**Key Learning of this Unit:**

Understand the physical and human characteristics of East Asia.

**Instructional Tools:**

-Textbook and supplemental material

-Videos (IMC)

-Internet resources (Culturegrams, Country Reports, United Streaming, etc)

**Unit Essential Question:**

How do human and physical characteristics affect life in East Asia?

**Concept: Concept: Concept:**

Japan

H 8.4.9 A,B,C G 7.3.9 A,B,C,D

G 7.4.9 A,B E 6.1.9 A,B,C

5.4.6 B,E 6.1.6 A,B,C

Physical Geography

G 7.1.9 B

G 7.2.6 A,B

Koreas

H 8.4.9 A,B,C G 7.3.9 A,B,C,D

G 7.4.9 A,B E 6.1.9 A,B,C

5.4.6 B,E 6.1.6 A,B,C

**Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ:**

What were the circumstances that lead the division between North and South Korea?

How does Japan’s limited resources and large population affect its economic activity?

How does the physical geography

affect life in East Asia?

**Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ:**

What influence does technology have on Japan?

How has North Korea and South Korea’s governments affected their development?

**Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ:**

How was Japan affected by its involvement in World War II?

**Vocabulary: Vocabulary: Vocabulary:**

Korean War

Demilitarized Zone

Homogeneous

Megalopolis

Terracing

Hiroshima

Nagaski

Tsunamis

Monsoons

**Concept: Concept: Concept:**

China

H 8.4.9 A,B,C G 7.3.9 A,B,C,D

G 7.4.9 A,B E 6.1.9 A,B,C

5.4.6 B,E 6.1.6 A,B,C

China’s Neighbors

H 8.4.9 A,B,C G 7.3.9 A,B,C,D

G 7.4.9 A,B E 6.1.9 A,B,C

5.4.6 B,E 6.1.6 A,B,C

**Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ:**

How has China’s culture influenced its neighbors?

How did ancient China’s success allow it to remain isolated from the rest of the world?

**Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ:**

How is China’s culture shaped by religion?

**Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ: Lesson EQ:**

How is China dealing with its current issues?

**Vocabulary: Vocabulary: Vocabulary:**

Nomadic

Genghis Khan

Dynasty

Confucianism

Taoism