

Renaissance	Humanism
Philosopher	Lorenzo de Medici
Classical	Leonardo da Vinci
Patron	Galileo Galilei
City State	Nicolaus Copernicus

## Renaissance Terms

*Copy the definitions below onto the back of the correct terms on Page 1 to create flash cards to study from.*

- An Italian polymath (person of wide-ranging knowledge) who was a painter, sculptor, architect, engineer, and scientist. He is considered one of the greatest geniuses of all time.
- A system of thought that centres on humans and their values, abilities, and worth.
- A member of the richest and most powerful family in Renaissance Italy, who was a great patron of art and literature. He sponsored Michelangelo and Leonardo da Vinci.
- Someone who seeks wisdom about existence and reality.
- From the French, meaning “rebirth.”
- A politically independent city and the rural area around it.
- A Polish astronomer and mathematician who proposed the heliocentric model of the solar system (meaning the Sun is at the centre and the Earth and other planets orbit around it).
- An Italian astronomer, physicist, and mathematician who played a significant role in the Scientific Revolution. He was arrested for his advocacy of the heliocentric model of the solar system, which contradicted the Church’s view.
- Referring to the civilizations of ancient Greece and Rome.
- Someone who provides financial support for the arts.