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The Renaissance Web-Quest

Directions: Complete the five sections of this web-quest by using the accompanying link for each section.   Be observant and read closely as you navigate through each site -- if you cannot find the information you need, slow down and reread the text. Good luck!

The Birth of the Renaissance: https://www.khanacademy.org/humanities/renaissance-reformation/early-renaissance1/beginners-renaissance-florence/a/florence-in-the-early-renaissance

- What **country** does the Renaissance start in?

- Specially, where in this country does the Renaissance begin?

- How is this place different today than it was during the Renaissance?

- Outline on your map the variety of different city-states in Italy, then shade in ➡
  the city-state where the Renaissance was born: (Hint: start from the bottom and go up)

- What are at least TWO reasons why the "rebirth" of classic Greek and
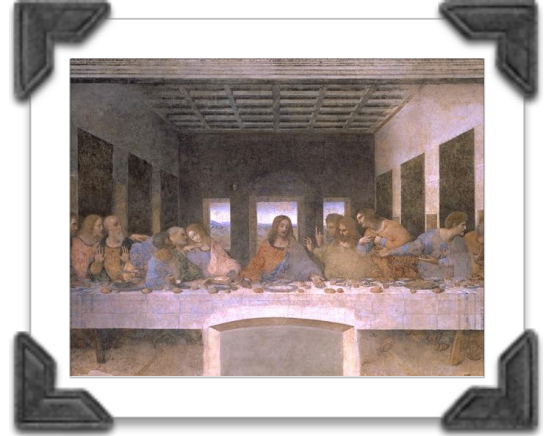 Roman styles happen here instead of other Italian city-states?

The Mona Lisa: http://www.bbc.co.uk/science/leonardo/gallery/monalisa.shtml

- Who painted the Mona Lisa?

- Many researchers believe there are two possibilities for who "Mona Lisa" actually was. Who could
  this painting be?

- How did the artist make the background look further away?

- Where is this painting kept today?

The Last Supper:

- Who painted the Last Supper?

- How long did this painting take to finish, and why did it take so long?

- What dangers has this piece of artwork had to endure in its lifetime?

The Sistine Chapel:

- What is the Sistine Chapel and were is it located?

- What is the chapel "renowned" for?

- How many different "scenes" did the artist depict, and where are these "scenes" from?

- Which pope commanded the artist to paint the ceiling?

David:

- What type of "art" is David and who is responsible for making it?

- Who does this work of art represent?

- How tall is David?

- What are at least TWO other facts regarding this masterpiece?

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