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**Worksheet (30 points)**

Watch the video to learn about Pushkin and his work: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KApQIqKqVPg>

1. When was Pushkin born?

May 26th, 1799 in Moscow

1. What is Pushkin’s great-grandfather’s ethnic background?

Ethiopian/Central African

1. In which Russian city did Pushkin live most of his life?

St. Petersburg

1. What were Pushkin’s political views on the situation in Russia during his lifetime?

Pride in his homeland. Against the lawlessness and serfdom in Russia. Czar did not appreciate this and banished him from St. Petersburg. Also, part of liberal society where he was banished.

1. What was the first name of Pushkin’s wife (in Russian)?

Наталья

1. How did Pushkin die?

He died in a duel over accusations of scandals in Pushkin’s life.

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January 29th, 1837