**Chapter 37 Reading Guide: The End of Empire.** Directions: As you read pages 886-909, answer the following questions thoroughly.

**Terms:**

Winston Churchill:

Muhammad Ali Jinnah:

Muslim League:

Jawaharlal Nehru:

Partition of India:

Nonaligned Movement:

Ho Chi Minh:

Vo Nguyen Glap:

Dienbienphu:

Geneva Conference:

Lyndon Johnson:

Viet Cong:

Vietnamization:

Gamal Abdel Nasser:

Suez Crisis:

FLN:

Frantz Fanon:

*Negritude:*

Kwame Nkrumah:

Mau Mau:

Apartheid:

African National Congress:

Nelson Mandela:

F.W. de Klerk:

Great Leap Forward:

Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution:

Deng Xiaoping:

Tiananmen Square:

Indira Gandhi:

Rajiv Gandhi:

Islamism:

Iranian Revolution:

Saddam Hussein:

Iran-Iraq War:

Mahmoud Ahmadinejad:

Organization of African Unity:

El Milagro Mexicano:

Juan Peron:

Evita:

FSLN:

“Dependency” Theory:

**Reading Guide:**

How did Muhammad Ali Jinnah and Jawaharlal Nehru differ on the idea of Indian independence?

What happened on the Day of Direct Action?

Describe the partition of India.

What was the effect of the partition of India?

How did the loss of India affect the British Empire?

Describe the Bandung Conference.

What is the Nonaligned Movement?

How did Ho Chi Minh advance Vietnamese independence?

Why and how did France try to maintain Vietnam as a colony?

How did the communists fight back against the French in Vietnam?

What happened at the Geneva Conference of 1954?

How did South Vietnam violate the Geneva Conference?

Why and how did the United States participate in the conflict in Vietnam?

What was Vietnamization and what was the effect?

How did the Vietnam War end?

Which areas in the Middle East gained independence after World War II?

Describe the mandate of Palestine.

How did the Zionist movement impact Palestine?

What was the Balfour Declaration?

What increased Jewish migration to Palestine?

What was the effect of the British withdrawal from Palestine?

What did the United Nations decide in 1947 for Palestine?

What led to the creation of Israel?

What was the effect of wars between Israel and its Arab neighbors?

What was the *intifada*?

How did Gamal Abdel Nasser come to power?

Describe Egypt under Gamal Abdel Nasser.

How did Nasser use the Nonalignment movement?

What happened in the Suez Crisis of 1956?

What complicated the process of independence in Africa?

In what ways did the French resist independence movements in North Africa?

Why did the French want to maintain Algeria?

Describe the Algerian path to independence.

What is Negritude and how did it affect culture in Africa?

How did the independence of Ghana inspire other independence movements?

Why was Kenya’s independence movement more violent?

In what ways did Kenyans resist imperialism?

What caused internal conflict in South Africa?

Describe the rule of the Afrikaner Nationalist Party in South Africa.

What was the effect of apartheid?

What was the African National Congress?

Why and how did the African National Congress face repression?

In what ways did people resist apartheid and the rule of the Afrikaner Nationalist Party?

How did F.W. de Klerk change South African policies?

What happened in South Africa in April 1994?

How did legacies of imperialism affect newly independent countries in Asia?

Why did many countries in South, Southeast, and East Asia adopt some form of authoritarian or militarist political system?

What programs did Mao Zedong institute to accelerate development in China?

What social changes were instituted in China under Communism?

What was the goal of the Great Leap Forward?

What were the effects of the Great Leap Forward?

What was the purpose of the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution?

What were the Red Guards and what did they do?

What struggles did Mao’s successor, Deng Xiaoping, face?

What was “Deng’s Revolution”?

Why did pro-democratic demonstrations like the demonstration in Tiananmen Square occur?

Describe the conflict over Hong Kong.

In what ways did India pursue a different path than other Asian countries after independence?

What is the “Green Revolution” and what were its effects?

What issues plagued India in the 1960s and 1970s?

Why did Indira Gandhi declare a national emergency?

What ways did India try to cut down on population growth under Indira Gandhi?

Why did Sikhs challenge the government in the 1980s? What happened to them?

What happened to Rajiv Gandhi and Indira Gandhi?

In what ways did Arab nationalism emerge after independence?

Why did Pan-Arab unity not take place?

What was Islamism based on?

Why did many Muslims turn towards Islamism?

Describe the causes of the Iranian Revolution.

How did Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini come to power in Iran?

In what ways was the Iranian revolution anti-American?

What led to the Iran-Iraq War?

In what ways did Mahmoud Ahmadinejad represent a return to Islamism in Iran?

What was the result of Saddam Hussein’s invasion of Kuwait and the Gulf War?

What issues were left behind in Africa by imperialism?

What was the goal of the Organization of African Unity?

Why did some African countries move to military rule or dictatorships?

What economic issues did many newly independent African states face?

What ways did African states try to combat economic issues?

In what ways did Mexican President Lazaro Cardenas reform Mexico?

What created the Mexican economic miracle, “El Milagro Mexicano”?

What political issues existed under the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI)?

In what ways did Argentina lead South America?

Why did nationalistic military leaders gain control of Argentina?

What changes did Juan Peron make in Argentina?

What were the characteristics of military rule in Argentina in the 1970s and 1980s?

What was the role of women in Latin American activist movements?

Which nation in Latin America was the last to grant women’s suffrage? When did it happen?

What economic issues have plagued Latin American countries?

In what ways did Latin American countries try to break away from western economic dependency?

**Big Picture Questions (Answer in 3-4 sentences for each question)**

1. Why did empires decline and/or collapse after World War II?
2. What new movements challenged the status quo during the age of imperial rule?
3. Who helped lead and define these movements?
4. What new identities were used to unite populations spread across national borders?
5. What ideologies were often used to “undo” imperialism?
6. How were colonial peoples affected by the change of old colonial boundaries?
7. How were relationships between imperial powers and former colonies maintained after the end of those empires?
8. What circumstances contributed to genocide and mass refugee populations?
9. What alternatives were offered to the economic, political, and social status quo?
10. Why did some movements use terrorism for political purposes?