Africa Unit Test Study Guide

November 4th

**Vocab**

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\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ energy produced by moving waters

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ prolonged periods of little or no rainfall is common

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the turning of semi-desert land into desert

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ farmers who produce enough food for their own needs with little or no surplus for profit

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ farmers who produce enough food for themselves and to sell for a profit

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an agreement reached by a group of elders.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the practice where a young man was expected to offer a valuable gift to his bride’s family- usually cattle, tools or other valuables

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the complete control of a weaker nation’s social, economic, and political life by a stronger nations

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_This man was responsible for slave labor in his mines and rubber plantations in the Congo. He was famous for cutting off body parts of miners who did not cooperate.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the separate development of the races

**Short Answer/Matching**

What is the current population of Africa? How many countries are found in Africa?

What are two causes of desertification?

What are 4 main climate zones in Africa?

How would you describe the Africa’s resources?

How were African social groups united before the Europeans?

Define and explain matrilineal and patrilineal. How did this impact traditional African society.

Who were the 1st Europeans to go to Africa and participate in the Slave Trade?

During the years of 1400-1800’s how many slaves were captured?

Why did the demand for slave increase in the 1600’s?

What is the Berlin Conference? Who was NOT included?

What are three reasons Europe colonized Africa?

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| Two Positives of Imperialism | Two Negatives of Imperialism |
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What 2 African colonies were never colonized by the Europeans?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_were the first Europeans in South Africa. Soon the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ settled and came after \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were found in the Transvaal.

Who fought against each other in the Boer War? Who won this conflict?

What happened at Sharpsville? ( South Africa)

What are 4 characteristics of apartheid laws for non-whites?

Which South African president put an end to the apartheid system?

Who was the first president in the 1994 non-racial election in South Africa?

Define the “born frees”.

Define genocide.

Who colonized Rwanda? What happened after World War I?

Who was the majority ethnic group in Rwanda? What was their occupation?

Who was the minority ethnic group in Rwanda? What was their occupation?

Why did the Belgians put the Tutsis in power in Rwanda?

What was the catalyst which sparked the Rwandan genocide?

How many moderate Hutus and Tutsis were killed in the genocide in Rwanda?

**Current Events**

What is life like for many in Lesotho? Who are the herd boys of Lesotho?

What is Prince Seeiso doing for these boys? How is he trying to make their lives better?

What are Riders for Health? Who started this program?

Describe their fleet and how many people they have reached since RFH began? What are some African countries who have been helped by this program?

Who are the “Maasai Cricket Warriors”?

How are they making a positive change for young Africans?

Why is Ruganzu Bruno and his eco artists so unique?

What kinds of “materials does he use in his art?

What are two reasons these are his materials so helpful to the people of Africa? ( 2 reasons)

What is a conflict diamond?

What is the Kimberly Process?

What are child soldiers? Where are we seeing children being employed by the government?

Why do many governments believe children make “good” soldiers?

**Map-**

Be able to place the following on a map…

1. Mount Kilimanjaro
2. Atlas Mountains
3. Nile River
4. Egypt
5. Rwanda
6. Sudan
7. South Sudan
8. South Africa
9. Sahara Desert
10. Kalahari Desert