Colonial America Study Guide

Study the information below to prepare for your upcoming QUIZ on our Colonial America unit. In addition to this guide, you may also use your notes, workbooks and textbook from class to help you study.

For the test you should be able to:
1. name all of the 13 colonies
2. name which colonies are in each of the regions below…
   a. New England colonies
   b. Middle colonies
   c. Southern colonies
3. explain where the Pilgrims landed on their voyage
   a. also the name of the ship they traveled on
4. describe the relationship between the Native Americans and Colonial Explorers
5. define Jamestown as the first English settlement in the New World
6. name the product that colonists grew to help save Jamestown
7. explain who Peter Minuet is and how he helped the colonies to grow
8. describe the different reasons why the colonists left their countries to come to the New World
9. name several types of foods the colonists ate, grew, traded, etc…
10. describe the type of clothing that colonial men and women wore
    a. include the common fabrics that were used
11. describe several jobs that the colonists had
    (ie: blacksmith: melted iron to make nails and other tools)
    a. what women’s roles were
    b. what men’s roles were
    c. what children’s roles were
12. describe what school life was like for colonial children
    a. what the school looked like
    b. what they learned (*Remember the 3 R’s*)
    c. what they used as “notebooks”
13. describe the types of games that the colonial children played
14. describe the daily life of the colonists
15. explain if the colonists were all treated fairly

* Extra Credit can be found on the next page!*
Attached to this study guide is an exciting opportunity to earn extra credit towards your final grade on your quiz. Each activity is worth a total of 5 points. Read the directions below and on each sheet to understand each task clearly.

**Extra Credit #1:** Complete the definitions for the vocabulary words on the next page in full sentences. Try to put the definitions into your own words. Complete this vocabulary worksheet by the day of the quiz to earn up to 5 points. The *worksheet must be fully completed* in order to receive any credit. Partial credit will be awarded to those students who complete all of the answers.

**Extra Credit #2:** Complete the “Colonial Worksheet” attached to this packet. Complete this worksheet by the day of the quiz to earn up to 5 points. The *worksheet must be fully completed* in order to receive any credit. Partial credit will be awarded to those students who complete all of the answers.

**Extra Credit #3:** Complete at least one of the activities listed on the “Colonial Life Projects” worksheet to earn 5 points. Each activity is worth 5 points...

The projects are due by the test date and must be fully completed in order to receive credit...

Have fun earning extra credit!
Colonic Vocabulary Extra Credit

1. colony: __________________________________________________________
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2. colonist: _________________________________________________________
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3. craftsmen: _______________________________________________________
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4. culture: __________________________________________________________
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5. indentured servant: _____________________________________________
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6. religious freedom: _______________________________________________
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7. region: __________________________________________________________
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8. slaves: __________________________________________________________
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9. taxes: __________________________________________________________
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10. triangular trade: ________________________________________________
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