

**Marco Polo Guided Reading Questions**

1. Who was Marco Polo?
2. Where did the journey start?
3. What were the first few stops?
4. Describe Afghanistan. Why was it so different and dangerous?
5. Who ruled Afghanistan? Why was it so dangerous?
6. Describe the Wakham Corridor. Where did it go?
7. What is the nickname of the Pamir Mountains?
8. What was used as road signs?
9. Where did they end up when they came out of the Pamir Mountains?
10. What was Kashgar and why was it so important?
11. Who are the Uhyugars? What religion were they? Whom are they related to?
12. What did they enter after Kasgar? How did they do it?

13. What happened on the bus and why were the Uhyugars so impressed?
14. What did Marco Polo do in Beijing? Describe the reception in Beijing.
15. What piece of art did Marco Polo describe that was still there?
16. What did Marco Polo say about Mongolia?
17. After Mongolia, where did the travelers go next?
18. Where did they eat when they were in Hong Kong?
19. Where did they sail to next?
20. How long did they travel for?
21. What did they get to do when they came home to Venice?