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1. This economic system grew when merchants started sending ships to new lands following the age of exploration. Under this system, people are free to make a profit, own wealth, and to use their wealth any way they want (so long as it is legal).

2. What was this profitable capitalist enterprise that traded in a perishable cargo which was Africa's chief export?

3. Kings in Europe grew powerful from international trade which gave them the wealth to build large armies and navies. These all-powerful kings claimed to rule with rights granted by God. What is the term used to describe these god-kings?

4. What is the name given to the shipping route that followed favorable ocean currents and trade winds between Europe, Africa, and the Americas.

5. These organizations were formed to finance expensive trading voyages to new colonies and distant lands. As with modern corporations, investors share the expense and the risk by purchasing shares in the business.

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1. The voyages of discovery, classical literature, and the Reformation opened people's minds to new ideas. What is the name now given to the explosion of new ideas and knowledge from people such as Galileo, Newton, Harvey, and von Leeuwenhoek?
2. The Divine Right monarchs wanted a new kind of art which would reflect their greatness. They supported art that was complex and dazzling, filled with ornamentation and gold. What was this new style of art designed to glorify the kings and church and to keep other people in their place?
3. He ruled the most powerful country in Europe for 72 years by shrewdly controlling his country's nobility. He is considered the grandest of the "god kings" and he liked to be called the "Sun King."
4. Pioneering scientists of the 1600s developed a logical procedure for gathering information and testing new ideas. What is this procedure still used by scientists today?
5. Built by the Sun King 12 miles outside of Paris, this enormous palace was surrounded by huge gardens and hundreds of fountains. Other monarchs in Europe tried to copy the grandeur of this palace, but none ever equaled it.