

East Asia Review Guide  
Chapters 27,28,29

- \*Study Physical and Political Maps
- \*Study Vocabulary Words

Physical Features Chapter 27

1. What are the major mountain ranges? Where are they located?
2. What are the 3 major river systems of China? Where do they begin?
3. What is the large desert of East Asia?
4. What are the positives and negatives of building the Three Gorges Dam?
5. What river is known for its severe flooding causing death and destruction?
6. What is an archipelago? Find an example in East Asia.
7. What is the major storm that can develop in the Pacific Ocean that hit the East Asian countries?

Cultural Geography

8. Read 638. List the aspects of Confucianism, Taoism, and Buddhism
9. What is the sphere of influence of China? What was the major event that disrupted this sphere of influence?
10. Who are the economic tiger nations?
11. What is the early history of the Korean Peninsula?
12. What form of government is China? When did it become that form and who helped lead that movement?
13. What is the official language of China?
14. How can you describe the culture of Japan and the ethnic make up?
15. What has China done to stabilize their population?

Current Events

16. What are the major natural disasters that Japan experiences? How can Japanese help eliminate some of the damage from these?
17. What is happening to the economies of some of the East Asia countries currently? What is being done to help them recover?