Chapter 19 Study Guide

Terms:

1. Abd al-Hamid II
2. Boxer Rebellion
3. China, 1911
4. Daimyo
5. Hong Xiuquan
6. informal empire
7. Meiji restoration
8. Perry, Matthew
9. Opium Wars
10. Russo-Japanese War, 1904–1905
11. Samurai
12. self-strengthening movement
13. Selim III
14. “the sick man of Europe”
15. Social Darwinism
16. Taiping Uprising
17. Tanzimat reforms
18. Tokugawa shogunate
19. unequal treaties
20. Young Ottomans
21. Young Turks

Big Picture Question: What differences can you identify in how China, the Ottoman Empire, and Japan experienced Western imperialism and confronted it? How might you account for those differences?

Margin Review Questions

1. In what ways did the Industrial Revolution shape the character of nineteenth-century European imperialism?
2. What contributed to changing European views of Asians and Africans in the nineteenth century?
3. What strategies did China adopt to confront its various problems? In what ways did these strategies reflect China’s own history and culture as well as the new global order?
4. In what different ways did various groups define the Ottoman Empire during the nineteenth century?
5. In what ways was Japan changing during the Tokugawa era?
6. How did Japan’s relationship to the larger world change during its modernization process?

Documents Headnote Questions

Document 19.1: A Chinese Response to Lord Macartney: b, c

Documents 19.2 and 19.3: Debating the Opium Problem: a, b

Document 19.4: A Moral Appeal to Queen Victoria: b, c

Document 19.5: War and Defeat: b, c