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TEXTS:  J.A.G. Roberts, A Concise History of China  Louis Fischer, Gandhi
        Milton Meyer, Japan: A Concise History  Iris Chang, The Rape of Nanking
        Pang-Mei Chang, Bound Feet, Western Dress  Karen Armstrong, Islam: A Short History

Jan.  16  Traditional Themes in Chinese History  A Concise History of China, 1-117 (114)  Optional
23  Imperialism and the Qing Dynasty  A Concise History of China, 118 – 161 (115-159)
30  Revolution and the Chinese Republic  A Concise History of China, 162 – 205 (160-202)

Feb.  6  Communism and Mao Zedong  A Concise History of China, 206 – 255 (203-253)
13  The Era of Deng Xiaoping  A Concise History of China, 256 - 300  (254-307)
     Discussion: Bound Feet, Western Dress, by Pang-Mei Chang
20  Test: One Third of Grade

27  Traditional Japan  Japan: A Concise History, 1-96 (1-112)
Mar  6  Spring Break: No Class
13  Tokugawa and Meiji Periods  Japan: A Concise History, 97-170 (113-176)
27  Japan Today  Japan: A Concise History, 225-268 (219-302)
     Discussion: The Rape of Nanking, by Iris Chang

Apr.  3  Test: One Third of Grade
10  Modern Middle East  Islam: A Short History, Ch. 4, 113-138
17  Easter Break: No Class
24  Modern Middle East  Islam: A Short History, Ch. 5, 139-187

May  1  Modern Middle East  Discussion: Gandhi, by Louis Fischer

8  Final Exam: One Third of Grade

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