

Lone Star - Cypress Center

HIST 1301 - Exam One

Fall 2020

Directions: Answer **two** of the following four questions in, ***at least, three paragraphs*** for each question.

1. Why study history at all if historical accounts are so far removed from the past they are attempting to understand?
2. Explain the following statement: 'History is written by the winners.'
3. The colony of Roanoke, set up by the English in the late 1500's, disappeared without a trace and no trace of them has ever been found to this day almost 500 years later. According to the video seen in class, what probably happened to colonists? Why?
4. In 1765, the North American colonies were happy to be part of the British Empire. By 1775, the same colonies were in an uproar, demanding equal representation in Parliament and stating 'No taxation without representation'. What happened? Why did it happen?