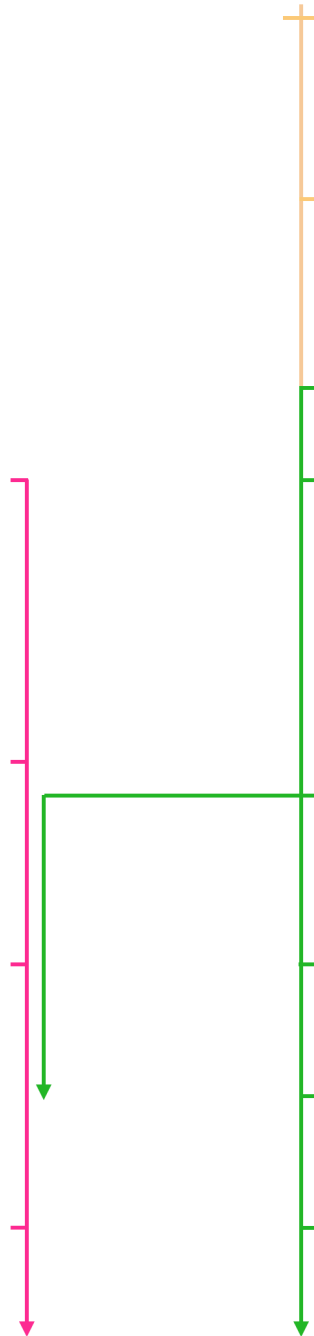


Part 1: Europe, Russia, and the World We Live In

1. Fill in the given timeline of ancient, European, and Russian history with dates and descriptions of the events (*Descriptions should be just a few words — NOT complete sentences.*)



5. Although Sparta was an aristocracy like other Greek city-states, what term best describes its government and why?

6. Why did Sparta and Athens fight Persia together? Tragically, what happened after they defeated Persia?

Part 3: Ancient Rome

7. The early Roman government is known as a “republic”? What was the role of the consuls in this government? Why were the limitations on their power not enough to satisfy the plebeians of Rome, and what did they first insist upon as a way to address the problem?

8. What two changes to the Roman constitution led to more equality between the patricians and plebeians, and how?

9. How did the Romans maintain their republic when they first started building an empire? How did this system break down?

10. What was the nature of monarchy during the period of the Roman empire? How did Diocletian try to address the problem?

11. Which Roman emperors helped the rise of Christianity in their empire, and how? As their authority collapsed, to whom did the people and the new barbarian leaders turn to lead their new civilization?
