

Co-op 9 Assignment

Reading/Notetaking:

Complete reading as assigned by your parent(s), taking notes as needed for key figure cards, assigned questions, and personal interest.

Geography:

On map you received in class, label the following places in Asia...

- India
- Indus River
- China
- Gobi Desert
- Yellow River
- Yangtze River
- Japan
- Sea of Japan
- Tokyo
- Nagasaki

Timeline Work:

Please add the events/dates listed below to your timeline. Please use the top half of your timeline for US events and the bottom half for other world events throughout the year.

- 1850-1853 Millard Fillmore is President
- 1853 – 1857 Franklin Pierce is President
- 1853-1854 Commodore Perry negotiates trading agreement with Japan, ending its isolationism

Key Figures Cards:

Cut out the following key figure cards and complete as much of the card as possible.

- Millard Fillmore
- Franklin Pierce

See questions on following page...

Questions: (You may answer these below with neat handwriting or type your responses.)

1. Why was Japan closed to outsiders before the Treaty of Kanagawa?
2. How were Ii Naosuke and Matthew Perry both influential in the opening of Japan to trade?
3. **CHALLENGE** – This question is entirely optional – tackle it if you'd like the CHALLENGE!

The Japanese art of paper folding is called “origami.” Learn about this art form and try to make your own artful creation – bring it to show your classmates.