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Directions: Use page 281 in the red workbook to answer the questions.

1. When did the colonial nations of Africa and Asia gain independence?
2. What was the goal of the Indian National Congress?
3. Who led the movement for Indian independence from Britain?
4. What is passive resistance?
5. Who is famous for using Gandhi's policy of civil disobedience in the U.S.
6. Who were the "untouchables" in India?
7. What did Gandhi rename the untouchables?
8. When did India finally gain independence?
9. Why did the British partition India?
10. What nation was created by the partitioning of India?
11. What is a migration?
12. Why did Pakistan and India go to war?
13. In 1971 East Pakistan became what nation?
14. India based its constitution on those of which two countries?
15. Who became the first prime minister of India?

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16. What happened to Mohandas Gandhi?
17. Use the map on page 286 to list three Asian countries that won independence after WW2.
18. What are India's leading export products?
19. When did the Philippines gain independence?
20. Why did the U.S. keep close ties with Japan?
21. What was the first requirement for Japan to regain independence?
22. Japan's new constitution created what kind of government?
23. List three social foundations of postwar Japan.
24. List three political foundations of postwar Japan.
25. What type of economy does Japan have?
26. How many African countries freed themselves from European rule in 1960?
27. How many African countries freed themselves from European rule in 1961 and 1965?
28. How did the Soviet Union assist African countries who were seeking to gain independence?
29. What were some of the problems facing African nations as they began to seek independence?

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30. How did the ethnic tensions within the borders of some countries affect the government of those countries?
31. Why was Idi Amin considered a brutal dictator?
32. What type of government has Uganda established today?
33. Who was the first African women to serve as the president of her country? What country did she represent?
34. What is a multi-party system in government?
35. How did the fall of the Berlin Wall affect the people in Africa?
36. What is Pan-Africanism?
37. What African leaders support Pan-Africanism?
38. What is the function of the African Union (AU)?
39. Explain the system of “apartheid” in South Africa.
40. Why did White South Africans create the system of apartheid in the 1940s?
41. What were some of the restrictions on non-White South Africans under apartheid?
42. What was the African National Congress (ANC)?
43. Why is Nelson Mandela significant to the history of South Africa?

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44. Who was Archbishop Desmond Tutu? What award did he receive and why?

45. What four actions did the United States take to pressure South Africa into ending the system of apartheid?

46. What two South African leaders worked together to end the system of apartheid and create a new constitution in South Africa?

47. When was the first democratic election in South Africa? Who was elected president?