

Chapter 19: Late Medieval Europe Student Notes

Changes

1. Why was there a population boom in this period? How did it affect Western European towns?
2. Bigger towns led to more trade. What areas prospered the most? How were these areas' governments and other organizations affected?
3. Give an example of a new form of credit or monetization.
4. What were the three estates, or social classes, that developed in late medieval Europe?
5. Describe the functions of a guild.
6. What changes occurred with respect to states and warfare?
7. What is chivalry and why did it spread?
8. What led to the development of universities?
9. Describe scholasticism, including how the fascination with Aristotle led to its development.

10. What are the characteristics of Gothic architecture?

Conquest & Warfare

11. How did William the Conqueror change English government and culture?

12. What other areas did the Normans affect?

13. How did Spain develop? What was the monarchs' primary concern?

14. What area was named Holy Roman Empire this time? Who was their leader?

15. What caused the crusades?

16. What affects did the crusades have on Europe?

17. What led to the development of the Magna Carta?