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Topic 1.5 State-Building in Africa Graphic Organizer (c. 1200 – 1450)

AMSCO Ch.9 pgs. 161-173; Ways of the World pgs. 120-123

	Great Zimbabwe	Ethiopia (Axum)
Development: HOW did this society develop? What enabled this society to grow in power?		
CHANGE: What changes did this society experience during the 1200 to 1450 time period?		
Social <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social classes & social hierarchy • Who has power in society? • Gender roles and relations/patriarchy • Family and kinship 		
Political <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Type of government • Role of the government • Who rules? • How do they maintain power? 		
Interactions with the Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did the environment shape and/or impact this society? • Patterns of settlement 		
Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Religions, Belief systems, philosophies, & ideologies • The arts and architecture • Written works, theater, plays 		
Economic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agricultural and pastoral production • Trade and commerce • Labor systems • Tax collection and purposes 		
Technology & Innovation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human adaptation and innovation 		

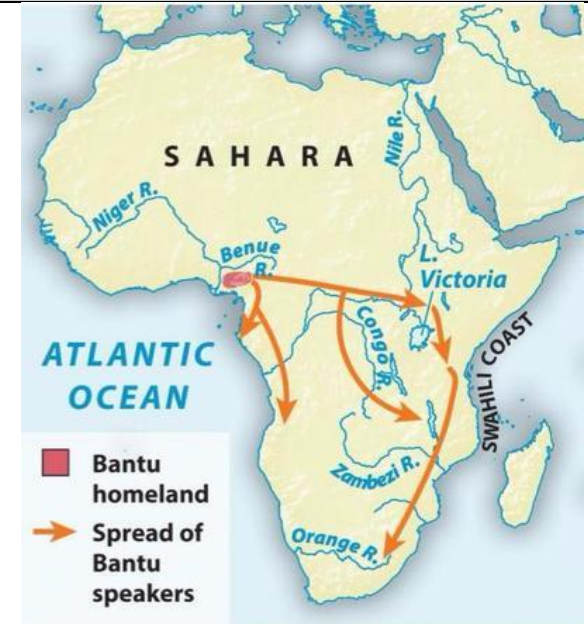
Great Zimbabwe



Ethiopia



Bantu Migrations



What was the impact of the Bantu migrations?