

2019 UNIT 1 TEST AT ESSAY: Native Americans vs. Colonists

I. Introduction

A. Topic

From 1500 to 1750 many historical events have took place, one of them being ~~the colonist from the 13 colonies~~ ^{Englishmen} settling within the 13 colonies making them "colonists". ^{The} Colonists ~~that~~ were not familiar

B. Developed THESIS

with its environment and what shock them was the Native Americans that were living there. Economics and trade was an important element to distinguish these two different groups, but its social structure, religion, and gender role were more of the main principle contrast between Native American and the Colonists. Very good start + thesis

II. Support 1: SOCIAL STRUCTURE

A. Topic Sentence

Social structure was one of the key elements to differ between Native Americans and the colonist as it was very different from

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one another. Trade and ecomics were important, but the two different participates within these categories in a similar way, thus making its

2. Explain details

difference in social structure stand out more. The NA's share everything, they believe that sharing is a necessity to survival within the tribes, ~~but~~ and they ~~do~~ ^{do} not have any hierarchy

3. Specific EXAMPLE

within its group. For instance, the Potlatch, it is an event were the Native Americans gather and the more wealthy will share their items

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and object to claim a "rank" within the tribe or is an opportunity to gain a better reputation within the group. The Native Americans do

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not have a hierarchy, but if they do want to seem more superior, ~~they~~ they will have to share a lot and care a lot of the people, the ranking depends on

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how useful an individual is to the community. To contrast, the colonist don't share, rather they accumulate resources for themselves and rise

4. specific example

to a better rank, ~~through how wealthy~~ The colonists thinks about themselves first before any one else. For example, the Southern

specific details

colonies, especially in Jamestown, Virginia were Tobacco plantation are really popular, but rather themselves (plantation owners) ~~do the~~

~~work~~ labor themselves they buy slaves to help them. This shows a clear hierarchy within their community as they look down on slaves

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and sells them. There were even ads in Charles Town, South use of primary document
Carolina ~~announcing~~ announcing "... about 250 fine healthy" slaves to be
"... sold on board. (Primary source 2A) Thus showcasing the difference
between the NA & the colonists' social structure, where the NA phrase

Community everyone is equal while the colonists' community were not III. Support #2

Talking about equality, gender equality also played a big role A. Topic Sentence
to show the difference between NA and the colonists other than explain

trade and economics. To begin with, the Native Americans as
stated earlier, "share everything" and are equal for instance, B. Specific
women and men were equal. In the Iroquois Tribe, women had the very good
right to select chief, harvest, and even own property. This
shows how much women has a say within the community. In addition, 2 real
in the Powhatan Tribe, women could even fight on the battlefield /
help out in war which makes it totally different from the colonists. examples

The colonist were the exact opposite of NAs, they believe women and
men are not equal. Women in their community basically had no rights,
no say in anything, their only job was to take care of the children and be
a housewife. For example, the Mayflower Compact, all men signed, another real
women. This shows how women did not have any say within the excellent
government. therefore, the difference of NA and the colonist were
obvious as the Native Americans have gender equality while the
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IV. Support #3
Religion

Finally, ~~the~~ As trade and economic played a role to differ
between the Native American and the colonists, Religion still
played a more important role within these two groups. The Native
Americans were Polytheistic, meaning they believe in more than
one god. For example, the Powhatan Tribe believed in Ahoone
which is the creator and the giver of good things, while
they also believed in an evil spirit, Okeus, which could bring them
badluck. The Powhatan Tribe believed in these two gods and
bring them goods hoping for a good year for their tribe.

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If some of the people within the tribe did not believe in them, it was ~~that~~ fine. People could believe in what they want to believe, but the colonists was different. The colonists was monotheistic, meaning they only believe in one god.

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This mainly applied to the northern colonies, mostly were all Puritans. The Puritans then were catholic and read the Bible

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The Puritans believed that believing ~~in~~ in their god and reading the Bible will help them go to heaven while the Native Americans were different in that way. The NAs bring their

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goods items to give them a good harvest year. Thus, this makes the difference between the NA and the colonists obvious as the NAs were polytheistic while the colonists were monotheistic.

V. CONCLUSION

Summarize
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Upon the colonists' arrival to the New World, the difference between the Native Americans and them became obvious. As it is seen through social structure, ~~the~~ gender equality, and religion. Trade and economics played a major role as well since they approach these two categories in a similar, but different way. Since they both participate within the Global Trade in ~~different~~ ways as well as ~~making~~ becoming wealthier through trading, but ultimately to establish the differences ^{all the} talking about its social structure, gender equality, and religion ~~is~~ makes the difference between these two groups more apparent.

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