Athens A Dawn of Democracy

- 1. Who was the worlds first super power?
- 2. What was the acropolis?
- 3. What did Athenians do at the agora?
- 4. What was a hoplite?
- 5. What is a tyrant?
- 6. What happened when the aristocrats tried to take power back away from the poor?
- 7. How were the people chosen to be on the senate?
- 8. What happened that made the people of Athens rich?
- 9. Where did most slaves come from?
- 10. What made a person a citizen of Athens?
- 11. How were women forced to dress in Athens?
- 12. What did Athenians call the people who did not vote?
- 13. Why was "spin" important to Athenians? What was it?



- 14. What did Athenians do with all of the silver?
- 15. Why did the Athenians believe they were able to beat the Persians?
- 16. What happened to someone when the people believed a politician was growing too powerful?
- 17. Why did building on the neutral site of Delos stop?
- 18. Why was grain considered the "oil" of the ancient world? So much so, that Athens would charge the other city-states grain as a tax instead of silver for protecting the money and weapons of the Delian League?
- 19. How did Pericles defend his idea of building the Parthenon?
- 20. Why is it hard for the people of Greece to think of their "golden age" as a time of blood and war?

