## Haitian Revolution Video Notes Name:

1. Saint Domingue was the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ capital of the world.
2. Why was sugar harvesting particularly brutal for slaves?
3. How many years would the normal slave survive in Saint Domingue?
4. What are some punishments used against slaves in Saint Domingue?
5. In what ways was Toussaint Louverture’s experience with slavery unusual for this time and place?
6. How were reactions to the French Rev different among the white and mixed race populations?
7. In 1791, the mixed race population sends a petition to the French government asking for what?
8. How does the white population react to the petition mentioned above?
9. Boukman Dutty called together a voodoo ceremony in 1791. How is that event the beginning of the Haitian Revolution?
10. What was the initial slave revolt (August 22nd-25th 1791) like?
11. Why was Toussaint Louverture’s position difficult during the slave revolt?
12. What did Toussaint Louverture do during the revolt?
13. What was the war between the freed slaves and white colonists like during the first few months?
14. Why did the slave revolt start to fail early in Louverture’s leadership?
15. Why did the whites of St Domingue refuse Louverture’s settlement offer?
16. Why did whites not really like the new governor, Léger-Félicité Sonthonax, do when he arrived in St Domingue?
17. Why was Spain willing to help Louverture’s army?
18. What European power came to help the whites of St. Domingue?
19. The Haitian delegation to the French government, sent by Sonthonax, made what argument to the French government?
20. What did the French government do after hearing from this delegation?
21. Who was Jean-Jacques Dessalines?
22. Why did Louverture and the blacks of St. Domingue rejoin the French in 1794?
23. How successful was Louverture and his army against the Spanish and English armies?
24. Why was Napoléon a problem for Louverture and St. Domingue?
25. Why did Louverture end up sending his followers back to the sugar cane fields?
26. What are 3 things that were declared by the (1801) constitution of St Domingue?
27. How did Napoléon feel about Louverture and free blacks of St Domingue?
28. How successful were Louverture and St Domnigue against Napoléon’s army?
29. The discovery that Napoléon had reinstated slavery in a nearby colony caused what even in St Domingue?
30. How did Dessalines force out the French army?
31. What was Louverture’s final fate?