CHAPTER 12

TIMELINE

Insert the following events into the timeline. This should help you to compare important historical events chronologically.

- Beginning of persecution of Buddhists
- Founding of Southern Song dynasty
- Founding of Song dynasty
- Founding of Tang dynasty
- Mongol conquest of Southern Song
- Founding of Sui dynasty

__ 589
__ 618
__ 840s
__ 960
__ 1127
__ 1279

TERMS, PEOPLE, EVENTS

The following terms, people, and events are important to your understanding of the chapter. Define each one on a separate sheet of paper.

- Bureau of Censors
- Chan Buddhism
- Tea
- Yangdi
- Jinyi
- Li Yuan, Duke of Tang
- Scholar-gentry class
- Huangzhou
- Tang Taizong
- Sui
- An Lushan
- Zhu Xi
- Liao
- Empress Wu
- Pure Land Buddhism
- Gunpowder
- Foot binding
- Qin Empire
- Flying money
- Ministry of Public Rites
- Tangut tribes
- Chen kingdom
- Liao dynasty
- Kaozong
- Southern Song
- Zhao Kuangyin
- Wang Anshi
- Taizu
- Empress Wei
- Wuzong
- Wendi
- Li Bo
- Champa rice
- Changan
- Jinshi
- Xi Xia
- Loyang
- Sinification
- Subprefecture
- Xuanzong
- Yang Guifei
- Jurchens
MAP EXERCISE

The following exercise is intended to clarify the geophysical environment and the spatial relationships among the important objects and places mentioned in the chapter. Locate the following places on the map.

- Huanghe River
- Huangzhou
- boundaries of Tang Empire
- Yangzi River
- Huangzhou
- boundaries of Southern Song Empire
- Changan
- Grand Canal
- Loyang
- boundaries of Song Empire

How did the geographical alignment of major river systems in China affect the development of the empire? How does the political development of China from Tang to Song to Southern Song reflect the geographical significance of the river systems?