

GEO 2-9 Study Guide

1. Tens of thousands of Jews began moving to Palestine after the _____ movement began in Europe.
2. When the Tatars controlled Russian territory they allowed _____ to rule over local states.
3. An important link between the Mediterranean and Red seas is the _____.
4. What has been a cause of poverty in Nigeria?
5. The head of the Roman Catholic Church lives in _____.
6. The main religious faith of Russia is _____.
7. Bach and Beethoven are examples of famous German classical _____.
8. Napoleon took power shortly after the _____ Revolution.
9. Which Frankish ruler built a large Christian Empire?
10. Two czars who built Russia into a huge empire and world power were _____ and _____.
11. What language was developed when East Africans traded with Arabic speakers?
12. When the Romans invaded the area that is now called Turkey, they captured the strategic city of Byzantium and renamed it _____.
13. The Turkish leader responsible for modernizing Turkey was _____.
14. Viking traders helped begin the first Russian state, which was centered around _____.
15. Under Stalin's rule, people who spoke against the government were often sent to labor camps called _____.
16. The Protestant Reformation was started by a _____ in 1517.
17. What was the name of the series of invasions of Palestine launched by Christians from Europe?
18. What two continents meet in Russia's Ural Mountains?
19. A large challenge in dealing with the HIV epidemic is that _____ are expensive.
20. Which Italian leader joined forces with Hitler during World War II?
21. During World War II, France and the Benelux Countries were invaded by _____.
22. What climate zone lies south of the Sahel?
23. Both Liberia and Sierra Leone have recently experienced _____.
24. As czar, Ivan IV was such a cruel and savage ruler he became known as _____.
25. The Eastern Mediterranean lies between the continents of _____ and _____.
26. Starting in 1965, the Democratic Republic of the Congo was ruled by _____.
27. What covers most of North Africa?
28. What landform covers much of Switzerland and Austria?
29. What landform stretches from the Atlantic coast into Eastern Europe?
30. "Kosher" is a Hebrew term which refers to _____.
31. When did Prussia unite the loose association of small states in Germany into one nation?
32. What are the highest mountains in Europe?
33. A landform in East Africa formed by the movement of tectonic plates is the _____.
34. Liberia was founded in the 1820s as _____.
35. The radical Communist group that took over Russia in the Russian Revolution was the _____.
36. The Boers were _____.
37. William the Conqueror became king when the Normans took over _____.
38. What was South Africa's past policy of separation of races called?
39. Who became the president of Syria after Hafiz al-Assad's death?
40. What group conquered much of Gaul after Roman rule ended in the AD 400s?