SUBJECT: UAE SOCIAL STUDIES

TEXTBOOK -2 UNIT 3: IMPACTS OF TRANSITIONS IN EUROPE
LESSON 3: AGE OF DISCOVERY **GRADE: 6**

I. Choose the correct option:

1)The shape of the oceans and continents on the medieval maps were _____.

a) precise b) inaccurate c) accurate d) as per the scale

2) _____had sailed from places like Norway to Greenland and Canada around 1000 CE.

a) Marco Polo b) Vikings c) Christopher Columbus d) Vasco da Gama

3) The Age of Discovery was the period when _____ became a global power.

a) Europe b) Australia c) Africa d) Asia

4) _____ and exploitation of foreign lands created great wealth for Europe.

a) Innovation b) Exploration c) Discovery d) Invention

5) _____ sailed the oceans and established colonies all over the world.

a) Historians b) Scientists c) Explorers d) Archaeologists

6)Mention five European countries that sent out explorers during the Age of discovery.

7)Why is the early modern period of the European history called as the Age of Discovery?

Before _____century, European understanding of world geography was _____. The shape of _____ and _____ on _____maps were not very accurate. This changed when _____entered into a new, _____ period in the early _____ century, where they started exploring new lands. Thus, this period of history is called the Age of Discovery.

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8)Increase in trade and shipping led to a more stable financial and banking system in Europe. Justify.

During the Renaissance there were developments of new _____,

_____, and _____. Farms became

_____productive, which helped the European economy grow _____. Trade

routes were _____, along with a _____ demand for resources. This led to a

more _____ financial and banking system in Europe.

9)State the reasons for the exploration of new lands by various Europeans.

Europeans wanted to spread their _____ in addition to other reasons. They wanted to

find products to _____. They wanted to find treasure, especially _____and to explore

_____ territories as they wanted to become _____ and _____.

They also wanted to establish _____ or settlements for people of

_____ countries.

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