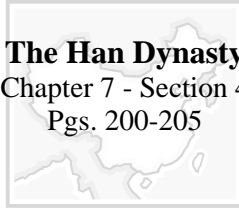


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**The Han Dynasty**  
Chapter 7 - Section 4  
Pgs. 200-205



**Vocabulary**

innovation - \_\_\_\_\_

sundial- \_\_\_\_\_

seismograph - \_\_\_\_\_

acupuncture - \_\_\_\_\_

**I. Han Dynasty Government**

1. Who was the first emperor of the Han dynasty and how long did the dynasty last?

\_\_\_\_\_

***The Rise of a New Dynasty***

2. Liu Bang, \_\_\_\_\_, was able to become emperor in large part because of the Chinese belief in the \_\_\_\_\_.

3. How was Liu Bang's rule different from the rule of the Qin dynasty? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Using the timeline on page 200, calculate how long Liu Bang ruled for (beginning of Han dynasty) until Wudi became the emperor. \_\_\_\_\_.

***Wudi Creates a New Government***

5. How did Wudi create a stronger central government? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

6. Under Wudi, what philosophy was adopted by the government? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Looking at the map on page. 201, what features marked the northern boundary of the Han dynasty? \_\_\_\_\_

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**II. Family Life**

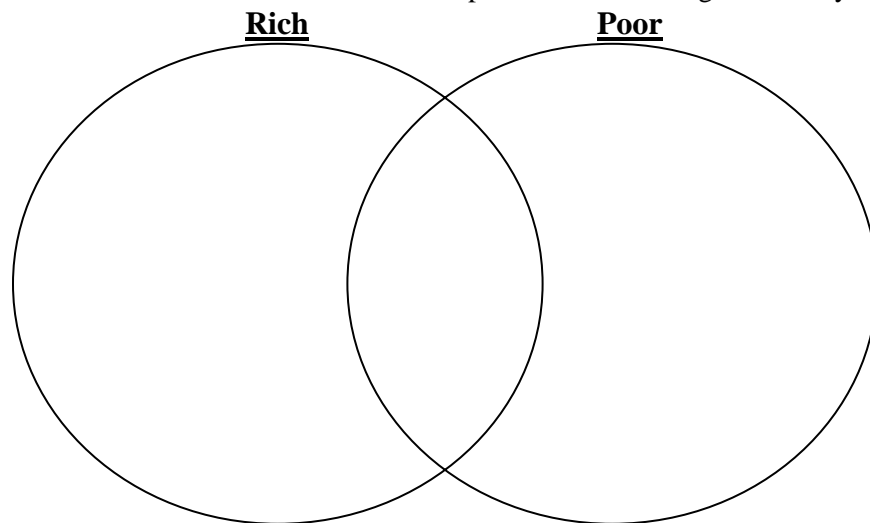
***Social Classes***

8. Read about the various social classes on page 202 and write at least 2 facts about each on the chart on the next page.

CLASS	DETAIL FACT # 1	DETAIL FACT # 2
upper		
peasants		
artisans		
merchants		

### ***Lives of Rich and Poor***

9. Compare and contrast the lives of the rich and the poor in China during the Han dynasty.



10. Approximately how many people lived in China during the Han dynasty? \_\_\_\_\_

11. What percent of them were peasants\_\_\_\_\_. Using your math skills, how many people living in China during the Han dynasty were peasants? \_\_\_\_\_.

### ***The Revival of Family***

12. Who were children encouraged to serve under Confucianism? \_\_\_\_\_

13. Why were sons more highly valued than daughters? \_\_\_\_\_

## **III. Han Achievements**

### ***Art and Literature***

14. What type of painting was popular during the Han dynasty? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Describe the type of poetry that developed:

*fu*: \_\_\_\_\_

*shi* \_\_\_\_\_

### ***Inventions and Advances***

16. What invention did the Han Chinese invent that we use everyday? \_\_\_\_\_

17. What other innovations in science were made? \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.