Directions: Answer the questions below using your class materials, notes, and the textbook. In order to save you time, I have indicated in parentheses next to each question where in the above sources you can find answers. Go there before looking online. If you have misplaced any notes or class materials, you can find them on mrcaseyhistory.com. Answer all questions on loose leaf. You do NOT need to rewrite the question, but make sure to have your name, the assignment title, and the numbers of each question on your loose leaf. If you have any questions, email me at pcasey@maspethhighschool.org. (Note: PP stands for PowerPoint)

1. What caused the Vikings to begin their conquests? (Vikings Terror of Europe DBQ)
2. Describe the feudal relationship between lord and vassal. What did the lord give the vassal and what did the vassal give the lord? (Ch 7 Sec 2)
3. In a feudal manor economy, what was the main source of a lord’s wealth? (Ch 7 Sec 2)
4. How was the Japanese feudal system similar to the European feudal system? (Ch 7 Sec 2 and Ch 12 Sec 4)
5. What was the difference between the position of the emperor and the shogun in the Japanese feudal system? (Ch 12 Sec 4)
6. Why was the Church so important in Western Europe after the fall of the Western Roman Empire? (Power of the Medieval Church PP)
7. How did Europe benefit economically from the Crusades? (Crusades Effects Mini Stations/Crusades: Wars That Changed The World)
8. How did the Crusaders, Byzantines, and Muslims (and other inhabitants of the Middle East) view the Crusades differently? Describe the view of each group. (The Crusades Through Their Eyes, Crusades the Next Generation, The Fourth Crusade The Crazy One)
9. How was the Gothic architectural style of the Late Middle Ages an improvement from earlier styles? (Late Medieval Education and Architecture, Ch 8 Sec 4)
10. How did the development of trade towns and guilds contribute to the decline of feudalism in Western Europe? (Impact of Expanding Trade)
11. What military technologies and techniques helped the Mongols conquer? (Wait For It… The Mongols, Conquerors DBQ Documents Mongols and Ottomans)
12. Describe at least two ways that the Mongols facilitated (helped along) cultural diffusion. (Wait For It… The Mongols, Conquerors DBQ Documents Mongols and Ottomans, The Mongol Empires PP)
13. What was the Pax Mongolica? (The Mongol Empires PP)
14. In what ways did the Byzantine Empire influence the development of Russia? Give two examples. (Rise of Russia)
15. What was one positive and one negative effect of the Mongol conquest of Russia? (The Golden Horde Reshapes Russia)
16. What do the Ottoman, Safavid, and Mughal empires all have in common? (Ch 10 Sec 4-5)
17. Why do you think the use of paper money in Yuan Dynasty China improved trade? (The Travels of Ser Marco Polo)
18. What was the purpose of Zheng He’s voyages and to where did he travel? (Zheng He Documents)
19. How did the ships of Zheng He’s fleet compare with those of Columbus? (Zheng He Documents)
20. How did the development of gunpowder technology contribute to the decline of feudalism in Western Europe? (The Hundred Years War)
21. Describe the Millet System in the Ottoman Empire. (Ch 10 Sec 5)
22. How did Akbar the Great treat the different religious groups in India? (Ch 10 Sec 4, Historical Perspectives on the Mughal Emperors)
23. Why did the Ottoman Sultans use the title Qayser-i-Rum (Caesar of Rome)?
24. Why did the Russian rulers in Moscow use the title Tzar (Caesar)?
25. What were the causes of the spread of the Black Death? (Black Death Files)
26. How did the Black Death impact Europe politically, socially, economically, and/or politically? Give at least two examples. (Black Death Files)
27. How were Ibn Battuta and Marco Polo similar?