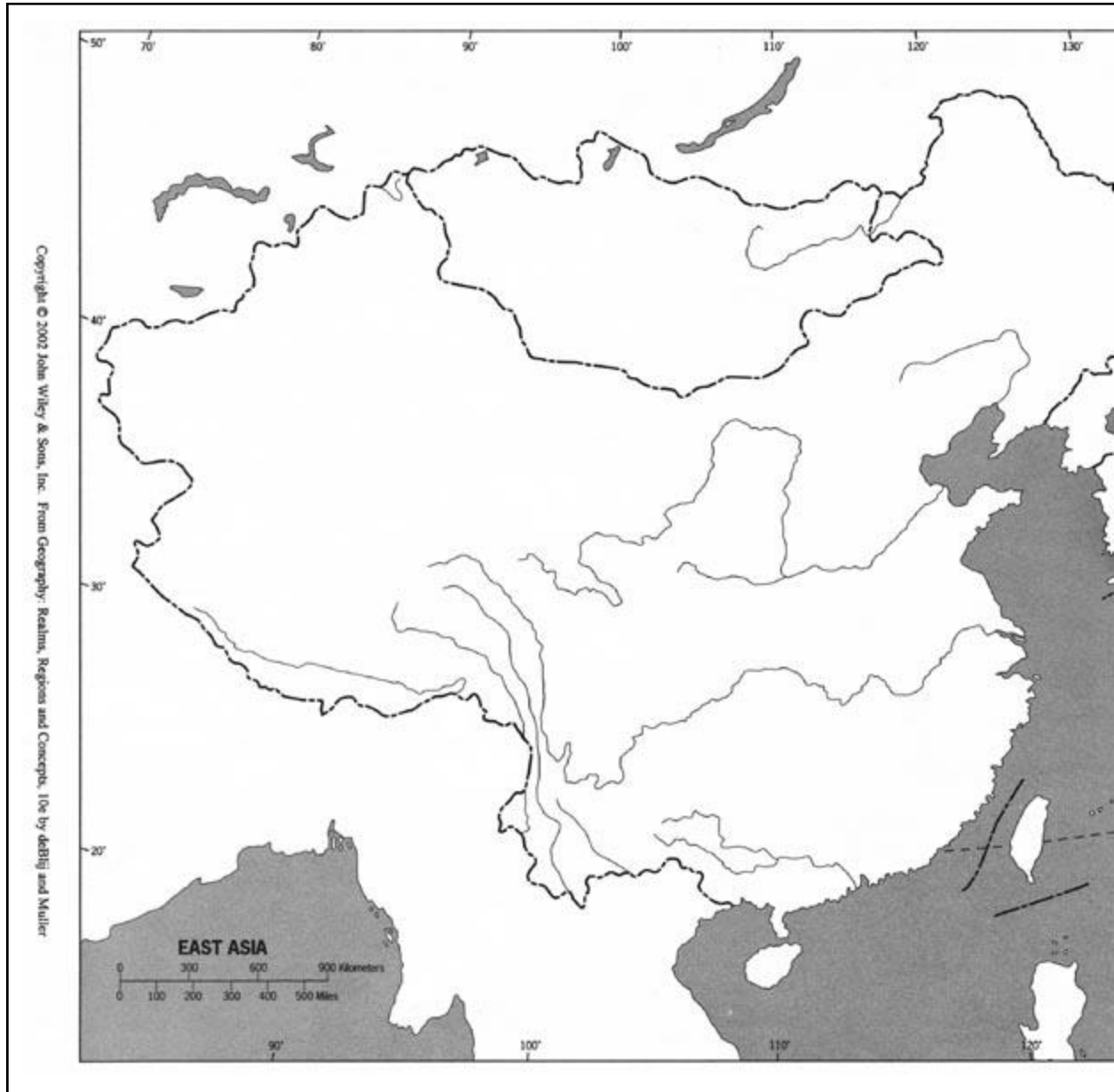


## China Today

You will use pages 320-327 and pages 351-372 in the Blue World Cultures texts

Answer the following in your notebooks.

Identify the following: 1. Huang He River (Yellow River), 2. Chang River (Yangzi), 3. Xi River, 4. Gobi Desert, 5. Tibet, 6. Taiwan, 7. Mongolia, 8. North Korea, 9. Himalayan Mountains.



1. What is the dominant ethnic group in China? What are some minorities?

2. Write a paragraph that includes all of the following terms. In your paragraph, show how the following terms are related.

Propaganda	Totalitarian	Collective Farms
Little Red Book	Great Leap Forward	Mao Zedong

3. Four Modernizations.

- Why did Deng Xiaoping want to start the Four Modernizations? How were the modernizations supposed to help China?
- How did Deng make manufacturing more efficient?
- What negative impacts has modernization made for China?

4. Read the section on page 360 titled Social Changes. How has China moved away from its original communist economy and what impact has it had on society?

5. Read about Chinese Marriage Customs in the blue box on page 362. Answer the two questions.

6. What impact does human rights have on China's relations with the West (like the United States)?

7. Use your brain (you won't find an answer in the book for this question). Since China is so quickly modernizing and has more than a billion people, what impact, do you suppose, is China having on the world's natural resources, such as oil?