

Unit 12: Asian Transitions (3 Weeks)

World Civilizations: The Global Experience, Ch. 21-22

Objectives

The student will develop an understanding of

1. the encounters between Europeans and peoples of Asia in the late 15th and early 16th centuries
2. the extent and limits of Chinese regional power under the Ming dynasty
3. how Southeast Europe and Southwest Asia became unified under the Ottoman Empire
4. the rise of the Safavid and Mughal empires
5. the development of European maritime power in Asia
6. the transformations in India, China, and Japan in an era of expanding European commercial power
7. major cultural trends in Asia between the 16th and 18th centuries

Terms

Chapter 21

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| Babur | Suleyman I | imams | Din-i-llahi |
| Ottoman | Lepanto | Mullahs | Taj Mahal |
| Safavid | Red Heads | Isahan | Nur Jahan |
| Mughal Empire | Ismail | Humayan | Mumtaz Mahal |
| Janissaries | Chaldiran | Akbar | Sikhs |
| vizier | Abbas the Great | jizya | Aurangzeb |

Chapter 22

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| Vasco da Gama | Dutch trading empire | Hongwu | Edo |
| Caravel | Java | Canton | Tokugawa Ieyasu |
| Asian sea trading network | Francis Xavier | Matteo Ricci/Adam Schall | School of national Learning |
| bullion | Robert di Nobili | Nobunaga | Daimyo shogun |
| Goa | Zhu Yangzhang | Hideyoshi | |

Timeline

Week 1

Ottomans, Safavids, Mughals

Week 2

Comparing Gunpowder Empires, Ming China

Week 3

Japanese reunification, Unit 12 test

Projects

1. Travelogue Project
2. Unit 12 Test: Focus on comparison essay

Reading

1. *World Civilizations: The Global Experience*, Ch. 21-22
2. Selected primary source readings

Trimester 1 Survey (1 Week)

Objectives

The student will review understanding of major global trends from 1450 to 1770 CE.

Projects

Trimester 1 Exam
Comparison Essay (AP)