

Final Review

Global Studies



Major Belief Systems

Judaism	Middle East	Monotheism, 10 Commandments, Torah, Moses, Exodus
Confucianism	China	5 Relationships, Social Order
Christi anity	Middle East	Monotheism, Jesus, Bible
Buddhism	India, China	Philosophy, 4 Noble Truths, Eightfold Path, Reincarnation
Hinduism	India	Polytheism, Reincarnation, Ganges River, Caste System
Islam	Middle East	Monotheism, Five Pillars, Koran, Mohammed, Allah



Turning Points in History

	Fall of Rome 476 AD	Barbarian Invasions, Poor leadership	Middle Ages in Europe – Feudalism
	Birth of Islam 622-632	Mohammed	Rapid spread of Islam through trade and Conquest
	Mongol Conquest (1200s)	Genghis Kahn unifying Mongol tribes	Largest Empire in Human History, Revitalize Silk Road
	European Encounter with Native Americans 1492	Columbus "discovers" New World	Native Americans wiped out by disease; Columbian Exchange
	Fall of Constantinople (1453)	Muslim attacks	Ottoman Empire control's Southwest Asia; Islam
French Revolution (1789)		Storming of Bastille	Model for Latin America, Nationalism, European Monarchs scared
	Perry's Arrival in Japan (1853)	Japan realizes how backward it is, doesn't want to be taken over.	Rapid industrialization, imperialism, World War II.
	Russian Revolution (1917)	Czar Nicholas overthrown by Bolsheviks	Communists in control in Russia; Soviet Union; Lenin
Dropping the Atom Bomb on Japan (1945)		Ends World War II	Begins Nuclear Arms Race during Cold War
	Dissolution of the Soviet Union (1991).	Soviet States claim independence, Russia becomes democratic	End of the Cold War.



Democracy

Forms of Government

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Citizens vote for their leaders. Freedom

Ancient Greece, United

States Great Pritain

•	of speech.	States, Great Britain
Feudalism	Lords give protection and land to Serfs in exchange for service and taxes.	Middle Ages Europe, Japan (Tokugawa Shogunate).
Divine Right	Power to rule comes from God.	Louis XIV in France China – Mandate of Heaven
Absolutism	Monarch has complete control over all people living in the country.	Louis XIV
Fascism	European Political system from the End of WWI through WWII – State is most important, dictator necessary to meet the needs of the state.	Nazi Germany (Hitler) Italy (Mussolini)
Totalitarianism	Government controls all aspects of life (education, music, art, etc.).	Soviet Union (Stalin) Germany (Hitler)



Types of Economic Systems

Traditional	Barter System – trade goods and services for other goods and services; no money.	River Valley Civilizations
Feudal	Peasants work the fields for a Lord and give a percentage of their crops to Lord in tax.	Europe (Middle Ages) Japan (Tokugawa Shogunate)
Mercantilist	Import raw materials from colonies and use them to export finished goods.	European countries, 1600s-1800s.
Capitalist	Trade with money. Prices dependent on Supply and Demand.	United States, Great Britain, Modern Japan
Communist	Command Economy – Central government determines what is produced and how much goods cost. No private property.	Soviet Union, Vietnam, China, North Korea, Cuba.



Scientific

French

Revolution

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Industrial

Russian

Chinese

Cuban

Iranian

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Major Ravolutions

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Neolithic	Africa, Middle	60,000	Nomads become farmers and settle down, creating civilizations.

Revolution

Commercial Europe

East, China, India BCBeginnin Increased trade, growing towns, money used instead of barter system,

Revolution

Europe

Cuba

Iran

g about 1000 AD 1500s-

1700s 1780

France Europe – begins in

Begins in Great Britain 1750

1917

1979

Russia China

Overthrow of the Monarchy (Czar Nicholas II) by the Bolshevik Party (Communism) led by V.I. Lenin 1949 Mao Zedong – Communists come to power in China – Mao gets support from Peasants – Collectivized Land, Workers status increases, Totalitarian

Crisis

banks, growth of Capitalism

Copernicus, Galileo, Newton, Descartes

overthrow French Monarchy – led to Directory

Scientific Method, Astronomy, Heliocentric Theory, Gravity

Revolution against Estate System by the Third Estate (Peasaants),

Spinning Jenny, Power Loom, Steam Engine, Steam Locomotive

Fidel Castro – First Communist Country in Western Hemisphere

Support from Soviet Union – Cold War – Bay of Pigs & Cuban Missle

Ayatollah Khomeini – Overthrows Shah of Iran – Islamic Theocracy

Creation of machines to increase production – FACTORY SYSTEM

1956



Tiananmen Square

protests (1989)

Major Uprisings

Protestant Reformation (1517)	Roman Catholic Church's sale of Indulgences, high church taxes, and Power and corruption of Church	Martin Luther's 95 Thesis Decline of power of church and increase of power of kings.
Sepoy Mutiny (1857)	Indian Army, under control of British, revolt – Imperialism – Munitions soaked in Animal fat	British took control from British East India Co. Gave Indians more of a role in government – independence.
Boxer Rebellion (1899-1900)	Chinese revolt against Foreign Imperialism.	Weakened Chinese. Japan grew in power and prestige for helping put down the rebellion.
Viet Cong Uprising (1960-1974)	French Imperialism – Uprising beings in 1950s. America aids democratic South Vietnam –Cold War Domino Theory	Long war that escalates U.S. withdraws troops – South Vietnam defeated, becomes Communist
Intifada (1987-1997)	Palestinian uprising against Israeli	Violence continues today continued

occupation of West Bank and Gaza Strip

Chinese students protest for democracy –

Freedom of Speech, etc.

effort for peace and independent

Violently put down. Communism

Palestinian homeland.

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