

Study guide

What you need to know, in order of greatest to least importance:

1. Immigration and xenophobia
 - a. Sacco and Vanzetti
 - b. People were afraid and resentful of foreigners for several reasons – war, competition for jobs, politics, etc.
 - c. Be sure to review what the US did in response to this threat. Study the Quota Act of 1921 and the Immigration Act of 1924 very closely
 - d. Nativist movement – what did it mean? What tactics did they use?
2. Women's rights.
 - a. How did WWI affect women's roles?
 - b. What made the flappers different than previous generations of women?
 - c. 19th Amendment
3. Prohibition
 - a. Why did it happen?
 - b. What happened as a result, especially in big cities?
4. Emerging technologies of the 1920s
 - a. Assembly lines and the rise of Ford
 - i. "Car culture" and its many ancillary businesses
 - b. Radio
 - c. Switch from wartime to peacetime economy
 - d. Be sure you can define "consumer goods"
5. Urbanization

If you know what's above, you'll do well.

Bonus question will be: What were Sacco and Vanzetti's first names?