Unit 1 Study Guide

Exam Date: Monday, 9/18

1. Why do we study history?

2. What is the difference between a primary and secondary source?

3. What are the eight features of civilizations?

4. What principles and ideas did the Greeks and Romans establish that would endure throughout Western civilization?

5. What are the main beliefs of Judaism, Christianity and Islam?

6. Define the following political systems: monarchy, aristocracy, democracy, theocracy, absolute monarchy, and anarchy.

7. Describe what life was like during the Middle Ages. Include terms like Manor system, feudalism, chivalry, and the Church.