**Ancient China: Shang, Zhou, Qin & Han Dynasties Name:**

**SHANG DYNASTY**

Large Cities/Surplus Food

1. What river did the 1st Chinese civilization grow along?

Complex Institutions

1. What is a Dynasty?
2. What did Yin & Yang symbolize?

Writing

1. Why was the development of calligraphy important to China?

Technology

1. What became a valuable export for China?

**ZHOU DYNASTY**

Complex Institutions

1. What is a Mandate of Heaven?
2. *Think: How was the Mandate of Heaven different from the other political systems of its time?*
3. What ideas did Confucianism encourage?

Social Structure

1. What was Zhou Feudalism?
2. Who was in the 2nd class?
3. Who was in the 4th class?
4. What is filial piety?

Technology/Art

1. What were some of the Zhou accomplishments?

**QIN DYNASTY**

Complex Institutions

1. What type of government did Emperor Qin Shihuangdi establish?
2. What is Legalism?
3. Did Emperor Qin encourage Confucianism?

Technology/Art

1. What were some of the technological advancements under the Qin dynasty?

**HAN DYNASTY**

Complex Intuitions

1. How was Emperor Liu Bang able to achieve power over China?
2. How were his policies different than Emperor Qin?
3. What were Civil Service Examinations?

Social Structure

1. What were the expectations of women?

Technology/Art

1. What were some of the technological advancements?
2. Daoists rebelled and caused the Han dynasty to fall. What is Daoism?