

Mr. Corner
European History (AP)
Chapter 15 Study Questions

Directions. In thoughtfully answering the following questions, think expansively. What “terms” or “names” are important to the response? Always consider PERSIA.

- Describe the life of an English aristocrat at the beginning of the eighteenth century and toward its close.
 - What kind of privileges separated European aristocrats from other social groups?
- How would you define the term family economy?
 - In what ways were the lives of women constrained by the family economy in preindustrial Europe?
- What caused the Agricultural Revolution?
 - To what extent did the English aristocracy contribute to the Agricultural Revolution?
 - What were some of the reasons for peasant revolts in Europe in the eighteenth century?
- What factors explain the increase in Europe’s population in the eighteenth century?
 - How did population growth contribute to changes in consumption?
- What caused the Industrial Revolution of the eighteenth century?
 - Why did Great Britain take the lead in the Industrial Revolution?
 - How did the consumer contribute to the Industrial Revolution?
- What changes had taken place in the distribution of population in cities and town?
 - Compare the lifestyle of the upper class with that of the middle and lower classes.
 - What were some of the causes of urban riots?