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**Latin America History**

**STUDY GUIDE**

1. Define these terms:
   1. Conquistador:
   2. Columbian Exchange:
   3. Indigenous:
   4. Communism:
   5. Guerilla Warfare:
   6. Embargo:
2. Aztecs
   1. Where was their civilization located?
   2. What was their capital city?
   3. Who was their final leader?
   4. Which conquistador defeated them?
3. Incas
   1. Where was their civilization located?
   2. What was their capital city?
   3. Who was their final leader?
   4. Which conquistador defeated them?
4. List 3 reasons that both the Aztecs and Incas were easily defeated.
5. What was the Columbian Exchange?
   1. What was brought from Europe to the New World?
   2. What was brought from the Americas to Europe?
6. Miguel Hidalgo
   1. Which country did he help gain their independence?
   2. Which European country did he fight against?
   3. What was his nickname?
   4. What was Hidalgo’s job?
7. Toussaint L’Ouverture
   1. Which country did he help gain their independence?
   2. Which European country did he fight against?
   3. What was Toussaint born as?
8. Simon Bolivar
   1. Which countries did he help liberate?
   2. Which European country did he fight against?
   3. What was his nickname? Why?
9. Who were the Zapatistas? (Who did they fight against and what were they fighting for?)
10. Who led the Cuban Revolution?
11. Which European country supported the communist Cuban government?
12. Which 2 languages are most commonly spoke in Latin America?
    1. Why are those languages spoken in Latin America?