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TRIVIA QUESTION



The Winter Palace in St. Petersburg, Russia

Borscht is a popular food
in Russia. What is it?

- a. sandwich
- b. cake
- c. drink
- d. soup

(answer in two slides)

Asian-Pacific American Heritage Month

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TRIVIA ANSWER



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- a. Japan
- b. **East Timor**
- c. Maldives
- d. Singapore

In the world, only 32 countries are located entirely in the southern hemisphere.

Digital Bulletin Boards are a passive program that teaches new information in a fun, interesting way.

SCROLLING SLIDESHOW

CHECKING OUT BOOKS TODAY!

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Taj Mahal (India)

Asian Pacific American Heritage Month

The Burj Khalifa in Dubai is the tallest building in the world (as of 2023).



BIG COUNTRIES IN ASIA

Asia is big, so it makes sense that it would have some big countries! Some large countries (by land mass) in Asia include:

- China
- Russia
- India
- Mongolia
- Saudi Arabia

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NORTH KOREA



Pyongyang is the capital of North Korea.
(note the enormous size of the city)

North Korea is very different from South Korea. The country is mostly cut-off from the rest of the world, even in times of great need and famine.

OPPRESSION IN NK

An estimated 150,000-200,000 North Koreans are imprisoned in detention camps.

Speaking out against the government will get you (and possibly your entire family) imprisoned or even executed.

Censorship and harsh laws are a way of life in North Korea.



Pyongyang apartment buildings along the Taedong River.

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WORLD'S BEST FOOD?

In 2021, CNN Travel named the top ten countries with the best cuisine.



QUICK HAWAII FACTS

- The Hawaiian Islands are in the Pacific Ocean, about halfway between North America and Asia.
- All eight Hawaiian islands are volcanic.
- The Big Island's volcano Kilauea is the world's most active volcano. It has erupted almost continuously since 1983.

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MENTIONS 20+ ASIAN COUNTRIES

PETRA, JORDAN

Jordan is a small Middle Eastern country that borders Saudi Arabia, Syria, Israel, and Iraq.

Inside Jordan lies the ruins of an ancient city, Petra. It was once a major hub for trade between the East and West, of China, spices of India, and the incense of Arabia.

Petra is one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. It is also a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

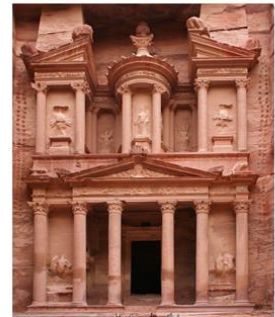


WOULD YOU RATHER...?



Watch wildlife in the Sundarbans

OR



Visit Petra, Jordan

Countries include: China, Russia, India, Thailand, South Korea, North Korea, Mongolia, The Philippines, Japan, Bangladesh, Jordan, Taiwan, UAE, Saudi Arabia, and more!

PROFILES OF 7 ASIAN AMERICANS

Includes:

- Kelly Yang (children's author)
- Chang and Eng Bunker (conjoined twins)
- Yo-Yo Ma (musician)
- Hazel Ying Lee (pilot)
- Anna May Wong (actress)
- George Takei (actor, writer, activist)
- Queen Lili'uokalani (Hawaiian queen)



WHO ARE WE?

Chang and Eng Bunker were twin brothers joined at the chest.

In the 19th Century, when Chang and Eng were alive, Thailand was called Siam.

Chang and Eng are why conjoined twins are sometimes called "Siamese twins." They appeared in traveling "freak shows" and were among the most studied humans of their time.

Despite numerous challenges, both men became successful businessmen and had their own families.



WHO AM I?

Queen Lili'uokalani was the last monarch of the Kingdom of Hawaii, from 1891-1895.

She was the first and only woman to be a Hawaiian monarch.

She formally abdicated her throne under duress.

Afterward, Lili'uokalani continued to fight the annexation of Hawaii to the US. In July 1898, the US annexed the Hawaiian islands as a territory.

FUN FACTS & TRIVIA

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This country lies north of China. Its largest city is Ulaanbaatar, which is also the capital. About 35% of the people who live here are nomads.

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- a. Japan
- b. Russia

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- c. **Mongolia**
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The famous military leader Genghis Khan (1162-1227) was the founder and leader of the Mongol Empire.



Loads of fun facts, trivia, did you knows, vocabulary, and more! All relate to Asian countries and people.

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WOULD YOU RATHER...?



hike along the Great Wall of China



hike to the top of Mount Everest
(Nepal and China)

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FICTION

A Thousand Steps Into Night (Chee)
My Flawless Life (Woon)
Loveboat, Taipei (Wen)
Counting Down with You (Bhuiyan)
American Betiya (Rajurkar)
Parachutes (Yang)

FICTION

Patron Saints of Nothing (Ribay)
These Violent Delights (Gong)
Summer Bird Blue (Bowman)
Between Shades of Gray (Sepetys)
This Light Between Us (Fukuda)

NONFICTION

Every Falling Star: The True Story of How I Survived and Escaped North Korea (Lee)
From a Whisper to a Rallying Cry: The Killing of Vincent Chin... (Yoo)
The Lemon Tree (Tolan)
Sachiko: A Nagasaki Bomb Survivor's Story (Stelson)
We Are Displaced (Yousefzai)

GRAPHIC NOVELS

My Nest of Silence (Faulkner)
Freestyle (Galligan)
Everything (Santat)

Includes separate page (editable) that lists 23 recommended books featuring Asian protagonists. Print and give out to students and teachers.

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