Prehistoric Native Americans to European Contact

What is the order of the Native American cultures?

Paleo, Archaic, Woodland, Mississipian

What was the first Native American group to have settlements in Georgia?

Archaic

Which Native American group hunted mammoths and mastodons?

Which Native American group began to practice horticulture and farming?

Woodland

Which Native American period was divided into subperiods?

Archaic

What are the 3 subperiods of the Archaic period?

Early Middle Late

Which Native American group was the first to use burial mounds?

Woodland

Which Native American period lasted until Europeans arrived?

Mississippian

Which Native American group developed the bow and arrow?

Woodland

During which Native American period were few artifacts found because they moved frequently?

Paleo

Which Native American group invented the atlatl and was the first to make and use pottery?

Archaic

Which period lived in chiefdoms where chiefs had all the power?

Mississippian

How did the Ice Age allow people to migrate to North America?

It lowered the water levels in the ocean which exposed Beringia. This strip of land connected Asia to North America which allowed Native Americans to move back and forth.

What development allowed Native Americans to start to build permanent settlements?

They began to grow crops which provided a permanent source of food.

Why did Hernando de Soto explore the New World?

He was looking for gold.

What part of modern day United States did de Soto explore?

Southeastern (first explorer to enter what is now modern day Georgia)

What impact did de Soto's exploration have on Native Americans?

Many Native Americans died from exposure to new diseases brought from Europe others were killed or enslaved.

Why was de Soto's expedition considered a failure?

He never found the gold he was looking for.

How do we know about De Soto's expedition and the Native Americans that they encountered?

Because some of his soldiers kept journals detailing his expedition and encounters with Native Americans

What were the purposes of Spanish Missions?

*Tried to convert Native Americans to Christianity. *Tried teach Native Americans the culture and life style of the Spanish *Keep French off the coast of Florida and what is now modern day Georgia

What was the name of the Spanish Mission district in Georgia?

Guale

How did the missions impact Native Americans?

Native Americans lost their culture.

Why did Spanish explore the New World?

God-Spain wanted to convert Native Americans to Christianity Gold-Spanish monarchy wanted to bring as much gold into their treasury as possible Glory-Conquistadors were looking for personal fortune and fame

Why did the French explore the New World?

For furs and religious freedoms.

How was the relationship between the French and Indians different than that of other countries that explored the New World?

The French worked with and befriended Native Americans.

What was the name of the French people who came to the New World for religious freedom and settled in what is now South Carolina and Georgia?

Huguenots

Why did the English explore the New World? What was this economic practice called?

Mercantilism England colonized areas all over the world to get raw materials. These materials were manufactured into goods and then sent back to the colony.

Why did English settlers come to the New World?

Religious freedom and a chance at a new life... some colonists received land and materials needed to survive.

Where was the first permanent British settlement in the New World?

Jamestown



What are the five regions of Georgia?

