**Colonial Era 1.1 Questions**

**SSUSH1 Compare and contrast the development of English settlement and colonization during the 17th Century.**

**a. Investigate how mercantilism and trans-Atlantic trade led to development of colonies.**

**Document 1**

1. Who is serving the Mother Country?
2. List three items that the colonies are serving the Mother Country?
   1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Do the colonies think positively or negatively about the Mother Country?

**Mercantilism and Trans-Atlantic Trade**

1. **What economic theory influenced the founders of the British colonies?**
2. **According to Mercantilism, what did the earth have a limited supply of?**
3. **According to Mercantilism, what was the best way to become a stronger nation?**
4. **Mercantilism inspired the British government to view its American colonies as a source of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**
5. **Mercantilism also inspired Parliament to control \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with its American colonies.**
6. **How did American respond to British restrictions in trans-Atlantic trading?**
7. **Summarize: How did mercantilism impact the Colonist? (Good or Bad, explain)**
8. **Summarize: How did mercantilism impact the British? (Good or Bad, explain)**

**Document Analysis 2**

1. **What 3 continents were included in trans-Atlantic trade?**
2. **List 3 items that were shipped from Europe to North America?**
   1. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   2. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   3. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
3. **List 3 items that were shipped from North America to Europe?**
   1. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   2. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   3. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
4. **List 2 items that were shipped from North America to Africa?**
   1. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   2. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
5. **List 2 items that were shipped from Africa to North America?**
   1. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
   2. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
6. **Summarize: What was the significance of trans-Atlantic trade on the Colonies? (Good or Bad, explain)**

**b. Explain the development of the Southern Colonies including but not limited to reasons established, impact of location and place, relations with American Indians, and economic development.**

**Development of the Southern Colonies**

1. **What future states made up the Southern Colonies?**
2. **The location of the Southern Colonies, with the region’s rich soil and long growing season, fostered the development of strong \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ producing colonies.**
3. **What cash-crops were the Southern Colonies sending to European markets?**
4. **What were the Southern Colonist purchasing with their cash-crops?**
5. **Because cash-crops in the south were labor intense, what type of labor did they use?**
6. **Southern relations with the American Indians started off peacefully but eventually became more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

**c. Explain the development of the New England Colonies including but not limited to reasons established, impact of location and place, relations with American Indians, and economic development.**

**Development of the New England Colonies**

1. **What future states made up the New England Colonies?**
2. However, plentiful forests and proximity to the sea led New Englanders to eventually develop a thriving \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ trade from harbors such as Boston became important economic engines for the region.
4. Why were the New England Colonies established (developed)?
5. Who were the Puritans?
6. How did the Puritans view American Indians?
7. What was the name of the series of bloody wars between the Puritans and the American Indians?

**d. Explain the development of the Mid-Atlantic Colonies including but not limited to reasons established, impact of location and place, relations with American Indians, and economic development.**

**Development of the Mid-Atlantic Colonies**

1. What country established the North American colony of New Netherland in 1614?
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was centered around New Netherland’s port of **New Amsterdam** (present day \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_).
3. What country seized control of New Netherland in 1664?
4. The Mid-Atlantic colonial region is noted for its significant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ diversity due to its unique transition to England as an already established colony.
5. What future states made up the Mid-Atlantic Colonies?
6. What two rivers helped shape the Mid-Atlantic Colonies?
7. What two harbor cities grew as a result of trade in the Mid-Atlantic Colonies?
8. What was the relationship between American Indians and Mid-Atlantic Colonist?
9. What colonist gave American Indians compensation for the natives land?
10. How was the Mid-Atlantic Colonies economy similar to their New England colony neighbors?
11. How was the Mid-Atlantic Colonies economy similar to their Southern colony neighbors?