**Main Ideas**

* The Renaissance began in Italy due to its position as a trade and banking center as well as the reintroduction of Greek and Roman classics.
* The Renaissance was a time of cultural flowering and new (and reintroduced) ideas in art and education. Societal changes were mostly confined to the wealthy.
* Northern Europe experienced the Renaissance differently as it centered on Christian Humanism.
* Monarchs in Western Europe worked to consolidate their power in their lands.

**Key Terms, People, and Events**

Renaissance

Patronage

Cosimo de Medici

Lorenzo de Medici

Savonarola

Pope Alexander VI

Cesare Borgia

Charles V

Humanism

Individualism

*The Courtier*

*The Prince*

Niccolo Machiavelli

Baldassare Castiglione

Secularism

Pope Julius II

Christian Humanism (Northern Humanism)

Northern Renaissance

Thomas More

Desiderius Erasmus

Johan Gutenberg

Printing Press

Quattrocento

Cinquecento

Filippo Brunelleschi

Donatello

Michelangelo

Leonardo da Vinci

Raphael

Jan Van Eyck

Peter Breughel the Elder

*Querelle des Femmes*

Charles VII

Chiaroscuro

Perspective

Taille/ Gabelle

Pragmatic Sanction of Bourges

“Spider King”

Concordat of Bologna

The War of the Roses

Henry VII

Court of Star Chamber

Justices of the Peace

Reconquista

Ferdinand and Isabella

Cortes

Hermandades

Conversos

New Monarchs

Anti-Semitism

Spanish Inquisition