

# Grade 7

## History

- 1 Identify cultural achievements of early river civilizations such as Ancient Egypt (Nile), Mesopotamia (Tigris and Euphrates), Ancient India (Indus) or Ancient China (Huang He). (E)** 7.H.1A

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- 2 Identify major world religions and match their central beliefs. Identify one similarity and one difference between two major world religions.** 7.H.2A

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- 3 Identify or explain how development of civilizations in Africa has influenced the spread of resources, disease, and culture.** 7.H.3A

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- 4 Identify or explain the historical significance of the Silk Road.** 7.H.4A

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- 5 Identify influences of Muslim civilizations upon other civilizations.** 7.H.5A

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- 6 Identify the different forms of slavery; compare and contrast at least one impact of slavery in Africa, Asia, and the Southwest Pacific.** 7.H.6A

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- 7 Identify an example of Mongols' impact upon another society.** 7.H.7A

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- 8 Identify cultural contributions of major Chinese dynasties.** 7.H.8A

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- 9 Identify or describe how Japan became independent of earlier Chinese influences and Identify cultural traditions of Japan.** 7.H.9A

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- 10 Identify reasons for exploring new places during historical voyages of worldwide exploration and discovery.** 7.H.10A

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- 11 Identify at least one way European colonization affected a society in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. (E)** 7.H.11A

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- 12 Identify or explain how imperialism (1868-1945) influenced Japan's involvement in World War II (1940-1945).** 7.H.12A

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- 13 Identify two significant historical events in the Middle East since the end of World War II and match the significance of each.** 7.H.13A

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- 14 Identify a recent political or cultural conflict and identify at least one way different organizations have tried to solve it. (E)** 7.H.14A

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- 15 Identify contrasting views about historic events in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific using primary or secondary sources.** 7.H.15A

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## Civics and Government

- 1 Identify one similarity and one difference of the steps to independence from colonial rule in the countries of Asia, Africa, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.C.1A
- 2 Identify or describe governments of contemporary countries in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.C.2A
- 3 Identify or describe how governments in North Korea and Japan protect or violate their citizens' human rights. (E) 7.C.3A

## Geography

- 1 Locate selected countries within Africa, Asia, and the Southwest Pacific. (E) 7.G.1A
- 2 Identify and/or describe major cultural characteristics of regions in Africa, Asia, and the Southwest Pacific. 7.G.2A
- 3 Use historical maps to identify changes (e.g., larger, smaller, no change) in political boundaries in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific over time. 7.G.3A
- 4 Identify major physical characteristics in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.G.4A
- 5 Identify natural resources of Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific and identify how natural resource distribution can impact the wealth of a country. (E) 7.G.5A
- 6 Identify or explain how climate or landforms in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific place limitations on land or people. 7.G.6A
- 7 Identify factors that affect rural and urban populations in selected countries of Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.G.7A
- 8 Identify examples of ethnocentrism in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.G.8A
- 9 Identify and/or describe a current issue related to the environment in a selected country in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.G.9A

## Economics

- 1 Identify the benefits of voluntary trade between countries in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.E.1A
- 2 Identify one or more reasons why a system for exchanging currency between different countries is necessary for international trade. 7.E.2A
- 3 Identify and/or classify examples of helpful and harmful externalities in Africa, Asia, or the Southwest Pacific. 7.E.3A