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Lesson 3 *China, Japan, and the Koreas*

Review Questions

Directions: Locate each heading below in your textbook. Then use the information under the correct heading and subheading to help you write each answer.

I. China After Mao

A. What were Deng Xiaoping's Four Modernizations?

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B. What fifth modernization did some people seek from China's government?

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C. What Chinese policies have created international concern?

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II. Chinese Society and Economy

A. How did life in China change after Mao's death?

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B. What are some effects of China's efforts to control population growth?

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C. What policy did China adopt after the Tiananmen Square demonstrations?

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D. What are some negative effects of China's rapid economic change?

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III. Japan

A. How did Japan's economy begin to change in the 1990s?

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B. What has led to a decline in quality of Japanese products in recent years?

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C. What natural catastrophe struck Japan in 2011? What were some of its effects?

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IV. The Koreas

A. What internal problems have affected North Korea?

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B. How do political policies differ between North and South Korea?

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C. What enabled South Korea to weather the 2008 global economic crisis?

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Summary and Reflection

Directions: Summarize the main ideas of this lesson by answering the question below.

What are some of the major economic differences between China, Japan, and the Koreas?

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