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Quiz #2

1. The Twelve Tables were the written laws of

- ☐ 1. ancient Babylonia
- ☐ 2. the Mauryan Empire
- ☐ 3. the British Empire
- ☐ 4. ancient Rome

2. The political system of the ancient Roman Empire was characterized by

- ☐ 1. a strong central government
- ☐ 2. rule by a coalition of emperors and religious leaders
- ☐ 3. universal suffrage in national elections
- ☐ 4. strict adherence to constitutional principles

3. An immediate result of the fall of the Roman Empire was

- ☐ 1. a renewed interest in education and the arts
- ☐ 2. a period of disorder and weak central government
- ☐ 3. an increase in trade and manufacturing
- ☐ 4. the growth of cities and dominance by the middle class

4. Which condition characterized Europe after the fall of the Roman Empire and China after the fall of the Manchu dynasty?

- ☐ 1. weak centralized authority and interference from outsiders
- ☐ 2. renewed interest in artistic pursuits such as painting and sculpture
- ☐ 3. democratic rule and a coordinated economic policy
- ☐ 4. increased construction of roads, bridges, and other public works

5. One contribution of ancient Roman culture was the development of

- ☐ 1. the concept of zero
- ☐ 2. the process of making silk
- ☐ 3. a republican form of government
- ☐ 4. the printing press

6. One way in which the Han dynasty and the Roman Empire were similar is that both

- ☐ 1. governed large areas around the Mediterranean Sea
- ☐ 2. created democratic societies in which people elected their government officials
- ☐ 3. developed a social system in which great equality existed
- ☐ 4. promoted unity and communication by building a strong system of roads

7. China under the Han dynasty and the Roman Empire were similar in that both grew wealthy because they

- ☐ 1. developed extensive trade networks
- ☐ 2. created classless societies
- ☐ 3. encouraged democratic ideals
- ☐ 4. established free-market economies

8. Important long-term contributions of ancient Greek and Roman civilizations are primarily found in the area of

- ☐ 1. military technology
- ☐ 2. religious doctrine
- ☐ 3. economic policy and planning
- ☐ 4. government and law