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Eurasian History: China – “Han Emperors in China”

Due:

Directions Please read pages 200-07 in your textbook and respond to the following questions.

Rationale: In order to explore the question posed of the accordion book project, we will explore certain questions related to your textbook. It is my hope that exploring the content will help your group form complex responses to the question.

1. What problems amongst the peasants led to disunity in China after the fall of the Qin Dynasty?
2. As the text explains the Han dynasty was so long lasting and influential that many Chinese people today call themselves “people of the Han.” How did the Emperors and Empresses of the Han seek to hold together the Han Dynasty for so long?
3. What did most of the Chinese people believe about the Emperor and the exercise of his power?
4. In your opinion, what were the advantages and disadvantages of the civil service system that evolved during the period of the Han Dynasty?
5. How did technological evolution under the Han affect Chinese society?
6. What was the view of agriculture versus commercial enterprises in Dynastic China?

7. What policies and actions helped the Han to unify Chinese culture?

8. How did traditions related to inheritance and land owning serve to unravel the prosperity of the people under the Han?

9. After reading this section, how did the Han Dynasty serve to create unity and disunity in China?

Factors which created unity:	Factors which created disunity: