

WEEK 12: HISTORY



Read Chapter 25: Cities and Citizens

Answer these questions on notebook paper. **Write complete sentences**; no short answers.

1. What are two ways Germany changed between 1190 and 1291?
2. What does “city air brings freedom” mean?
3. What is a “brigand”? (Look it up.)
4. What were towns like in the Middle Ages?
5. What were some of the purposes of guilds?
6. Were churches built by one person, one company, or the whole town?
7. New monasteries were not as concerned with growing crops and copying manuscripts. What did they do instead?
8. How did people treat Jews during the Middle Ages?
9. What is a heretic and what could happen to a heretic during the Middle Ages?
10. What made French kings more powerful than other kings?
11. Why did the French king force the Pope to move to Avignon, France?
12. England and France started the Hundred Years War in 1337 because they were fighting about who would rule over the countries. The English gained more land in France, but then someone led the French armies and pushed England out of France. Who was the leader and what happened to her?
13. What was life like in the prosperous towns of the 1300s?
14. Where was the university in France? Where was the university in the German empire?

WRITING

During the Middle Ages, engineers and architects figured out how to build beautiful Gothic churches. Watch this video about Gothic architecture:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vrdkL7Y8Who>

Look up information about Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris. Look up pictures of the cathedral before the fire or after it was restored. Write a paragraph (7 – 15 sentences) about the history and construction of Notre Dame Cathedral. Use several different noun “decorations” that we practiced in class. When you use one of the decorations, underline it in your sentence so I can see where it is.

Noun decorations:

1. Really interesting adjectives
2. Possessive noun
3. Appositive
4. Adjective phrase (prepositional phrase)
5. Adjective clause
6. Participle phrase

