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AP World History Summer Assignment
Early Major Religions / Belief Systems Graphic Organizer

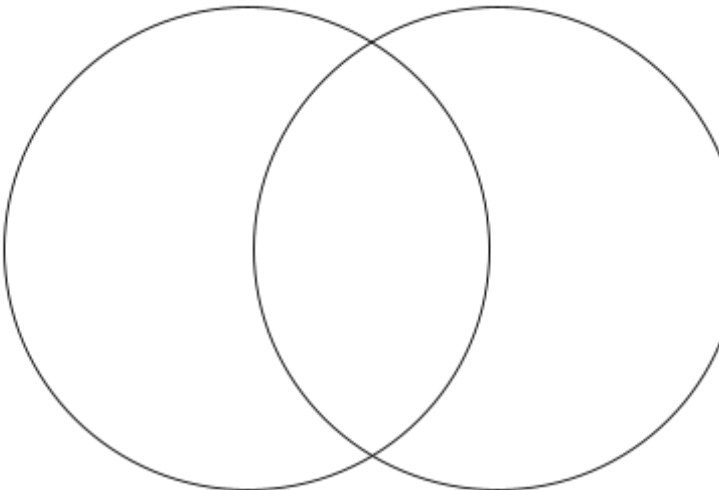
	Confucianism	Daoism
General time/place of founding		
Deity(s)		
Founder/Leaders <i>(if known)</i>		
Key Texts		
Basic Beliefs & Practices		
Expansion/Influence <i>Where did it spread by the end of 1200 C.E.?</i>		
<p>Political & Social Role</p> <p>How was this religion/belief system utilized to assert political authority and/or reinforce social hierarchies?</p>	<p>Describe Neoconfucianism:</p> <p>Role of the Civil Service Exam in China:</p> <p>Explain the political and social purpose of the five relationships:</p> <p>Summarize: What general role did Confucianism serve in the Chinese political system?</p>	<p>Explain how the role of Daosim differed from the role of Confucianism in China:</p>

	Hinduism	Buddhism
General time/place of founding		
Deity(s)		
Founder/Leaders	N/A	
Key Texts		
Basic Beliefs & Practices		
Expansion/Influence <i>(Where did it spread by the end of 1200 C.E.?)</i>		
Political & Social Role How was this religion/belief system utilized to assert political authority and/or reinforce social hierarchies?	Describe the role of the <u>caste system</u> in South Asian society:	Role of Buddhist <u>monastic communities/monks</u> : Mahayana vs. Theravada Buddhism:

	Judaism	Christianity
General time/place of founding		
Deity(s)		
Founder/Leaders		
Key Texts		
Beliefs/ Practices/ Rituals		
Expansion/Influence <i>(Where did it spread by the end of 1200 C.E.?)</i>		
Political & Social Role How was this religion/belief system utilized to assert political authority and/or reinforce social hierarchies?		<p>Describe Christianity in the Roman Empire (until about 500 CE):</p> <p>Role of the Catholic Church in medieval Europe (800-1300 CE):</p> <p>Role of missionaries:</p> <p>Role of monasteries:</p>

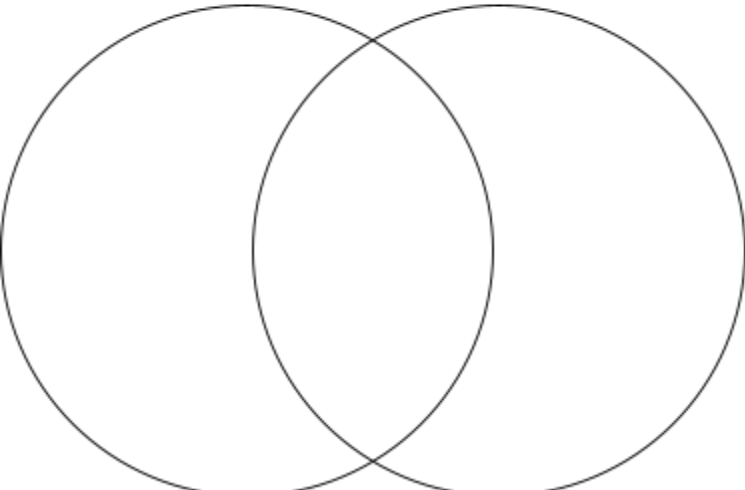
	Islam
General time/place of founding	
Deity(s)	
Founder/Leaders	
Key Text	
Basic Beliefs & Practices	
Expansion/Influence <i>Where did it spread by the end of 1200 C.E.?</i>	<p>Where did Islam spread via trade/missionaries (before 1200 CE)?</p> <p>Where did Islam spread via conquest (before 1200 CE)?</p> <p>What languages spread as a result of the spread of Islam?</p>
Political & Social Role How was this religion/belief system utilized to assert political authority and/or reinforce social hierarchies?	<p>Define the jizya tax:</p> <p>What languages spread as a result of the spread of Islam?</p> <p>What is a caliphate:</p> <p>Explain the role of caliphs as both religious and political leaders</p>

Christianity



Islam

Confucianism



Buddhism