**Unit 6 – East Asia Study Guide**

Each of the following terms or concepts may be on the unit exam. You are allowed to have one hand written 3X5 notecard (front and back) on this exam. You will be required to show this notecard to me ahead of time so I can make sure it meets these parameters. Last, there will be 10-20 questions from the previous exam in preparation for the final on this test.

**Potential Short Essay Questions**

1. Argue the impact of legalism on early Chinese dynasties.
2. Argue the impact of Confucianism on early Chinese dynasties.
3. Argue the most impactful dynasty in Chinese history.
4. Argue the impact of opium on China.
5. What has a greater impact on China; the Great wall or the Silk Roads?

**Terms and Concepts to Understand**

East Asia geography

* Rivers
* Mountains
* Natural Barriers

Shang

Early belief systems

* Family
* Social classes
* Religion
* Oracle Bones

Yu

Zhou

Dynastic Cycle

* Mandate of Heaven
* Feudalism

Confucius

* Ideas on government

Filial Piety

Daoism

Legalism

I Ching

Yin & Yang

Qin Dynasty

* Shi Huangdi
* Autocracy
* Program of Centralization
* Great Wall
* Terracotta Warriors

Han Dynasty

* Liu Bang
* Government structure
* “Martial Emperor”
* Societal structure
* Civil service
* Silk Road
* Monopoly
* Assimilation

Mongols

* Who
* What
* When
* Where
* Impacts
* Leaders
* Technology
* Battle tactics
* Barbarians or civilized

Ming-Qing

* Zheng He
* Duration
* Hongwu
* Yonglo
* Manchus
* Kangxi
* Isolation
* Family/culture
* Opium wars
* British/European influence
* Taiping Rebellion
* Sphere of Influence
* Century of Humiliation
* Economic Imperialism
* Boxer Rebellion
* Chinese Nationalism
* Kuomintang
* Sun Yixian (Sun Yat Sen)
* WWI
* May 4th Movement

Mao Zedong

* Leninism vs Maoism
* Jiang Jieshi
* Civil War
* The Long March
* WWI
* New Mandate of Heaven
* Great Leap Forward
* Red Guards
* Cultural Revolution