World History Ms. Twomey

Summer Reading: *History of the World in 6 Glasses*

Chapter 7: The Great Soberer

1. Why did coffee become a preferred drink over alcohol?
2. How was coffee discovered?
3. Explain the difference in public opinion of a tavern and a coffee house.
4. Explain how coffee was introduced to the Americas?

Chapter 8: Coffeehouse and the Internet

1. Why was the coffee house an important part of life in London, England?
2. How did the London Stock Exchange develop?
3. How did the London coffee houses shape science and finances?
4. How were Voltaire’s views received?
5. How were French and English coffee houses similar? Different?
6. How did the French Revolution begin?
7. What do today’s coffee shops have in common the early coffee shops of Europe and the Americas?