

**Humans and the Environments**  
The environment shapes human societies, and as populations grow and change, these populations in turn shape their environments.

Learning Objective	Historical Developments	Study Guide Notes
Explain the environmental effects of the various networks of exchange in Afro-Eurasia from c. 1200 to c. 1450.	There was continued diffusion of crops and pathogens, with epidemic diseases, including the bubonic plague, along trade routes.	

Respond to the learning objective:

