

**Early Latin America**  
from World Civilizations chapter 19

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Key Terms</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">encomiendas Hernan Cortes Francisco Pizarro mita haciendas Potosi galleons Treaty of Tordesillas Council of the Indies viceroyalties peninsulares Creoles mestizo</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Big Picture</b></p> <p>Portugal and Spain imposed dependent colonies on the indigenous peoples of Latin America. In the New World, Europeans tended to bring their way of life with them while Native American peoples attempted to maintain their own ways of life. New World colonies were exploitative. Wherever possible, plantation forms of agriculture based on coercive labor systems were established. The mining of precious metals was another aspect of European exploitation of the New World.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Answers to In Depth</b> The Great Exchange</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MAKE SURE YOU READ THIS!!!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Objectives</b></p> <p>Students should understand:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. demographic and environmental changes caused by the discovery of the New World and the Columbian Exchange.</li> <li>2. coercive labor systems used by the Spanish in the New World</li> <li>3. the nature of Spanish administration in the New World</li> </ol>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Document Analysis</b> A Vision from the Vanquished</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chapter Questions</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. How did the Spanish conquer the New World?</li> <li>2. What was the nature of the exploitation of Indians in the Americas?</li> <li>3. Explain the economy of the Americas. What role did plantations and haciendas play?</li> <li>4. What was the nature of Spanish administration in the American colonies?</li> <li>5. Why does the book call Brazil the “first plantation colony”?</li> <li>6. Explain the social organization of the Americas.</li> <li>7. What challenges were Spain and Portugal facing in the New World by the 18<sup>th</sup> century?</li> </ol>