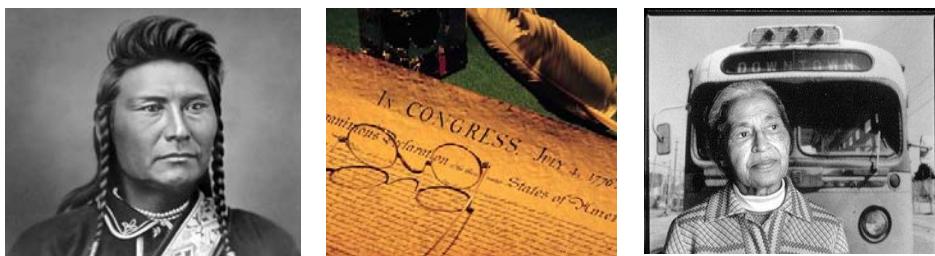


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ENGLISH	TWI
A	
abolition	ntwamu
abuses	ayayade ahorow
acculturation	amammerɛ foforo a wɔyɛ bi
adaptation	Nsakrae a wɔyɛ
advantages	mfaso horow
agrarian	fa kuadwuma ho
Albany Plan of Union	Albany Nkabom Nhyehyɛe
alien	baabi foforo de(foforo)
alliance	nkabom
alliances	nkabom ahorow
Allied powers	tumidi ahorow nkabom
amendment	nsakrae
American Federation of Labor	Amerika Adwumayɛfo Nkabom
American Railway Union	Amerika Keteke kwantu Nkabom Kuw
American Revolution	Amerika Nsesae(Amerika man no anidan)
American system (Clay)	Amerika nhyehyɛe (Clay)
ancestors	Nananom
ancestors worship	nananom som
animism	abɔde biara wɔ ɔkra gyidi (gyidi a εne sε abɔde biara wɔ ɔkra)
Annapolis Convention	Annapolis Tirimbɔ/Nhyiam
anthropology	nnipa ho atetesɛm ne abakɔsɛm ho nhomasua
Anti-Federalists	Wɔn a wɔtaa aban nkyekyem akyi
appeasement	Mpata
apportionment	Nkyekyem
architectural drawings	adan nseso mfonin
army	asraafø
Articles of Confederation	Aban Nkyekyem ho Nkrataa
artifacts	anwenne
assassination	otitiriw awudi (Sε wodi otitiriw bi awu)
assassinations	nnipa atitiriw awudi
Assembly	Kuw/nhyiam
astronauts	Wim/ɔsram so akwantufo
atomic bomb	atɔm topae
austerity	de nneɛma kame wo ho
autonomy	de ne ho
Axis powers	Axis tumi horow
Aztecs	Astɛkfo
B	
baby boom	awo nkɔanim (awo dodow)
banking	Sikakora
Berlin airlift	Berlin sorokɔ
Berlin Wall	Berlin Fasu
bicameral	wɔ mmarahyɛ bagua abien
bicameral legislature	mmarahyɛ bagua abien

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blitzkrieg	ntɛmso ɔko (ahɔɔhare so ɔko)
Bolshevik Revolution	Bolshevik Nsesae (Bolshevik Anidan)
bonds	nkabom horow
British North America Act	Britain Amerika Atifi Mmara
Buddhism	Buddhasom
business	Aguadi (adwuma/adwumayε)
business organization	aguadi ahyehyεde (adwumakuw)
C	
Camp David Accord	Camp David Adwenkoro
campaign	baguam ɔyεkyere (ɔsatu)
Canada	Canada
Canadian Bill of Rights	Canada Fahodi Mmara (Canada Ahofadi Mmara)
canal	Nsuten (suka)
Caribbean	Karibeani
categories	kuw ahorow (akuwakuw)
Catholics	Katolekfo
census reports	nnipa dodow amaneεbɔ
Central America	Amεrika Mfinimfini
characteristics	su ahorow
checks and balances	anohyeto ne peyε nhyehyε
chemical warfare	ɔko a wɔde nnuru di dwuma
child labor	mmofra adwumaden (mmofra a wɔde wɔn yε adwumaden)
Christianity	Kristosom
chronological order	Nnidiso nnidiso
chronology	Nnidiso nnidiso
civil service	aban adwumayε
civil war	ɔman mu ɔko (ɔman ko)
clan	abusuakuw
Cold War	Amanyɔsem mu Ntawantawadi
collapse	dwiriw gu (gu)
commerce	aguadi
Common good	Obiara yiyeedi
communism	aban nhyehyε a ankoroankoro ntumi nnya agyapade
communist nations	aman a ankoroankoro ntumi nnya agyapade wom
competition	akansi
compromise	nsem mu gyae (ntease)
Compromise of 1850	1850 Nsem mu gyae (1850 ntease)
Confucianism	Confucius ɔsom (Konfusiosom)
conscription	ɔkyere (Sε wɔkyere obi hyε no ma ɔko sraadi)
Conservation Day	Adekora Da
Constitutional Amendments	Mmara Kunini mu Nsakrae
Constitutional Convention	Mmara Kunini ho Tirimbo
construction	adansi
consumer society	adetɔfo kuw
consumption	adidi

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containment	kura ade wom (siw ano/ se wosiw biribi ano)
continental congress	amanaman nhiam
convention	nhiam
cooperation	biakoye/nkitahodi
corruption	ɔporɔw/keteasehye
cotton	asaawa
court cases	asennibea nsem (nsem a wa asennibea)
credit	Bosea/de firi
Cuban missile crisis	Cuba bemma chaw mmere
cultural diffusion	amammerε nkentenso
cultural diversity	amammerε ahorow
cultural identity	amammerε soronkoye
cultural patterns	amammerε mu ahysode ahorow
cultural understanding	amammerε mu ntease
currency	ɔman bi sika
D	
debate	akyinnyegye
Democratic Party	Ka bi ma menka bi Amanyokuw
democratic society	Ka bi ma menka bi ahyeheyde
depression	sikasem a aba fam
depressions	sikasem a aba fam ahorow
deregulation	aban agyapade a wode ma ankoroankoro
direct election of Senators	Mmarahye fo a wɔpaw wɔn tee
direct versus indirect election	abatow a εye tee ne nea εnye tee
disabled	adi dɛm
disadvantages	nea εnye wɔn ho (nea ennye wɔ ho)
disarmament	akode a wɔgyegye
discrimination	nhwehwəanim (nyiyim)
diseases	nyarewa
doctrine	ɔsom nkyerεkyere
domestic	fie/ɔman mu ade
Domestic policy	fie/ɔman mu mmara
draft riots	ɔyεkyere nhwesode
Dust Bowl	Dôte Beae (Beae amfutuma wɔ)
E	
Eastern Hemisphere	Asase no Apuei
economic development	sikasem mu nkoso
Economies (traditional, command, market, and mixed)	Sikasem mu nhyeheyε (tete, aban, aguadifo, ne afrafra de)
elastic clause	asem a wotumi twe mu
electoral	fa abatow ho
emancipation	fahodi
Emancipation Proclamation	Fahodi Mpaemuka (Ahofadi ho Mpaemuka)
Embargo Act	Anohyeto Mmara
emergence	pue a biribi pue
empathy	tema

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F	
fact / opinion	nokwasem/adwenkyere
famine	aduankom
Far West	Akyirikyiri Atœ
farmer	okuani
fauna	mmoa a wɔcw beae bi
federal	fa ɔman ho
“federal” (“national”) government	ɔman nyinaa aban
Federal Reserve Act	United States Sikakorabea Kunini Mmara
federal system	aban a wɔakyekyem
federal union	aban a wɔakyekyem nkabom
Federalism	aban a wɔakyekyem nsusuwii
Federalist Papers	Aban a wɔakyekyem Nkrataa
Federalists	Nea ɔhye ɔman aban ho nkuran
Filipinos	Filipinfo
financial institutions	sikakora ahyehyede (nnwumakuw) horow
First Continental Congress	Amanaman Nhyiam a edi kan
flora	afifide nyinaa a εωcw beae bi
foreign	fi ɔman foforo mu (amanone)
foreign aid	mmoa a efi ɔman foforo so (mmoa a efi amanone)
foreign markets	amanone aguadibea horow
foreign policy	aman afoforo nkitahodi gyinapen
foreign trade	amanone aguadi
Fort Sumter	Sumter Asraafø tenabea
Fourteen Points	Mmeae Dunan
franchise	aguadi hokwan
freedom trail	fahodi nkae
French and Indian War	Franse ne India ɔko
French Revolution	Fransefo Nsesae (France anidan)
French-Canadian	nea ofi Franse ne Canada
frontier	hye
fugitive slave laws	mmara a εfa nkoa a wɔaguan ho
G	
gender	bɔbeasu
genocide	abusuakuw bi asetore
global economy	wiase sikasem nhyehey
“Good Neighbor Policy”	“Yɔnkopayè ho Mmara”
graduated income tax	tow wɔ akatua so a wɔahyehy
Grange	Afuw bi a εda akyiri baabi
Great Britain	Great Britain
Great Compromise	Nsem mu Gyae Kese
Greece	Greece (Hela)
grids	asase mfonin mu nkyekyem

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H	
Harlem Renaissance	Harlem Foforoyε
Haymarket Riot	Haymarket Ḷyεkyerε
heroes	mmarima nkonomdifo
heroines	mmea nkonomdifo
Hinduism	Hindusom
historian	abakɔsem kyerewfo
historical analysis	abakɔsem mu nsusuwho/nhwehwemu)
historical development	nkɔso ho abakɔsem (abakɔsem mu nkɔso)
holocaust	nnipa pii awudi (nnipadɔm asetɔre wɔ ɔko mu)
human dignity	obu ma nnipa (nnidi awode ma nnipa)
human rights violations	nnipa fahodi a wotiatia so (nnipa ahofadi a wobu so)
I	
identity	soronkoyε (ɛda nsow/ahyɛnsode)
illustrate	ma nhwɛso
impact	nsunsuanso
impacts	nsunsuanso horow
impeachment	Ntwatoso (Bɔ obi sobo)
imperialism	hye mu trew tirimbɔ (Se ɔman bi trew ne nniso/tumidi mu)
imperialist	nea ogye hye mu trew di
incarceration	Afiaseto (Se wɔde obi bɛto afiase)
Incas	Inkafo
income	akatua
income tax	akatua so tow
India	India
indigenous development	mpɔtam nkɔso
industrial	fa mfiridwuma ho
industrial power	mfiridwuma man
Industrial Revolution	Nsakrae fi kuaye kɔ mfiridwuma mu
Industrial Workers of the World	Wiase mu Mfirimwuma mu Adwumayɛfo
inflation	nneɛma bo rekɔ soro
initiative	fi wope mu yε ade
institution	ahyehyɛde
integrity	mudi
interactions	Nkitahodi ahorow
international	aman ahorow (amanaman)
internment	dan mu a wɔde obi to
interrelationships	abusuabɔ horow
interstate	mantam ahorow mu
interstate commerce	mantam ahorow ntam aguadi
interstate highway system	mantam ahorow ntam akwantempɔn
intervention	de ne ho gye mu
intolerance	kwan a wɔmma
investments	nnwuma mu a wɔde sika ahyehyε
involvement	de wo ho hyε mu
Irish	Irelandni
Islam	Kramosom

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isolation	te a eṭe ne ho
isolationism	te a ḡman bi te ne ho
Italy	Italy
J	
Japanese	Japanfo
Japanese-Americans	Wɔn a wofi Japan ne Amerika
Jews	Yudafo
Judaism	Yudasom
Judicial review	Aṣem a wɔsan hwehwɛ mu mmara kwan so
justice	atentrennee
K	
Kansas-Nebraska Act	Kansas-Nebraska Mmara
Kellogg-Briand Pact	Kellogg-Briand Krataa
kinship	abusuabɔ
Knights of Labor	Adwuma ho Anuonyamfo
Korean War	Korea Ḍko
L	
labor markets	mmeae a wɔfa adwumayɛfo
labor union	adwumayɛfo nkabom
land bridge	asase so brigye
Land Ordinance of 1785	1785 Asase ho Mmara
Latin America	Latin Amerika
latitude	asase hama fi atœ kɔ apuei (tɛtretɛ)
League of Nations	Amanaman Nkabom (Amanaman Apam)
legislation	mmarahyɛ
legislature	mmarahyɛ bagua
leisure activities	ahomegye nnwuma
life expectancy	Asetena bere (mfe dodow a obi de tena ase)
limited government	aban a ewɔ anohyeto
Lincoln-Douglas debate	Lincoln-Douglas akyinnyegye
literature	nsem a wɔakyerɛw (nhoma a wɔakyerɛw)
longitude	asase hama fi atifi ba anafo
Louisiana Purchase	Louisiana Adetɔ
loyalists	nokwaredifo
M	
Manhattan Project	Manhattan Adwuma
Manifest Destiny	Tumidi Nkrabea
majority rule	dɔm kese tumidi
manufactured goods	nneɛma a wɔayɛ
manufacturing	adeyɛ
Marshall Plan	Marshall Nhyehyɛe
Mayas	Mayafo
Mayflower Compact	Mayflower Adwenkoro
Memorial Day	Nkae Da
mercantilism	ahode mmoano nhyehyɛe
Mexican War	Mexico Ḍko
Mexicans	Mexicofo

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Middle Ages	Mfinimfini Mmere
middle class	adantamfo
Midwest	Mfinimfini atœ
military	sraadi
minorities	dɔm nkumaa (akumaa)
minority	dɔm kumaa
Missouri Compromise	Missouri Ntease/Nsɛm mu Gyae
Mobile society	nnipakuw a wɔntena faako
mobilization	mmoaboano
Monroe Doctrine	Monroe Nkyerɛkyerɛ
monuments	nkaedum horow
Muckrakers	Nsɛmkekafo
N	
NAACP	NAACP
NAFTA	NAFTA
narratives	asɛm nkyerɛkyerɛmu
national	fa ɔman ho
national origins	ɔman mu fibea horow
nationalism	ɔmanpɛ
Native American Indians	Amerika Indiani ankasa
NATO	NATO
natural boundaries	hye ahorow
natural resources	abɔde mu nneɛma
naturalization	ma biribi ne abɔde hyia
navigation	Akwantu (nsu/po so akwantu)
navy	po asraafo (nsu/po so asraafo)
Nazi Germany	Nazi Germany (Germany Nasi)
Nazi Holocaust	Nazi Awudi
Neolithic Revolution	afe 10,000 A.Y.B. reba Nsesae
neutrality	ɔfa biara a wonni
New Deal	Nhyehyɛe Foforo
newspapers	atesɛm nkrataa
noninterference ("laissez-faire")	fahodi a wɔde ma tumidi
"normalcy"	"nea etaa ye"
Northwest Ordinance	Atifi atœ Mmara
nuclear	nukle
nuclear families	mmusua nketewa
nuclear family	abusua ketewa
nullification	biribi tumi a woyi fi ho
O	
oil	ngo
Open Door Policy	Obiara Tumi Ba (Hokwan ma Obiara)
opportunity costs	nea wode abɔ afɔre
oppression	nhyɛso
oral histories	abakɔsɛm ahorow a enni kyerɛwtohɔ
ordinance	mmara
Oregon Territory	Oregon Asasesin

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overpopulation	kurow mufo a wɔredɔso dodow (nnipa dodow a osɔɔredɔ)
P	
Panama Canal	Panama Nsuten/Suka
Parliament	Mmarahye bagua
patriots	ɔman mma
Patroonship system	tete mmere mu nnipa bi a na ɔwɔ hokwan wɔ Amerika nhyehye
peace	Asomdwoe
peacekeeping	asomdwoe mu kura
perceptions	adwene horow a wokura
periodization's	bere a wɔde bata
persecution	ɔtaa
Persian Gulf War	Persian Gulf ɔko
perspective	senea wohu no
pioneers	adikanfo
plantation	afuw kese
plantation system	afuw kese a wɔyε
pledge of allegiance	nokwaredi ho bɔhyε
policy	Mmara/ nhyehye
political boundaries	amammui mu hye horow
political parties	amanyɔkuw horow
political power	amanyɔ tumidi (amammui tumidi)
politics	amanyɔsɛm
popular vote	nnipa dodow abatow
Populist movement	Nnipakuw a wɔbɔ biribi ho dawuru
postwar	ɔko akyi
Poughkeepsie Convention	Poughkeepsie Tirimbɔ
poverty	ohia
preamble	nnianim nsɛm
precedent	kan asɛm a esii
Preindustrial Age	Ansa na mfiridwuma reba
President's cabinet	ɔmanpanyin afotufo
primary elections	abatow a edi kan
primary sources	fibea horow ankasa
principles	nniyinasosɛm
privileges	hokwan horow
proclamation	mpaemuka
productivity	nneɛma dodow a wotumi yε
profit	mfaso
progressive	renya nkɔanim
Progressive leaders	Akannifo a wɔma nkɔso ba
prohibition	bara a wɔbara
propaganda	nnaada
prosperity	yiyedi
protests	ɔyεkyere horow
psychology	nnipa nsusuwii ho nhomasua
Puritans	wɔn a wɔn asetena yε wosee

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pursuit of happiness	anigye akyidi
Q	
Quakers	George Fox akyidifo
Quebec Act	Quebec Mmara
Quota Act	Quota Mmara
R	
racial	fa beae a obi fi ho
racial discrimination	abusuakuw mu nhwehwéanim
racism	abusuakuw animtiaabu (nnipa mu nyiyim)
railroads	keteke akwan
ratification	gye a wogyetom
rationing	adekyekyε
recall	sankofa/twe san
recall election	sankofa abatow
reconstruction	ade a wɔsan hyehyε
reductions	nteso horow
referendum	abatow
reform	yε nsakrae
reform movement	Nnipakuw a wɔrepε nsakrae
regulation	Mmara/akwankyerε
reliability	senea wotumi de ho to so
relief	mmoa
Renaissance	Foforoyε
reparation	nsiananmu
reparations	nsiananmu horow
representation	sεnkyerεnne
repression	ntiatiaso
“Republican” government	“Republican” aban
Republican Party	Republican Amanyɔkuw
resignation	adwuma a wogyae
restrict	to ano hye
Rights of the minority	Hokwan ahorow a dɔm kumaa wɔ
river civilizations (Mesopotamia, Egypt, China, Indus Valley)	nsu ho aman (Mesopotamia, Egypt , China, Indus Bun
Rome	Rome
Roosevelt Corollary	Roosevelt Nsunsuanso
Roosevelt’s Executive Order 8802	Roosevelt’s Mmara 8802
Roosevelt’s Treaty of Portsmouth	Roosevelt Portsmouth Krataa
S	
scandals	nseku horow (nsem a εyε aniwu a wɔka fa afoforo ho)
scholars	animdefo
scientific	fa abɔde mu nhomasua ho
sculpture	ade a wɔanwene
secession	nkabom mu a ɔman bi fi mu (nkabom kuw bi a ɔman bi twe ne ho fi mu)
Second Continental Congress	Amanaman Nhyiam a eto so abien
secondary sources	fibea horow

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sectional	wɔ kuw bi ase
sedition	aban ɔɔretia (aban a wɔɔretia)
Sedition Act of 1918	1918 ɔɔretia Mmara
segregation	mpaepaemu
self-government	ankasa nniso (Se ɔɔman bi ankasa di ne ho so)
Senate	Mmarahyε bagua
separation of powers	tumi mu kyekyε
separatism	mpaepaemu nhyehyεe
settlement houses	mpɔtam bi mu ofie
sharecropping	kuadwuma a wɔde mfwude no bi ma asasewura
Shay's Rebellion	Shay Atuatew
shelter	ofie
Sherman Antitrust Act	Sherman Aguadi Mmara
significance	titiriw a εyε
skilled workers	adwumayεfo ahokokwawfo (adwumayεfo a wɔn ho akokwaw)
social commentary	nsenkae a εfa nnipa asetena ho
social sciences (anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology and sociology)	nnipa ho nsɛm ho nhomasua (nnipa abakɔsem , sikasem, asase yεbea, abakɔsem, amanyɔsem, adwene mu, ne nnipa nkitahodi)
social scientific method	kwan a wɔde yε nnipa ho nhwehwεmu
social security	sikasem mu bammo
socialism	aban nhyehyεe a biribiara yε ɔɔman de
Socialist Party	Socialist Amanyɔkuw
sociology	nnipa suban ho nhomasua
soup kitchen	aduangyebea
Southwest	Anafo atεe
Soviet Union	Soviet Nkabom
Spanish-American War	Spania Amerika ɔko
spatial organization	wim ahyehyεde
sphere of influence	tumidi hye
spiritual beliefs	ɔsom mu gyidi horow
“spoils system”	“amanyɔkuw mu nhwehwεanim”
Stamp Act	Stamp Mmara
standard of living	asetena kwan mpɛnpenso (sikasem mu tebea)
state's rights	mantam hokwan horow
states' rights	mantam ahorow hokwan
status quo	nea εwɔ hɔ (senea tebea no te seesei)
statutes	Mmara ahorow
steel	dade
stock market	aguadibea a wɔtɔn adwumakuw mu kyεfa
stock market crash	aguadibea a wɔtɔn adwumakuw mu kyεfa pitito
strategy	ɔkwan
sub-Saharan Africa	Afrika Sahara Anafo
suffrage	abatow hokwan
Supreme Court decision	Asennibea Kunini gyinaesi

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T	
Tammany Hall	Tammany Asa
tariff	tow
tariffs	tow ahorow
tax	tow
temperance	ade a wɔnyɛ ntra so (ahosodi)
territorial expansion	hye mu trew
territory	asasesin
three-fifths compromise	anum mu nkyekyem abiesa nsɛm mu gyae
timeframes	mmere horow
totalitarian	kankabi sodifo
totalitarian societies	kankabi aman
Townsend Plan	Townsend Nhyehyɛ
trade	aguadi
Treaties (Citizen Genet, Jay and Pinckney)	Nkrataa ahorow (Citizen Genet, Jay ne Pinckney)
treaty	tirimbo krataa
trends	nea εrekɔ so
triangular trade	traiangil aguadi (nko a neεma aguadi)
tribe	abusuakuw
Truman Doctrine	Truman Nkyerɛkyerɛ
trust	Agyapade (ahotoso)
trusts	agyapade ahorow
Tweed Ring	Tweed Kawa
U	
underground railroad	asase ase keteke kwan
unemployment	adwuma a wonni
Union	Nkabom
unionize	ka bom
United Nations	Amanaman Nkabom
United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights	Amanaman Nkabom Nnipa Fahodi ho Mpaemuka
V	
Versailles Treaty	Versailles Krataa
Veterans Day	Asraafo Da
veto	abatow tumi
Vietnam War	Vietnam ɔko
village	akuraase
W	
wage	akatua
wages	akatua horow
Wagner Act	Wagner Mmara
War Bonds	ɔko ho Nkabom ahorow
War of 1812	1812 ɔko
Warsaw Pact	Warsaw Krataa
waterway	nsu kwan
Western Hemisphere	Asase no Atœ fam
westward expansion	ntrewmu kɔ atœ fam
westward migration	atuko wɔ atœ fam

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Whiskey Rebellion	Whiskey Atuatew
white collar	kraakye adwuma
white collar employees	kraakye adwumayɛfo
women's rights	mmea hokwan ahorow
women' suffrage	mmea abatow hokwan
workforce	adwumayɛfo dodow
working conditions	adwumam tebea
Works Progress Administration	Nnwuma Nkɔso Sohwɛ
World Court	Wiase Asennibeа
world power	wiase tumidi
World War I	Wiase Ko a edi kan
World War II	Wiase Ko a eto so abien
worldviews	wiase no adwenkyere
Y	
Yalta Conference	Yalta Nyiam
"yellow journalism"	"amaneebo akokɔsrade" (amaneεbo a sɛnkyerɛwfo agugu nsem mu)