

WORLD HISTORY

SECTION II

Total Time—1 hour and 40 minutes

Question 2, 3, or 4 (Long Essay)

Suggested writing time: 40 minutes

Directions: Answer Question 2 **or** Question 3 **or** Question 4. In your response you should do the following.

- Respond to the prompt with a historically defensible thesis or claim that establishes a line of reasoning.
 - Describe a broader historical context relevant to the prompt.
 - Support an argument in response to the prompt using specific and relevant examples of evidence.
 - Use historical reasoning (e.g., comparison, causation, continuity or change over time) to frame or structure an argument that addresses the prompt.
 - Use evidence to corroborate, qualify, or modify an argument that addresses the prompt.
2. Develop an argument that evaluates how the interregional trading practices of the British compared with that of Portugal during the time period of 1450-1750 CE.
3. Develop an argument that evaluates how the colonization efforts of Spain compared with that of Britain and France during the 17th and 18th centuries.
4. Develop an argument that evaluates how European influence in the western hemisphere compared with that of European influence in Africa and Asia between 1450-1750 CE.