Unit 2 Study Guide

1. Why did Georgia build railroads instead of canals?

2. What is mercantilism?

3. What were the reasons for Spanish settlement in North America?

4. What was the goal of Spanish missions? How did the Native Americans feel about this?

5. What crops was Georgia founded to produce under a mercantilist system?

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6. How did the colonists attempt to produce silk?

7. What was the new Georgia colony’s economy based on?

8. What were the three reasons Georgia was founded under the Charter of 1732. Explain them.

9. Who was Georgia defending against?

10. Although the colonists were English citizens, what could they not do under the Charter of 1732?

11. Who/ what was illegal in Georgia under the Charter of 1732?

12. Why is the founding of Georgia colony historically significant?

13. Who was James Oglethorpe? Where was he born?

14.Who was Tomochichi/ how did he contribute to founding Georgia?

15. How did Mary Musgrove help Tomochichi and Oglethorpe become friends?

16. Why did Oglethorpe bring the Presbyterian Highlander Scots to Georgia?

17. What did the Salzburgers oppose that made them welcome in Georgia?

18. What was the Salzburgers religious background?

19. How did the Malcontents change Georgia?

20. How did Georgia change as a royal colony?

21. List the royal governors in chronological order.

22. Under what royal governor were colonists allowed to vote for the first time and settle dispute in a new court system?

23. How did John Reynolds fail as a royal governor?

24. Write a paragraph explaining how James Wright became a popular royal governor for the colonists and Great Britain? Write in complete sentences.

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1. I can explain why Georgia built railroads instead of canals.
2. I can explain the economic concept of mercantilism.
3. I can explain European reasons for settlement in North America.
4. I can explain Spanish impact on Native Americans including Spanish missions.
5. I can explain why Georgia was founded under a mercantilist system and what the economy was based on. (Hint: WRIST crops)
6. I can explain why colonists planted mulberry trees.
7. I can explain the three reasons why Georgia was founded under the Charter of 1732 and its historical significance.
8. I can list who/ what was illegal under the Charter of 1732.
9. I can explain why Georgians resented the Charter of 1732.
10. I can explain who James Oglethorpe, Tomochichi, and Mary Musgrove were in relation to the founding of the Georgia colony.
11. I can explain the Highland Scots contribution to Georgia, including where they were from, religion, and why they were brought to Georgia.
12. I can explain why the Salzburgers were welcome in Georgia.
13. I can explain changes in Georgia due to the Malcontents’ protests.
14. I can list the royal governors in chronological order.
15. I can explain the changes Georgia underwent as a royal governorship.
16. I can explain why John Reynolds failed as a royal governor.
17. I can write a paragraph explaining how James Wright was popular amongst colonists and Great Britain.