This unit covers economic, political, and social systems during the Dark and Middle Ages in Asia, Africa, and Europe.

**Essential Standards:**

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| **WH 2.4** | Analyze the rise and spread of various empires in terms of influence, achievements and lasting impact. |
| **WH 2.6** | Analyze the interaction between the Islamic world and Europe and Asia in terms of increased trade, enhanced technology innovation, and an impact on scientific thought and the arts. |
| **WH 2.7** | Analyze the relationship between trade routes and the development and decline of major empires. |
| **WH 3.1** | Explain how religion influenced political power and cultural unity in various regions of the Europe, Asia and Africa. |
| **WH 3.2** | Explain how religious and secular struggles for authority impacted the structure of government and society in Europe, Asia, and Africa. |
| **WH 3.3** | Analyze how innovations in agriculture, trade and business impacted the economic and social development of various medieval societies |
| **WH 3.4** | Analyze how the desire for farmable land created conflict and impacted the physical environments of Europe, Asia, Africa and the Americas. |
| **WH. 4.3** | Explain how agricultural and technological improvements transformed daily life socially and economically |

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| **Term** | **Definition (think Who, What, Where, When)** | **Analysis (think Why, How)** |
| 1. Byzantine Empire | Justinian’s Code:    List 3 of Justinian’s accomplishments | What was the Schism in the Christian Church?  What were two of the differences? |
| 1. Islam | Founder:  Religious Book:  Beliefs: | What were the main achievements of the Muslim Empire? |

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| 1. Five Pillars of Islam | 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | What were the differences between Sunni and Shiite Muslims? |
| 1. Medieval | Define Medieval | Why were the dark ages considered “dark?” |
| 1. Charlemagne | Who was he?  What did he do? | Why was he given the title Holy Roman Emperor |
| 1. Manorialism/ Feudalism | Define Manorialism | Define Feudalism: |
| 1. Pope | Who is the Pope? | Motives of the Pope to call for the Crusades: |
| 1. Crusades | Goal:  Key Players:  Outcome: | How did the Crusades contribute to cultural diffusion? |

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| 1. Hundred Years’ War | Who fought?  What was the outcome? | New Weapons: |
| 1. Black Death | How did the disease spread?  What were the effects of the disease? | What were the effects of the disease on society? |
| 1. Magna Carta | Which country? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed By: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  What three significant things did it say?   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | Write two characteristics of this document that are found in American government today. |
| 1. African Civilizations | Three African Trading Empires?   1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | What two commodities were traded in Mali?  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Who was Mansa Musa?  What were three of his accomplishments |
| 1. Mongols | Key Achievements/ Features: | Genghis Khan:  Kublai Khan: |
| 1. Ming | Key Achievements/ Features: | Who was Zheng He? |
| 1. Japan | * Japan was an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. * How did the Tokugawa’s bring peace and prosperity to Japan | Define: Shogun:  Define Samurai:  Define Bushido: |
| 1. Ottoman Empire: | Suleiman the Great:  What was Constantinople’s name changed to? | 3 Accomplishments of Suleiman the Great |