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**World Geography**  
**Unit 7 – Physical Geography of Asia**  
**Test**

**Term Identification (Worth 2 pts. each)**

**Directions: Pick a word from the box that best completes the sentences below and write it in the space provided.**

"Untouchables"	Buddhism	temperate climate	Hinduism	archipelago
Gandhi	Shogun	monsoon	dynasty	arid climate
tropical climate	Siddhartha Gautama	caste system	Samurai	

1. A Hindu prince who did not like the caste system: \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The islands of a continent: \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Shogun warriors that controlled the people by sheer force: \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The world's oldest religion that believes in reincarnation and the worship of many gods: \_\_\_\_\_.
5. A climate that receives very little rainfall and its temperatures can vary: \_\_\_\_\_.
6. A ruling family in China: \_\_\_\_\_.
7. A strict, social class structure in India: \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Climates that have warm or hot temperatures year-round with fairly consistent amounts of rainfall: \_\_\_\_\_.
9. A religion, which teaches that deeds rather than birth determine a person's life and that people, should seek moderation in all things: \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Brings heavy rains for months at a time: \_\_\_\_\_.
11. This person led a *peaceful*, Indian revolution against Great Britain: \_\_\_\_\_.
12. A climate that has four seasons, with hot summers and cold winters: \_\_\_\_\_.
13. The emperor of the most powerful ruling family in Japan, they ruled for nearly 700 years: \_\_\_\_\_.



14. A group of people who were below the lowest caste, their jobs were considered unclean, and they were terribly discriminated against in India: \_\_\_\_\_.

**Multiple Choice (Worth 3 pts. each)**

**Directions: Circle the letter of the best answer that completes the sentence.**

1. What is the only country in the world to be part of two continents?
  - a. China
  - b. Russia
  - c. Japan
  - d. Korea
  
2. The three mountain ranges in Asia are
  - a. The Himalayas, the Eastern and Western Ghats of India, and the Altai.
  - b. The Ural, the Himalayas, and the Altai.
  - c. The Himalayas, the Eastern and Western Ghats of India, and the Alps.
  - d. The Rockies, the Balkans and the Alps.
  
3. The highest mountain range in the world is
  - a. The Alps mountain range.
  - b. The Ural mountain range.
  - c. The Altai mountain range.
  - d. The Himalayas mountain range.
  
4. What is the highest mountain in the world?
  - a. Mt Kilimanjaro
  - b. Mt. Fuji
  - c. Mt. Everest
  - d. Mt. Kenya

*\*Bonus: What is its elevation? \_\_\_\_\_*

5. Two of the six main rivers in Asia include
  - a. The Mississippi and the Thames.
  - b. The Huang He (Yellow River) and the Chiang Je (Yangtze River).
  - c. The Huang He and the Nile.
  - d. The Ganges and the Amazon.
  
6. Which two countries in Asia are the most populated countries in the world?
  - a. Japan and Vietnam
  - b. China and Japan
  - c. China and India
  - d. Pakistan and Bangladesh
  
7. The reason(s) that most people live in the eastern half of China are
  - a. It's where the jobs are.
  - b. It is rich in resources, has arable land, and receives sufficient rainfall for farming.
  - c. The weather is mild and pleasant.
  - d. It is rich in resources, has arable land, and is not as crowded as other parts of China.



8. How do monsoons affect the people of Asia?
  - a. People in this region depend upon this seasonal rainfall for their crops and water supply.
  - b. They help the umbrella industry.
  - c. Often they receive too little or not enough, and therefore, famines and droughts occur.
  - d. Both a and c are correct.
  
9. Three archipelagos of Asia include
  - a. Japan, the Philippines, and Indonesia.
  - b. Japan, the Philippines, and India.
  - c. Japan, the Philippines, and Hawaii.
  - d. Indonesia, the Maldives, and the Azores.

**Essay Question:** Answers must be between 250 and 500 words and in complete sentences to receive full credit.

1. How is Asia different from all other continents in the world? Include geographical features, historical features, and of course, its people.