

Chapter 20, Section 3

African American Culture

(Pages 626–630)

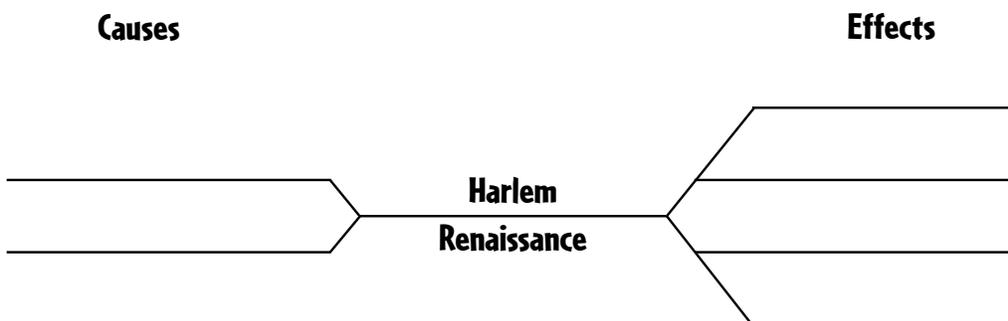
Reason To Read

Setting a Purpose for Reading Think about these questions as you read:

- How did the Harlem Renaissance lead to a rediscovery of African American cultural roots?
- Why was there an increase in African American political activism?

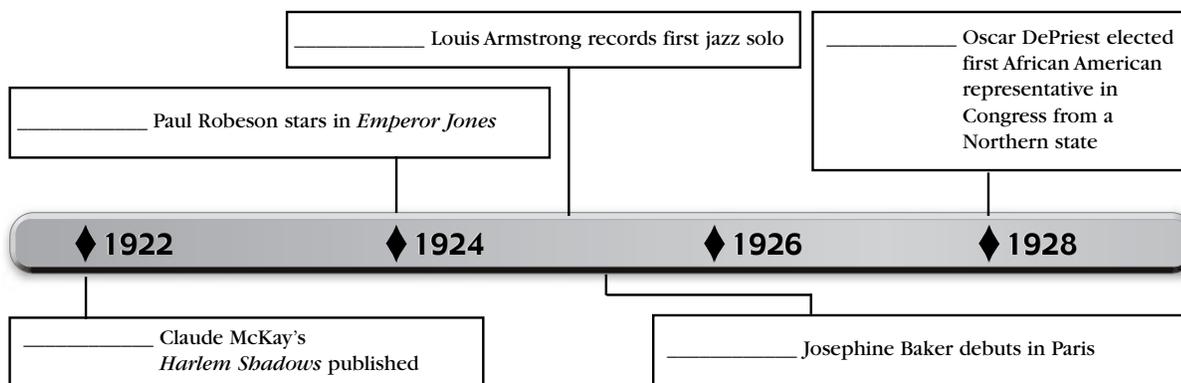
Main Idea

As you read pages 626–630 in your textbook, complete the graphic organizer below by filling in the causes and effects of the Harlem Renaissance.



Sequencing Events

As you read, write the correct dates next to each item on the time line below.



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The Harlem Renaissance (pages 626–628)

Outlining

As you read this lesson, fill in the outline below.

I. The Writers

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

II. Jazz, Blues, and the Theater

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____

Terms To Know

Define or describe the following key terms from this lesson.

jazz

blues

Academic Vocabulary

Define the following academic vocabulary word from this lesson.

contemporary

Terms To Review

Use each of the following terms, which you studied in an earlier chapter, in a sentence that reflects the term's meaning in this lesson.

author
(Chapter 13, Section 3)

style
(Chapter 15, Section 3)

African American Politics (pages 629–630)

Drawing Conclusions

As you read, write down three details about African American politics in the 1920s. Then write a conclusion on the basis of these details.

Conclusion

Academic Vocabulary

Define the following key terms from this lesson.

editor

margin

Terms To Review

Use a form of each of the following terms, which you studied in an earlier chapter, to fill in the blanks of the sentences below.

achievement
(Chapter 7, Section 4)

attitude
(Chapter 8, Section 4)

1. African Americans developed new _____ after World War I.
2. The _____ of Justice Parker concerning racism and labor helped defeat his quest for a Supreme Court seat.
3. The _____ of African Americans in the arts and politics brought new pride and hope.

Section Wrap-up

Now that you have read the section, answer these questions from Setting a Purpose for Reading at the beginning of the section.

How did the Harlem Renaissance lead to a rediscovery of African American cultural roots?

Why was there an increase in African American political activism?
