

CHAPTER
7

GUIDED READING *Han Emperors in China*

Section 3

A. Summarizing As you read about the Han Dynasty, take notes to fill in the charts.

Ruler	Objectives	How objectives were accomplished
1. Liu Bang	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Destroy rivals' power • Win popular support 	
2. Empress Lü	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep control of throne 	
3. Wudi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand Chinese Empire • Appoint qualified people to government jobs 	
4. Wang Mang	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restore order and bring the country under control 	

B. Analyzing Causes and Recognizing Effects Use information from Section 3 to identify some results of each situation or event.

Situation or Event	Result(s)
5. Paper is invented.	
6. Government makes techniques of silk production a closely guarded secret.	
7. Territorial expansion brings people of many cultures under Chinese rule.	
8. Gap between rich and poor increases.	

C. Clarifying On the back of this paper, define the following terms and explain how they relate to the Han Dynasty.

centralized government civil service monopoly assimilation