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**JH U.S. History First Semester Exam Textbook Topics 2-4**

**Directions: Be sure to use complete sentences and address all parts of the question. (128pts)**

**Topic 2 Exam Part I Exam Questions:**

1. **Identify two well-known conquistadors, and the two empires they eventually defeated. (8pts)**
2. **Identify two well-known explorers of North America, and the two regions they explored. (8pts)**
3. **Explain how West Africa, plantations, and sugar each figured into why slaves came to America. (6pts)**
4. **Use each of the following items to write a brief essay about the Protestant Reformation: Martin Luther, Protestants, and Catholics. (6pts)**

**Topic 2 Part II Exam Question:**

1. **List all thirteen British colonies. (26pts)**

**Topic 2 Part III Exam Questions:**

1. **In the correct order, describe the first three parts of the colonial class system. (8pts)**
2. **Identify the four main religions in the colonies. (8pts)**

**Topic 3 Part I Exam Questions:**

1. **Name the four European nations that were interested in North America. (8pts)**
2. **Identify three items that the Stamp Act taxed. (6pts)**
3. **Identify three items the Townshend Act taxed. (6pts)**

**Topic 3 Part II Exam Questions:**

1. **Construct a brief essay about the Boston Tea Party. Be sure to include each of the following items in your response: The Tea Act, protests, the Boston Harbor. (6pts)**
2. **How many parts was the Declaration of Independence organized into, and describe the first part. (6pts)**
3. **Identify the three jobs that were typically preformed by African Americans during the war. (6pts)**

**Topic Four Exam Questions:**

1. **Write a brief essay about the Virginia Plan. Be sure to include the following items: population, larger states, the House, and the Senate. (8pts)**
2. **As far as the Framers were concerned, describe what is especially significant about the years 1215, 1620, and 1689. (6pts)**
3. **Identify the three groups of people who did not receive all the rights granted by the Constitution. (6pts)**