

Unit 2

Worldviews in Conflict

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Reading/Study Guide Unit 2 Activity

Chapter 11, Lesson 1

Answer the following questions. Type your responses between the blue brackets provided.

1. Which group of priests from Spain worked to convert the Aztecs to Christianity?

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2. Why did they want to convert the Aztecs to Christianity?

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3. Why did the Franciscan and other missionaries destroy the Aztec temples and codices?

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4. Why did some Aztecs continue to practice their religion in secret?

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5. What was the *encomienda system*?

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6. What social status did the Aztec people have in this system?

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Fill in this comparison chart about the Aztecs in Mexico, the Métis in western Canada, and the settlers in New France. Type your responses between the blue brackets provided.

	New Economic System	How did it work?	Who benefitted and why?
Aztecs	encomienda system	< >	< >
Métis	Dominion Lands Act	< >	< >
New France	seigneurial system	< >	< >