

APUSH 1.2 Guided Lecture Notes  
The Southern Colonies (\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_ centuries)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

General Characteristics of the South was

- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_: tobacco & rice
- ↳ Slavery in all colonies; begins as \_\_\_\_\_, develops into \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Large land holdings in the hands of the favored few = \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Sparsely populated: churches & schools too expensive for very small towns.
- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_, but religious toleration is common
- Virginia → \_\_\_\_\_ – When was Jamestown established? \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Founded by Virginia Company (a joint-stock company)
- ↳ Virginia Charter
- o Overseas \_\_\_\_\_ of Englishmen in England
- o Foundation for American liberties; rights extended to other colonies.

↳ Founded by 104 English men and boys

- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_ Wealthy adventurers and second-sons
- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_ brought \_\_\_\_\_ with the intention to set up a \_\_\_\_\_ colony.
- ↳ Captain John Smith organized the colony beginning in 1608:
  - ↳ "He \_\_\_\_\_."
  - ↳ Smith kidnapped in Dec. 1607 by Chief Powhatan
  - ↳ Smith perhaps "saved" by Pocahontas, Powhatan's daughter, but \_\_\_\_\_ at best.

The Jamestown Nightmare

- ↳ Only \_\_\_\_\_ survived the first \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Only \_\_\_\_\_ settlers survived "starving time" of 1610-1611
- ↳ 1610 – 1624: 10,000 immigrants arrive, \_\_\_\_\_ survive
- ↳ Adult life expectancy: 40 years
- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_ of children died before 5y/o

Survivors of the "\_\_\_\_\_"

- ↳ **Men:** Able to buy \_\_\_\_\_, but there were \_\_\_\_\_. Increased the \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ slaves.
- ↳ **Women:** unusual \_\_\_\_\_ and wealth due to High mortality among husbands and fathers (Widowarchy) [A-independence]
- ↳ **Children:** Fewer children to help on family farms also contribute to the need for servants.

Powhatan \_\_\_\_\_

- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_ – An alliance of \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Powhatan dominated a \_\_\_\_\_ in the James River area
- ↳ The English called all Indians in the area Powhatans.
- ↳ Powhatan probably saw the English as allies in his struggle to control \_\_\_\_\_.

**Describe the scene. (What are the Native Americans doing, what are the Colonists doing?) HIPP- POV- include this in your response. (slide 12)**

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John Rolfe

- ↳ John Rolfe introduced new tough \_\_\_\_\_ given to him by \_\_\_\_\_
  - o "Colony \_\_\_\_\_ smoke"
  - o Europeans become \_\_\_\_\_
  - o \_\_\_\_\_ grew
  - o \_\_\_\_\_ emerged

Act for Religious Toleration

- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_ Christians.
- ↳ Decreed \_\_\_\_\_ the divinity of Jesus [like Jews, atheists, etc.].

The House of Burgesses

- ↳ The House of Burgesses (\_\_\_\_\_): Assumed the role of the House of Commons in England (similar to U.S. House of Reps)
  - o Control over finances, militia, etc.
  - o Able to initiate legislation by end of 17<sup>th</sup> century
- ↳ Governor's Council appointed by royal governor
  - o Mainly leading planters.
  - o Functions like House of Lords.
  - o \_\_\_\_\_ ensured rapid turnover of members.

Carolina → The West Indies: \_\_\_\_\_ to the Americas

- ↳ Founded in 1670
- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_ colony – given in return for assistance in restoring Charles II to the throne
- ↳ Settled by a group of British small farmers from the W. \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Brought a few black slaves and the \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ South: Suffered from raids by \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ North: Drew \_\_\_\_\_ who disliked the aristocracy of VA and Charleston
- ↳ 1712 – NC \_\_\_\_\_

Maryland (A refuge for \_\_\_\_\_)

- ↳ Land granted to Sir George Calvert (Lord \_\_\_\_\_)
  - o Proprietary colony
  - o Refuge for Catholics
- ↳ Baltimore's governed as an absentee proprietor in a feudal relationship
  - o Huge tracts of land granted to his Catholic relatives
  - o Smaller plots of land were given to Protestant settlers

Georgia

- ↳ Founded by \_\_\_\_\_ (1733)
- ↳ Created as a "\_\_\_\_\_ " between English colonies and \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ A haven for \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Originally had \_\_\_\_\_
- ↳ Religious toleration for all Christians