**Enlightenment and Revolution: 1750-1850**

**Chapter Nine: The Age of Enlightenment: 18th Century Thought**

Guided Reading

Key Terms

Deism Neoclassicism Physiocrats Laissez-faire

Philosophes Rococo Locke Hobbes Smith Voltaire

Rousseau Montesquieu Kant Hume Wollstonecraft

Review Questions

Formative Influences on Enlightenment

1. What were the underlying and formative influences of the Enlightenment?
2. What role did print culture play?
3. Who were the Philosophes – what did they challenge and desire?

The Enlightenment and Religion

1. What is deism?
2. What is toleration and why was it important to the philosophes?
3. What were the primary criticisms of Christianity leveled by more radical Enlightenment thinkers?

Enlightenment and Society

1. What did the publishing of the Encyclopedia represent and what was the focus of its articles on politics and society?
2. What is a physiocrat? What did they reject and embrace?

1. Adam Smith (make a web to connect his ideas, work, and impact)
2. Montesquieu (make a web to connect his ideas, work, and impact)
3. Rousseau (make a web to connect his ideas, work and impact, INCLUDE view of women)

Enlightened Absolutism

Compare and Contrast Frederic the Great, Joseph II of Austria, and Catherine the Great

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| Policies | Frederic the Great of Prussia | Joseph II of Austria | Catherine the Great of Russia |
| Political Reform |  |  |  |
| Economic Reform |  |  |  |
| Social or Religious Reform |  |  |  |

Enlightenment Philosophers Assignment

Working in groups of 2-3

**Step One:** Choose a Philosopher

Locke Smith Rousseau Hobbes

Voltaire Montesquieu Kant Hume

Wollstonecraft Diderot Bacon

**Step Two:** Create a Sports Card for the Philosopher

The card may not be bigger that ¼ of a 8.5 x 11’ sheet of paper (I will photocopy it four to a page)

**Required Elements:**

Philosophers Name

Major Work

Key idea briefly summarized

Famous quote

Impact on Classical Liberalism (Liberty and Individualism)