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# U.S. History - Chapter 1 TEST

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| 1. A period that started 100,000 years ago when the Earth began to cool  | A. Savannah               |
| 2. Huge frozen sheets of ice   | B. Vaqueros               |
| 3. People who continuously moved place to place  | C. Middle Ages            |
| 4. Highly organized society marked by advanced knowledge of trade, government, the arts, science, and, often, written language | D. Feudalism              |
| 5. Large rectangular houses where up to 10 families lived  | E. The Columbian Exchange |
| 6. "Good Spirits"  | F. Pueblo                 |
| 7. The process of cutting down to clear land and then burning them in order to add Nitrogen to the soil                        | G. Economienda            |
| 8. A system in which a king would give estates to nobles in exchange for their military support                                | H. Serfs                  |
| 9. In return for protection, peasants farmed the lord's land and made payments of various goods                                | I. Astrolabe              |
| 10. People who were bound to the manor and the lord's will   | J. Civilization           |
| 11. An artistic flowering and a rebirth of interest in the cultures of ancient Greece and Rome                                 | K. Conquistadors          |
| 12. A navigational instrument  | L. Caravels               |
| 13. Ships  | M. Crusades               |
| 14. Grasslands   | N. Glacier                |
| 15. A period from about 500-1400 A.D.  | O. Line of demarcation    |
| 16. Head of the Roman Catholic Church during this time   | P. Circumnavigate         |
| 17. A vast desert in Africa  | Q. Presidios              |
| 18. Expeditions in which Christians were urged to take up arms in order to regain control of their holy sites                  | R. Nomad                  |
| 19. An imaginary north-to-south line running down the middle of the Atlantic   | S. Urban II               |

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| 20. To sail completely around the globe   | T. Kachina                    |
| 21. The was created in response to the arrival of European colonists in the Americas that set in motion a series of complex interctions between peoples and ecologies | U. Slash-and-burn agriculture |
| 22. Spanish for "conquerors"  | V. Manorialism                |
| 23. Forts built by the Spanish  | W. Ice Age                    |
| 24. Large, Spanish cattle ranches   | X. Sahara                     |
| 25. Spanish workers on the haciendas  | Y. Haciendas                  |
| 26. A system that granted control of Native American towns to Spanish encomenderos  | Z. Renaissance                |