

BIG IDEAS

1. Native American societies developed across Mesoamerica and South America.
2. Many diverse Native American cultures developed across the different geographic regions of North America.
3. Using trade to gain wealth, Ghana, Mali, and Songhai were West Africa's most powerful kingdoms.
4. New ways of thinking and growth in trade changed the way people lived in Europe.

REVIEWING VOCABULARY, TERMS, AND PEOPLE

Read each clue. Fill in the blank with the term from the word bank that best fits each clue.

culture	Iroquois League	democracy
migration	Mansa Musa	Johannes Gutenberg

- _____ 1. This form of government was developed by the Greeks.
- _____ 2. This famous king went on a hajj and helped spread Islam in West Africa.
- _____ 3. His invention allowed thousands of people to read the same books and share ideas about them.
- _____ 4. This is a movement of people or animals from one region to another.
- _____ 5. This was a strong alliance between different Native American groups.
- _____ 6. This is a group's set of common values and traditions.

COMPREHENSION AND CRITICAL THINKING

Read the following pairs of sentences. Cross out the **FALSE** sentence from each pair.

1. a. A movement that brought new ways of thinking to Europe began during the Middle Ages.
 b. A movement that brought new ways of thinking to Europe began during the Renaissance.
2. a. West African kingdoms rose and fell based on their control of trade.
 b. West African kingdoms rose and fell based on their leaders that were voted on by the people.

REVIEWING THEMES

Read the numbered sentences. Fill in the blank with the **theme** that best fits each sentence.

Themes

geography	politics	economics	technology and innovation	society and culture
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- _____ 1. The Paleo-Indians most likely crossed the Bering Land Bridge thousands of years ago.
- _____ 2. The Renaissance helped spark a commercial revolution because of the growth in trade and services.

REVIEW ACTIVITY: WHERE WAS IT?

Create a game that asks questions that can be answered with the name of a place or region described in the chapter. For example, the answer to “Where did people build kivas?” would be the Americas. Include an answer key and instructions on how to play and keep score. Hint: Write the names of major regions described in each section. Then, list as many words as possible about that region. Use the chart below to help you get started.

North America	Mesoamerica	South America	Europe	Africa
Anasazi	Olmec	Inca	feudalism	Mansa Musa
totems	pyramids	Cuzco	Black Death	Niger River