

**Ch 19 It's really cold out Quiz****Multiple Choice**

*Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What was the significance of the opium trade in China in the nineteenth century?
- A) It increased the tax revenue collected by the Chinese state.
  - B) It resulted in a large inflow of silver into China.
  - C) It reversed the trade imbalance in favor of Britain.
  - D) It lowered unemployment rates in China.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. How was the Taiping Uprising different from other peasant rebellions in China?
- A) Its program included the abolition of private property.
  - B) Its goal was to restore an idealized Chinese society.
  - C) It proclaimed a millenarian religious message.
  - D) It drew upon a variety of peasant grievances.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Which of the following was a consequence of the Taiping Uprising?
- A) The state initiated an effective and successful program of modernization.
  - B) The problems facing the peasantry were finally addressed and resolved.
  - C) The Qing dynasty collapsed and civil war ensued.
  - D) The provincial gentry consolidated their power at the expense of the central state.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. In light of what was happening to China as depicted in Map 19.1 in the textbook, which of the following phrases was used by many Chinese to describe their country during the nineteenth century?
- A) "Heavenly kingdom of great peace"
  - B) "Revolution from above"
  - C) "The Middle Kingdom"
  - D) "Carved up like a melon"
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Which of the following reflects the goal of the policies introduced by the Chinese state in the 1860s and 1870s to address the problems facing China?
- A) To restore free trade and establish diplomatic relations with European states
  - B) To reinvigorate China by selectively borrowing from the West
  - C) To redistribute land equally among the peasantry
  - D) To encourage the growth of an independent capitalist class
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Which of the following characterizes the goal of the Tanzimat reforms initiated by the Ottoman leadership in the mid-nineteenth century?
- A) To strengthen the power of the Janissaries and give more autonomy to the ulama
  - B) To clarify the religious principles for a renewed Muslim state
  - C) To establish the economic, social, and legal foundation for a strong centralized state
  - D) To confirm the fundamentally Islamic character of the Ottoman Empire

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Critics of industrialization who argue that the Industrial Revolution was a failure generally base their interpretation on which of the following criterion?
- A) Growth of national wealth
  - B) Preservation of the environment
  - C) Strengthening of state power
  - D) Transformation of society
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Which of the following contributed to China's problems in the nineteenth century?
- A) The state's failure to maintain flood control and public security
  - B) The decline in the Chinese population in the past century
  - C) The expansion and bureaucratization of the central government
  - D) The weakening power of provincial officials and local gentry
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Islam retained a hold on its civilization in the twentieth century more firmly than Confucianism did in China because Islamic civilization
- A) defined political loyalty in terms of religious faith.
  - B) was closely associated with the Ottoman Empire.
  - C) promoted an elitist and secular outlook.
  - D) had many independent centers.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Which of the following was an anti-foreign movement that erupted in northern China at the turn of the twentieth century and seriously weakened the Qing dynasty?
- A) The self-strengthening movement
  - B) The Hundred Days of Reform
  - C) The Boxer Uprising
  - D) The Taiping Uprising

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Answer Section**

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| 1. ANS: C  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |
| 2. ANS: A  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |
| 3. ANS: D  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |
| 4. ANS: D  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |
| 5. ANS: B  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |
| 6. ANS: C  | PTS: 1 |   |
|            |        | TOP: Section: The Ottoman Empire and the West in the Nineteenth Century |
| 7. ANS: B  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reflections: Success and Failure in History               |
| 8. ANS: A  | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |
| 9. ANS: D  | PTS: 1 |   |
|            |        | TOP: Section: The Ottoman Empire and the West in the Nineteenth Century |
| 10. ANS: C | PTS: 1 | TOP: Section: Reversal of Fortune: China's Century of Crisis            |