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World Studies for Georgia Students-Grade 7

Chapter 16: Democratic People's Republic of Korea and Republic of Korea – Section 3: The Governments of the Koreas

Guided Notes

Instructions: Read the section and complete each item with words from the passages in this section.

1. At the end of World War II, the _____ controlled the northern half of the Korean Peninsula and the _____ controlled the southern half.
2. North Korea became a _____ country allied with the Soviet Union.
3. South Korea became a western-style _____ allied with the United States.
4. The United States believed that, if any additional countries in Southeast Asia became _____, others would quickly follow.
5. Today North Korea is still a communist country under the _____ rule (a system of government where supreme power is concentrated in the hands of one person) of the supreme leader.
6. The country has heavy industry and a well-armed military, but there are many other problems, including poor _____ production and frequent problems with _____.
7. The _____ branch of North Korea's government is made up of the premier, the chief of state, and the cabinet.
8. The _____ is listed as head of government; however, Kim Jong-un is chief of state and is fully in charge of all government functions.
9. Even though North Korea is an _____, there is a legislative branch. It is a unicameral parliament called the Supreme _____.
10. There is also a _____ branch in North Korea's government. It has a Supreme Court, which is also called the _____ Court, made up of a chief justice and two People's Ambassadors.
11. Since the 1980s, South Korea has moved toward _____ and economic freedom.
12. Pro-democracy activities intensified in the 1980s, and South Korea transitioned into a strong, _____ country.
13. South Korea has a _____ democracy.
14. The _____ branch is made up of the president, prime minister, and cabinet.
15. The legislative branch is made up of the _____, which is also called the Kuk Hoe.
16. The judicial branch of South Korea's government is made up of the Supreme Court of South Korea and the _____ Court.