Asian Studies

Open Note Reading Quiz

1. What form (type) of government does Japan have and which other country in East Asia has that same form of government?
2. How long did Japan occupy Korea in the 20th century?
3. How is the transportation system in Japan described in your reading?
4. How long ago did the Japanese begin to inhabit the islands of Japan?
5. Name 4 geographic features of Japan.
6. What type of landform What are the Japanese islands?
7. Which island is the largest and most populated?
8. Has Japan ever been conquered?
9. Name two natural disasters that can occur in Japan.
10. What is the largest coastal plain and which island is it located on?
11. What is a megalopolis?
12. What does the term homogenous mean?
13. Today, what is Japan’s greatest challenge?
14. What is Japan’s greatest source of food?
15. A seasonal change of strong winds is called what?
16. What is Japan’s largest mountain?
17. Does Japan have a short or long growing season because of its climate?
18. Why are housing units so small in Japanese cities?
19. Name two religions practiced in Japan.
20. What is the Japanese attitude towards Chinese and Koreans?
21. Can Koreans become citizens of Japan?
22. About how many Koreans live in Japan today?
23. Why or how did Koreans come to Japan?
24. Why is Japan in the Ring of Fire?
25. What affect do monsoons have on Japan’s climate?