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Review Guide for US History 5 Week Test

1. How did geography affect where people settled (i.e. climate, geographic features)?
2. Why were plantations limited to the Southern colonies?
3. What kinds of crops were grown on plantations?
4. What did people in the Northern colonies (New England and the Middle colonies) do to make a living?
5. Where did colonists settle who wanted religious freedoms?
6. Why were the Middle Colonies the most tolerant of people of different backgrounds?
7. What was the Mayflower Compact? How is it an example of democracy?
8. How did mercantilism benefit Great Britain?
9. What were the Navigation Acts and how did they restrict trade?
10. How did Triangle Trade work? Who traded what with whom?
11. How did the arrest of Peter Zenger violate the colonists' natural rights?
12. What led Britain to end its policy of salutary neglect and to begin taxing the American colonists?
13. What was the purpose of Thomas Paine's *Common Sense*?
14. What was the purpose of the Committees of Correspondence prior to the Revolutionary War?
15. What was the purpose of the Declaration of Independence?
16. What ideas was the Declaration of Independence based on?
17. What advantages did the British have in fighting the colonists?
18. What advantages did the American Colonists have in fighting the British?
19. Why were the Articles of Confederation created to be a weak central government?
20. What was the Articles of Confederation's one achievement?