Spain in the 20th and 21st centuries

UNIT 6

REINFORCEMENT

Name _____ Date _____ /25

1 Match the words to their definitions.

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a. republic	A form of government with no king.
b. coup	The most important law in a country.
c. dictatorship	A person or group that takes control of a government by force.
d. constitution	An authorative government in which all power is concentrated in one person or a group.

2 Match the events to the year on the timeline.

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a. Juan Carlos I was crowned King.

b. General Franco led a coup.

c. The Spanish Civil war ended.

d. The Second Republic began.

3 Put the following events from the 20th century in order. Number them from 1 to 7.

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- The dictatorship of Primo de Rivera began.
- The dictatorship of General Franco began.
- The Second Republic was proclaimed.
- The dictatorship of General Franco ended.
- The new Constitution was approved.
- There were land, education and labour reforms.
- The Spanish Civil War began.

4 Read the sentences. Write *Second Republic, Franco's Dictatorship* or *Transition*.

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a. Political parties and labour unions became legal. _____

b. The Constitution recognized women's right to vote. _____

c. There was no Constitution. _____

d. The first Statutes of Autonomy were created. _____

e. There was only one political party and one trade union. _____

f. The first democratic elections since 1936 were held. _____

g. The party of Adolfo Suárez, UCD, won the elections. _____

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5 **Complete the table about the Spanish democratic presidents.**

president		Leopoldo Calvo Sotelo				
political party	UCD	UCD		PP	PSOE	
time in office	1977	1981	14 years (1982-1996)	(1996 - 2004)	(2004 -2011)	(2011 -2018)

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6 **Write *painter*, *sculptor* or *writer* next to these famous people from the 20th century.**

a. Salvador Dalí _____

b. Miguel Delibes _____

c. Jacinto Benavente _____

3'5 d. Eduardo Chillida _____

e. Joan Miró _____

f. Antonio López _____

g. Rafael Alberti _____

7 **During the Spanish Civil War, Spain was divided into the…**

a. Liberal and the Nationalist areas.
b. Republican and the Nationalist areas.
c. Absolutist and the Nationalist areas.

The transition was a political process that started after…

1'5 a. General Franco died. b. Alfonso XIII died. c. Adolfo Suárez died.

In 1976, King Juan Carlos I appointed … as president.

a. Adolfo Suárez b. Felipe González c. Leopoldo Calvo Sotelo

8 **Complete the table:**

Country	**Capital City**	Irlanda	
Alemania		Rusia	
Austria		República Checa	
Bélgica		Reino Unido	
Dinamarca		Países Bajos	
Grecia		Noruega	

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