The humanist interest in this world was also expressed in the literature of the day. In the late Middle Ages, people had begun to write in the everyday language of ordinary people. Instead of scholarly Greek and Latin, they used vernacular languages such as Italian, French, English, and other languages.

- **DANTE** Dante Alighieri was an Italian writer who wrote in the years before the Renaissance took hold. Dante wrote about a journey through hell and heaven in his masterpiece *The Divine Comedy*. Because he wrote in the language of the Italian people, not in Latin, he is seen as a forerunner of the Renaissance.
- SHAKESPEARE William Shakespeare, writing in England around 1600, is another
  figure of the Renaissance. Shakespeare wrote extensively about human beings
  and the joys and sorrows of human life.
- MACHIAVELLI Niccolo Machiavelli wrote The Prince in the early 1500s. In this book he advises rulers on how to gain and maintain power. He tells rulers that they should use whatever methods are necessary to ensure their success. His work is seen today as a realistic picture of the politics of his time.

What impact did the printing press have on European culture?

#### **IMPACT OF THE PRINTING PRESS**

By 1300, papermaking and printing technology had reached Europe from China. The invention of movable type in the 1400s led to Johann Gutenberg's printing of the Bible on his press in Germany in 1456.

The printing press was important for the Renaissance and later intellectual development for the following reasons:

- Books became more available. Books became cheaper and easier to make
- **Literacy increased.** Because books were more readily available, more people learned to read and write.
- **Ideas spread rapidly.** People also had access to new knowledge about such subjects as medicine and geography. Printed bibles increased the spread of religious ideas.

## C. REFORMATION AND COUNTER-REFORMATION

In the 1500s, great changes occurred in European religious life: the Protestant Reformation and the Counter-Reformation.

#### **CAUSES OF THE REFORMATION**

The movement that resulted in the Reformation did not have a simple cause. A number of factors led to its emergence.

- The Renaissance Humanism led people to question Church authority. They placed increasing faith in human reason.
- **Strong Monarch** Strong national monarchs were emerging. Sometimes they increased their own power by supporting reformers against the Church.
- **Problems in the Church** As ordinary people examined the Church, some felt that its leaders were acting more like kings, fighting for power and wealth, than like representatives of God. Others objected to the Church charging increased fees for marriages and baptisms and selling indulgence, or pardons for sins.

How were Lutheranism and Calvinism different from Roman Catholicism?

## **BELIEF SYSTEMS**

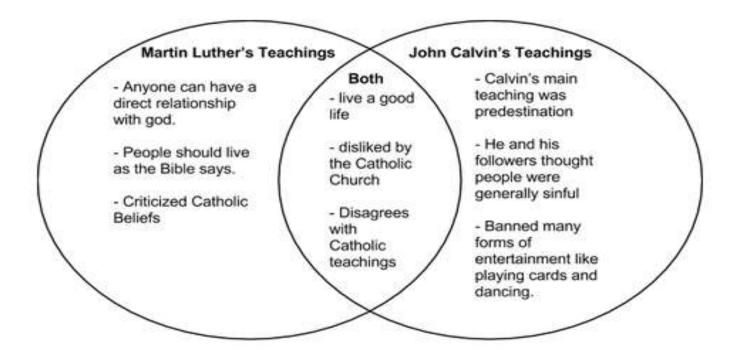
The Counter-Reformation was both an attempt to keep to keep Catholics from leaving the Church and an effort to reform some aspects of the Church.

#### PROTESTANT REFORMERS

MARTIN LUTHER By the 1500s, many Christians wanted to reform the Church. One such person was the German monk Martin Luther. Disgusted over the sale of indulgences, Martin Luther took actions in 1517. He posted his famous 95 Theses, which were 95 arguments against indulgences, on the door of a church in Wittenberg. This event sparked the Protestant Reformation, the period when Europeans broke away from the Catholic Church and formed new Christian churches.

Luther believed that people could reach heaven only through faith in God and that the pope could not grant a pardon for sins, He thought that the Bible was the only source of religious truth. Luther was excommunicated, or excluded, from the Roman Catholic Church, for his radical views. The ideas of Luther, however, spread throughout northern Europe and Scandinavia, thanks in part to the printing press. Followers of Luther's beliefs were called Lutherans and- eventually- Protestants because they protested papal authority.

**JOHN CALVIN** John Calvin was another influential reformer. Born in France, Calvin was trained as a lawyer. Like Luther, Calvin believed that Christians could reach heaven only through faith in God. Calvin, however, had his own views on the power of God and the nature of human beings. He promoted the idea of predestination, the belief that God had determined before the beginning of time who would gain salvation. Calvin's followers lived strict, disciplined, and frugal lives. Calvinism spread to Germany, France, Scotland, and England.



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# List and explain two causes and two impacts of the Reformation. Causes

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#### THE COUNTER-REFORMATION

As the Protestant Reformation continued to spread, a reform movement was also taking place within the Roman Catholic Church. That movement is called the Counter-Reformation, or the Catholic Reformation. The purpose of the Counter-Reformation was to strengthen the Catholic Church as well as to keep Catholics from converting to Protestantism.

- THE COUNCIL OF TRENT: Pope Paul III called the Council of Trent in 1545 to guide the reform movement. The council, which met on and off for 20 years, reaffirmed traditional Catholic beliefs and worked to end abuses in the Church. It also ended the sale of indulgences and created the Index- a list of banned books.
- **IGNATIUS LOYOLA and the JESUITS:** founder of religious order that emphasized spiritual and moral discipline as well as strict obedience to Catholic authority.
- THE INQUISITION: The Church used a court made up of Church officials to root out heresy by force. Trials were held, often using torture, to find people suspected of having beliefs that differed from official Church teachings.

#### **Causes of the Reformation** Religious Social **Political** Economic Powerful monarchs The Renaissance European Some Church values of challenged the Church princes and leaders had humanism and as the supreme power kings were become worldly jealous of the secularism led in Europe. and corrupt. people to question Church's wealth. Many leaders viewed Many people the Church. the pope as a foreign Merchants and found Church The printing press ruler and challenged others resented practices such as helped to spread his authority. the sale of having to pay ideas critical of taxes to the indulgences the Church. Church. unacceptable.

#### **EFFECTS OF THE REFORMATION**

The Reformation had complex effects. Most obviously, it led to the formation of the Protestant churches. Other effects also occurred over time.

 RELIGIOUS AND POLITICAL DIVISIONS The Reformation created a loss of religious unity in Western Europe. Political divisions resulted as well. Rulers often chose a religion for their nations. While some states remained Catholic, others became Protestant.

- **RELIGIOUS CONFLICTS** For more than 100 years after the Reformation, wars sparked in part by religion raged in Europe. In the 1500s, religious civil wars occurred in Germany and France, and Spanish Catholics battled English Protestants. The Thirty Years' War, involving many European states, occurred in the 1600s.
- ANTI-SEMITISM The Reformation brought persecution to several groups, especially the Jews. Over time, restrictions placed on Jews by both Protestants and Catholics increased. For example, in some cities, Jews were forced to love in a separate neighborhood. Some Jews were expelled from their homes; others were murdered.
- **WITCH HUNTS** Religious fervor sometimes led people to accuse others of being witches, agents of the devil. Thousands of people, especially women, were put to death for this reason.

What actions were taken by kings to increase royal power?

# **D. RISE OF NATION-STATES**

During the late Middle Ages, kings, nobles, and the Church struggled for power. Feudalism was on the decline. Kings slowly began to increase their power. This shift occurred first in England and France, taking a somewhat different path in each country. These changes marked the beginning of feelings of nationalism- pride and devotion to one's country.

# **Kings Increased Their Power**

### King in England

- Decided who could build castles and where
- Forced vassals to obey them
- Established common law so that all people were treated the same
- collected records of who owned land

#### **Both**

- Added to their lands
- set up organized government
- collected taxes
- created a royal treasury
- set up royal courts and royal law

### Kings in France

- Made throne hereditary
- Became allies with the Church
- Organized army
- Took French lands from English king

#### **ECONOMICS**

What factors led to the commercial revolution?

CHANGE What were the causes and impacts of the Reformation and Counter-Reformation?

### **NATIONALISM**

How did the government for France and England differ as they moved toward a stronger sense of nationhood?

#### **GROWTH OF ROYAL POWER IN FRANCE**

When Hugh Capet became monarch in 987, feudal nobles did not perceive him as a threat to their power. However, Hugh and his heirs, known at the Capetians, slowly increased royal power. The Capetians made the throne hereditary. They also gained vast amounts of land by playing rival nobles against one another. They developed a system of tax collection as well.

The growth of royal power led in part to the Hundred Years' War, a conflict that occurred between England and France from the middle of the 1300s to the mid-1400s. When it looked as if the French would lose the war, a peasant woman named Joan of Arc managed to rally the French to victory. Killed by the English, she became an important focus of French national feeling.

Joan's efforts built up the power of the French monarchs. Frances kings developed policies that weakened the power of the nobles and strengthened the power of the crown. The French representative body, the Estates General, did not limit the monarch's power during this period.

#### NATIONHOOD & LIMITED MONARCHY IN ENGLAND

When the Anglo-Saxon King Edward des in 1066, his brother-in-law was chosen to rule. However, Duke William of Normandy claimed the English throne as well. A battle for the throne began. William invaded England and won the throne. As king, William the Conqueror exerted control.

- AN ENGLISH LEGAL SYSTEM William's successors strengthened English finance
  and law. Under Henry II, common law, or law that was the same for all people,
  was established. Henry broadened the system of royal justice by sending out
  traveling justices to enforce laws. Henry also developed an early jury system.
  When justices visited an area, a jury, or group of men sworn to speak the truth,
  was gathered by local officials. The jury determined which cases should be
  brought to trial.
- MAGNA CARTA English rulers clashed with nobles and the Church over efforts to
  extend royal power. In 1215, the nobility rebelled against King John and forced
  him to sign the Magna Carta, a charter that placed limits on the king's power.
  The Magna Carta stated, for example, that the monarch must obey the law and
  that the monarch could not raise taxes without first consulting his Great Council
  of lords and clergy.
- PARLIAMENT During the 1200s, this council evolved into the representative assembly known as Parliament. In order to finance their wars, English monarchs repeatedly had to ask Parliament for funds, thus strengthening the power of Parliament.

AN ENGLISH CHURCH The final break between the English monarchy and the
Catholic Church occurred under Henry VIII in the 1500s. Angered that the pope
refused to grant him an annulment of his marriage, Henry consulted Parliament
and had a series of laws passed. Under these laws, Henry gained control of the
English church. He created the Anglican Church, or Church of England. In 1558,
Henry's daughter, Elizabeth I, became queen and firmly established England as a
Protestant nation.

**OVERVIEW:** A growing population and an increase in trade led to a commercial revolution in Europe and a rising middle class. At the same time, the Renaissance brought new ideas about the world and the place of people within it. Great worlds of art and literature emerged from this period. Inventions such as the printing press helped learning and new ideas to spread throughout Europe. There were also religious changes, as Protestant reformers challenged the authority of the Roman Catholic Church and founded new Christian churches. Throughout this period. Feudalism weakened, while nations united under strong monarchs. In 1215, England instituted the Magna Carta, which placed limits on royal power. Under the Magna Carta, the English monarch shared power with Parliament, a representative body.

Based on what you learned in this section, who do you think is represented in this picture?



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UNIT 3 Section 4	DEFINE THE FOLLOWING VOCABULARY
4. Guild	
5. Apprentices	
6. Capitalism	An economic system based on the private ownership of the means of production and distribution of goods. Also promotes a free market regulated by supply and demand.
7. Commercial Revolution	A dramatic change in the economy of Europe at the end of the Middle Ages. It is characterized by an increase in towns and trade, the use of banks and credit, and the establishment of guilds to regulate quality and price.
8. Renaissance	A rebirth of cultural and intellectual pursuits after the stagnation of the Middle Ages. This period in European history, from about the 14th through 16th centuries, features major cultural and artistic change.
9. Humanism	
10. Michelangelo	
11. Leonardo da Vinci	
12. Martin Luther	
13. 95 Theses	
14. Protestant Reformation	The protest against perceived wrong doings by the Catholic Church during the early 16th century. Main leaders were Martin Luther and John Calvin.
15. John Calvin	
16. Ignatius Loyola	
17. Common Law	
18. Magna Carta	A document granting rights to both the Church in England and the Nobility signed by King John in 1215. This is considered to be the beginnings of British democracy.
19. Parliament	
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	b.	value of the individ	ual		d. obediei	nce to gov	vernment officia	ls
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	a.	Emphasis on artisti	=	<del>-</del>	_			
	b.	The development of	of guilds prevented	artistic creat	ivity.			
	c.	The presence of a v	wealthy leisure clas	s contributes	to artistic	developm	nent.	
	d.	An economy based	on subsistence agr	iculture enco	ourages art	istic deve	lopment.	
5.	Which	Renaissance figure	is known for his in	vention of th	ne printing	press?		
	a.	Leonardo da Vinci	b. Michelangelo	c. Albrec	ht Durer	d. Johan	nes Gutenberg	
6.	Which	was a major charac	teristic of the Rena	aissance?				
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		Renaissance figure		-		-		
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#### 9. An immediate result of the Protestant Reformation in Western Europe was the

- a. end of religious unity in Europe and decline in the power of the church.
- b. translation of the Quran.
- c. increase in power of the Roman Catholic Church.
- d. destruction of the increasing power of monarchs.

#### 10. Which factor helped most to bring about the Protestant Reformation?

- a. The Catholic clergy had lost faith in their religion.
- b. Islam had attracted many converts in Western Europe.
- c. Kings and princes in northern Europe resented the power of the Roman Catholic Church.
- d. The exploration of the Americas led to the introduction of new religious ideas.

#### 11. Martin Luther's Ninety-Five Theses were a call for

- a. religious revolt against the German princes
- c. reforms within the Roman Catholic Church

b. greater papal authority

- d. crusades to spread Christianity
- **12.** "Won't you part with even a farthing to buy this letter? It won't bring you money but rather a divine and immortal soul, whole and secure in the kingdom of heaven." Johann Tetzel

### Which Roman Catholic Church practice is described in this excerpt?

- a. confession of sins (penance)
- c. the selling of indulgences
- b. the taking of communion (Eucharist)
- d. pledging allegiance to the Pope

### 13. How did the invention of the printing press affect the advancement of the Protestant Reformation?

- a. it allowed the ideas of the Reformation to spread and increased literacy
- b. it allowed the ideas of the Reformation to be suppressed and decreased literacy
- c. it allowed the ideas of the Reformation to spread and decreased literacy
- d. it allowed the ideas of the Reformation to be suppressed and increased literacy

#### 14. Which was a major result of the Reformation?

- a. many new Christian denominations emerged
- b. religious teachings were no longer allowed in the universities
- c. the Crusades were organized
- d. the power of the Pope was strengthened
- **15.** "Christians should be taught that he who gives to a poor man or lends to a needy man does better than if he used the money to buy an indulgence."

### Which major movement in European history started with the idea expressed in this statement?

a. Commercial Revolution b. Industrial Revolution c. Renaissance d. Protestant Reformation

### **CONSTRUCTIVE RESPONSE QUESTION:** (20 pts) Complete on separate sheet of paper

#### How were Lutheranism and Calvinism different from Roman Catholicism?

#### The BIG Idea

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# 3.

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#### **GEOGRAPHY**

The geographic diversity and geographic barriers of Africa led to the development of many different cultures on the continent.

# **SECTION5 U3:** African Civilizations

**Section overview:** Africa's varied climates and terrains contributed to the development of diverse societies on that continent. From about A.D. 800 to 1600, several civilizations rose and fell in Africa/ West Africans built the powerful kingdoms of Mali and Songhai as they gained control over internal trade routes. In East Africa, the kingdom of Axum became a center of international trade. Africa played an important role in the global trading network. Trade with the people of Europe, the Middle East, and India encouraged an exchange of ideas between Africa and other lands. During this time, Islam became established in various parts of Africa. Still, traditional patterns of village, family, and religious life remained important through most of Africa.

### A. AFRICA'S VARIED GEOGRAPHY

As the second largest continent in the world, Africa accounts for one fifth of the land surface on the Earth. Africa included varied climates and terrains. Much of Africa is made up of savanna, or grassy plains. Despite hot weather and occasional droughts, this area generally has good soil and enough rain to support farming. It is therefore the most densely populated climate region. A large part of Africa, however, is made up of desert, or dry, barren land. The Sahara in North Africa is the world's largest desert, with extremely hot temperatures during the day and little vegetation. Africa also has a small belt of rain forests along the Equator and small areas of Mediterranean climate along the coast of North Africa and at the southern top of the continent. In these areas, there is fertile farmland.

Africa has few good natural harbors. Because much of the interior is a high plateau, the rivers that flow down to the coast cascade through a series of rapids. Barriers such as these sometimes made travel difficult for Africans.

Despite geographic barriers, early Africans traveled within and beyond their continent. Much of this movement was linked to trade. Africa's gold, salt, iron, copper, and other minerals were important goods in early trade networks.

## B. TRADITIONAL SOCIETY AND CULTURE

 VILLAGE GOVERNMENT: In most traditional African communities, power was shared among members of the community rather than exercised by a single leader. Within a village, decisions were often made by a process known as consensus. Village members gathered together for open discussions. Elders and other respected people presented their arguments before a general agreement was reached.

## MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE & GOODS

Throughout history, trade had a major impact on the societies of Africa. Trade brought new cultural influences to Africa, adding to its diversity.

#### **BELIEF SYSTEMS**

After Mansa Musa converted to Islam, he traveled to Mecca. In making this trip, he fulfilled one of the Five Pillars of Islam. His pilgrimage had a cultural impact on Mali, since Mansa Musa brought home Muslim scholars and artists and forged new trading ties.

#### **GOVERNMENT**

The West African kingdoms were ruled by powerful emperors.
They had strong armies to maintain order and protect the kingdoms from attack.

- FAMILY PATTERNS: While the family was the basic unit of society in traditional
  African, patterns of family life varied in several ways. For example, the nuclear
  family, parent and children worked and lived together as a unit. In other
  communities and more commonly, several generations lived in one household or
  near each other as an extended family.
  - Because traditional African social studies emphasized the group over the individual, extended families who descended from a common ancestor formed clans. Community values were greatly enhanced through identification with a particular clan.
- RELIGIOUS BELIEFS: Across Africa, religious beliefs were varied. Like many other
  ancient peoples, early African identified the forces of nature with divine spirits
  and worshiped many gods and goddesses. Many Africans believed that the spirits
  of their departed ancestors were present on Earth. They would call on these
  spirits for help in times of trouble. Some people in these long-ago African societies
  believed in one supreme being who was the creator and ruler of the universe.

### C. RISE AND FALL OF AFRICAN KINGDOMS

In Africa, towns soon became part of an important trade network. Gold and salt were the most important products that were traded. People needed salt in their diets to prevent dehydration, the dangerous loss of water from the body. There was plenty of salt in the Sahara, but there was little in the savanna. The people of the savanna traded the plentiful gold of their region to obtain salt from the Sahara.

Strong African rulers created powerful kingdoms by gaining control over the most profitable trade routes. Three trading kingdoms of West Africa were Ghana, Mali, and Songhai. The trading kingdom of Axum thrived in East Africa. Over time, Islam became an important social and religious force, particularly in North and West Africa.

**GHANA:** had a powerful king who ruled over a splendid court in his capital of Kumbi Saleh. Income from the gold trade allowed him to maintain a large army of foot soldiers and calvary; which he used to help control and expand his kingdom.

Muslim merchants brought their religion and ideas when they settled in Ghana. The king had Muslim officials and thus was influenced by Muslim military technology and ideas about gov't. Ghana also absorbed Muslim cultural influences, such as Arabic writing and Muslim styles of architecture. Most of the people kept their traditional religious beliefs. Women in Ghana had a high status and played an active role in the economic life of the empire.

MALI: was ruled by powerful kings, called mansas. Under Mansa Musa, the most powerful ruler, Mali extended its borders and dominated West Africa. Mansa Musa's large army kept order in the empire and protected it from attack. Although warriors were an elite class in Mali, most of its people were farmers and herders.

Mansa Musa ran an efficient government, appointing governors to rule particular areas. Mansa Musa converted to Islam, basing his system of justice on the Qur'an. He also made the city of Timbuktu a center of Muslim learning. The empire, however, declined in the



1400s, when the people could not agree on who should rule the kingdom.

EMPIRE	KEY FACTS
<b>GHANA</b> (800s-1070s)	<ul> <li>Location: Near Niger and Senegal rivers</li> <li>Key cities: Koumbi Saleh (capital)</li> <li>Trade: Controlled gold-salt trade routes</li> <li>Beliefs: Local beliefs; some Muslim influences</li> </ul>
<b>MALI</b> (1230s–1430s)	<ul> <li>Location: Along upper Niger River</li> <li>Key Cities: Niani (capital), Timbuktu</li> <li>Key Rulers: Sundiata; Mansa Musa</li> <li>Trade: Controlled gold-salt trade routes</li> <li>Beliefs: Islam; local beliefs</li> </ul>
<b>SONGHAI</b> (1460s-1591)	<ul> <li>Location: Near Niger River</li> <li>Key Cities: Gao (capital), Timbuktu</li> <li>Key Rulers: Sunni Ali; Askia Muhammad</li> <li>Trade: Trans-Saharan trade</li> <li>Beliefs: Islam; local beliefs</li> </ul>

**SONGHAI:** Like Ghana and Mali, the Songhai empire depended on a strong army to control trade routes. The emperor Sonni Ali built Songhai in to the largest state that had ever existed in West Africa, bringing the wealthy city of Timbuktu under his control. Songhai established an efficient bureaucracy to govern the kingdom. Its people also expanded trade to Europe and Asia. Songhai prospered until the late 1500s, when civil war broke out. At that time, invaders from the north defeated the disunited forces of Songhai and caused the downfall of the kingdom.

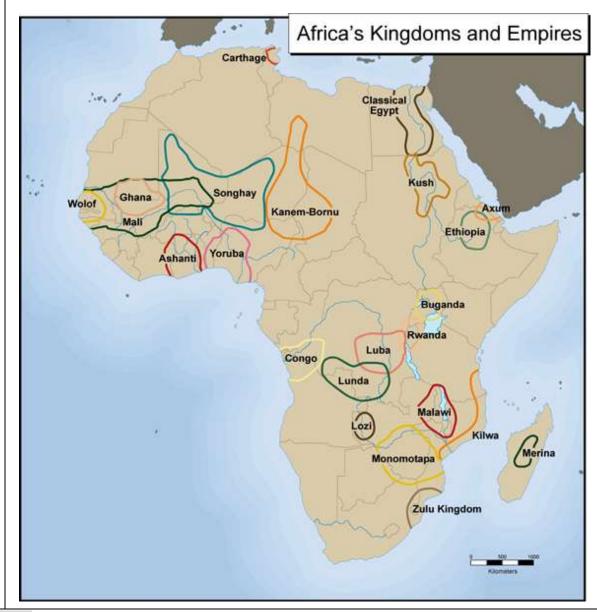
**AXUM:** It's location on the Red Sea helped Axumites command a thriving trade network linking Africa, India, and the Mediterranean world. Axum's population was descended from African farmers and from traders who had immigrated from Arabia. The merging of cultures introduced Jewish and Christian religious traditions to Axum. After being weakened by civil war and cut off from harbors, Axum declined.

# AFRICAN KINGDOMS

People of West Africa traded among themselves for many centuries. By about the 400s, this regional trade system had grown into an extensive trans-Saharan trade system connecting much of Africa. Over the centuries, different kingdoms controlled the routes.

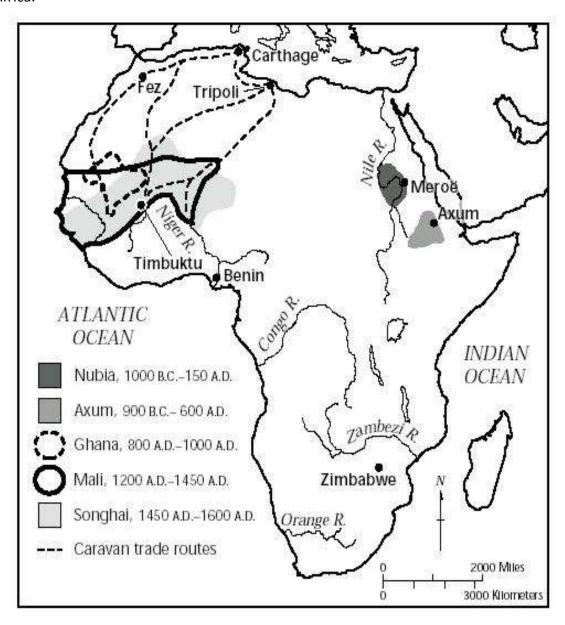
#### **GEOGRAPHY**

The bodies of water on Africa's east and west coasts were busy highways for trade with Europe and Asia. These contacts had an effect on Africa's history and culture.



## D. AFRICANS ROLE IN GLOBAL TRADE

African states in both the eastern and western parts of the continent played a significant role in global trade. The Mediterranean and Red Seas linked Africa to the Middle East and Europe. In addition, the Indian Ocean linked East Africa to India and other Asian lands. Products from the African interior were transported overland to the coast and then out of Africa.



**Hausa:** In the 1300s, the Hausa people built city-states in what became present-day Nigeria. The products of the Hausa cotton weavers and leatherworkers from the city-states traveled on caravans across the Sahara and sometimes were transported as far as Europe. By 1500s, the Hausa dominated Saharan trade routes.

**Benin:** In the rain forests on the Guinea coast, the Benin people traded ivory, pepper, and eventually enslaved people with their northern neighbors in the savanna. Benin traders also dealt with the Portuguese, who began arriving in growing numbers in the 1500s. The people of Benin learned how to cast bronze and brass. Benin bronze sculpture often portrays warriors and Benin rulers.



East African City-States: Around 600, trading cities rose along the coast of East Africa as Arab and Persian merchants established trading communities. By 1000, East African port cities such as Mogadishu, Kilwa, and Sofala conducted a booming trade with India. Part of this commerce system included enslaved people, who were seized inland and then sold to Persian traders.

Trade led to a mixing of cultures in the city-states of East Africa. Over time, this blending of cultures resulted in the rise of a new language, Swahili, in which Arabic words were mixed with Bantu, an African language.

#### E. CONTRIBUTIONS

#### THE ARTS

African art, most often created in ivory, wood, and bronze, was sometimes used for decorative purposes, such as jewelry. Most often, however, art was closely tied to religion. Statues and masks, for example, were used in religious ceremonies and rituals. African art also strengthened bonds within the community. Art linked people who created it with those who used it. Moreover, decorative patterns on an object often identified it as the work of a particular clan or as a possession of royalty.

#### LITERARY TRADITIONS

Africans used both oral and written literature to preserve their culture. Arabic was a common written language used by people in parts of Africa that were influenced by Islam. Today, Arabic documents offer insight into the laws, religions, and history of African societies.

Most often, histories and folk tales were passed down in oral form from generation to generation. Histories praised the heroism of famous ancestors or kings. Folk tales, on the other hand, blended fantasy and humor to teach important moral lessons.

#### **EDUCATION**

Manuscript: a book or document written by hand

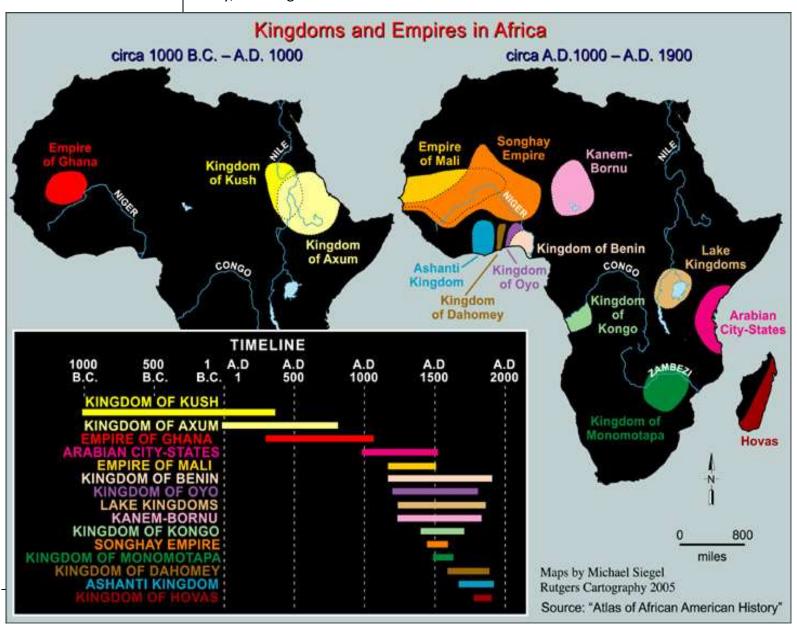
In most African societies, it was the duty of the elders to teach boys and girls what their special roles would be in the community. The elders also passed down information about their clan's history and religious beliefs.

In the 1400s, Timbuktu in Mali had become a leading center of learning. Manuscripts were brought to Timbuktu to be sold at high prices. The university at Timbuktu, built by Mansa Musa, attracted students from all over the Muslim world.

#### **COMMERCE**

The development of commerce by African kingdoms did much to establish trade routes that would endure for centuries. Commerce also introduced Africa to crops and animals from other lands. In addition, a rich mix of cultures developed. An unfortunate result of commerce, however, was the rise of trading enslaved people.

**OVERALL:** Africa's geography encouraged the formation of separate kingdoms. After A.D 800, powerful trading empire formed in western Africa. Through trade, Africans were introduced to Islam. During the same period trading kingdoms on Africa's eastern coast were forming ties with India, the Middle East, and the Mediterranean. African societies were exposed to many new influences but retained the traditional importance of village, family, and religion.



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UNIT 3 Section 5	DEFINE THE FOLLOWING VOCABULARY
5. Savanna	
6. Desert	
7. Rain Forests	
8. Ghana	
9. Mali	
10. Mansa Musa	
11. Songhai	
12. Axum	
13. Swahili	

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CONSTRUCTIVE RESPONSE QUESTION: (20 pts) Complete on separate sheet of paper

What forces contributed to the rise and fall of the kingdoms of Ghana, Mali, Songhai, and Axum.