Sprigings - Honors World History Final Exam

**Unit 0 – Prehistoric Era**

Content:

none

Skills:

1. Richard Leakey, The Making of Mankind

**Unit 1 – Ancient Civilizations:**

Content:

1. What was a result of migration, trade and warfare
2. Main feature of civilization – what really sets each each apart
3. Hinduism –moksha, dharma, ahimsa reincarnation

Skills:

1. The Epic of Gilgamesh, author unknown, circa 18th century BCE

**Unit 2 – Greece**

Content:

1. City-state
2. Acropolis
3. Oligarchy vs. monarchy
4. Compare/contrast Athens to Sparta
5. Result of Persian Wars
6. Pericles and his achievements
7. Alexander the Great – effects of his conquests

Skills:

1. Quote from Aristotle referring to human reason

**Unit 3 – Rome**

Content:

1. Jesus of Nazareth
2. Why did Germanic tribes come into the Roman Empire in the late 300s?
3. Roman Society
4. Julius Caesar. Who was he and why was he assassinated?
5. Constantine and the Edict of Milan

Skills:

1. The Punic Wars
2. The Fall of the Roman Empire, Edward Gibbon, circa 1776-89
3. Funeral Oration for Pericles, 430 B.C.
4. The New Deal in Old Rome, Henry Haskell, 1939

Unit 4 – Islam

Content:

1. Five Pillars of Islam
2. Scared book of Islam
3. Sunni vs. Shiite Muslims

Skills:

 None

**Unit 5 – Middle Ages**

Content:

1. King Clovis
2. Feudalism – what was it and why did it develop?
3. Cause and Effects of the Great Schism
4. Causes/Effects of the Black Death
5. Result of first Crusade?
6. Cause/Effect of 100 years war?
7. Result of Mongol rule over Russia

Skills:

1. The Path of Democracy in Medieval England: Creating the Magna Carta
2. H.C. Davis, Excerpt from Medieval Europe, 1946
3. Documents comparing Justinian:
4. Procopius, The Secret History
5. Justinian, Byzantine Official
6. Pope Urban II, Plea to Retake Jerusalem from the Muslims, 1095

**Unit 6 – Renaissance and Reformation**

Content:

1. Excommunication of Martin Luther
2. Humanist vs, Medieval Scholars/thinkers
3. Renaissance Era
4. Da Vinci
5. Development of the Church of England