**Unit 2 English Civil War and Absolutism**

The unit 2 exam could include but is not limited to any and all elements discussed, read, and researched in the unit.

**Major unit 2 learning objectives**

**English Civil War** - Understand how the English Civil War led to modern English government, and is a style of government that ultimately has been used throughout the world

**Absolutism** – Understand how absolute monarchs in Europe (and Latin America) helped shape European history and developed alliances or broke alliances worldwide

**New World Settlements** – Understand new world settlements and why explorer’s colonizers expanded to the new world (mostly review)

**30 Years War** – Understand the lasting impacts of the 30 Years War

**Terms and Concepts to understand**

**English Civil War**

Causes of English Civil War

WH Causes of ECW

Power of Parliament

Long Parliament

Strife between King Charles I & Parliament

Taxes & Religion

Anglican Book of Common Prayer (Archbishop Laud)

Triennial Act

John Pym

English Civil War

Who was involved (Northerners/Southerners)

Roundheads

Cavaliers

Puritans vs. non Puritans

Oliver Cromwell

Leadership

Heaven on Earth

Failures

Glorious Revolution

Background

Impacts

**Absolutism**

Definition

True Law of Free Monarchies

King James I & King Charles I

Petition of Rights

Defense of Tyrannicide

John of Salisbury

Hobbes & Locke

England

France

Latin America

Habsburgs

Prussia

Ottoman Empire

Spain

Sweden

Soft vs Hard Power

Key Figures

Charles II

Philip II

Maria Theresa

William III & Mary II

Joseph II

Gustavus Adolphus

Catherine the Great

Frederick the Great

**New World Settlements**

Motives for expansion

Ptolemy

Portolani

Spanish Conquests of Aztec/Inca

Viceroy

Audiencias

Economics

Slave Trade

Triangular Trade

Columbian Exchange

Mercantilism

Missionaries

**30 Years War**

Background

Social Issues

Military

Religion

Politics

Economics

Civilian Life