

U.S. History Quiz 1

Instructions: Answer the following questions in complete sentences on this paper or your own paper.

1. Define Northwest Passage and tell me whether or not it really exists.
2. Define Renaissance.
3. What two cities controlled the spice trade with Eastern lands?
4. Name the ruler of Portugal who established schools around the country in order to help him accomplish his naval goals.
5. List the three “G's” that summarize European reasons for exploration of the New World.
6. Define Fundamental Orders of Connecticut.
7. Define the Mayflower Compact
8. Give two reasons Europeans chose to colonize, or settle, in the New World.
9. This colony established in 1607 is known as the first permanent English settlement in the New World, name it.
10. Name the colony established in 1620 by the Pilgrims, or Separatists as they are also called, and tell me why they founded it.

Bonus (+5): What cash crop did they begin to grow at Jamestown that allowed them to make a profit for their founders, the Virginia Company?