WORLD HISTORY

THE RENAISSANCE IN EUROPE

1350 – 1600

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DEFINE THE FOLLOWING:

1.Renaissance:

2. Humanism:

3. Francesco Sforza:

4. mercenaries:

5. republic:

6. doge:

7. Cosimo de’ Medici and Lorenzo de’ Medici:

8. Girolamo Savonarola:

9. Charles VIII:

10. Charles I:

11. Niccolo Machiavelli:

12. Baldassare Castiglione:

13. burghers:

14. dowry:

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

1.Explain why Italy became the center of trade during the Renaissance.

2. List the five major territorial states of Italy and describe why each became important.

3. Explain how Spain became a dominant force in Italy:

4. Describe the importance of the book “THE PRINCE” on the Renaissance.

5. Compare and contrast the social classes of the Middle Ages with the social classes of the Renaissance. (same – different)

6. Why were arranged marriages important during the Renaissance? Briefly explain how they occurred.