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Highlights Of Chinese History			
Year	Period	Development/Event	
589- 618 CE	Sui Dynasty	North conquers south and unites China. The Grand Canal is built. The capital is established at Changan.	
618- 907 CE	Tang Dynasty	Scholarship and the Arts flouish. Gunpowder invented. Block (movable type) printing is invented. The silk road trade to Europe thrives.	
907- 960 CE	Five Dynasties (North) and Ten Kingdoms (South)	A period of war and fragmentation as North and South divides into smaller kingdoms.	
960- 1279 CE	Song Dynasty	High culture develops. Painting, Poetry, Calligraphy becomes mainstream. Military powers decline. The invention of the compass. The Jin invade the North, the Song moves capital from Kaifeng to Hangzhou.	
960- 1127 CE	Northern Song		
1127- 1279 CE	Southern Song		
1279- 1368 CE	Yuan Dynasty (Mongol)	Kublai Khan conquers China. A new capital is established at Peking (Beijing) and the Grand Canal is extended to supply the capital. Marco Polo serves Khan in China.	
1360 CE		Zhang Sanfeng (Chang Sanfeng) travels to Wudang Mountains is generally credited with inventing the 13 postures of Taijiquan (T'ai Chi Ch'uan)	

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1368- 1644 CE	Ming Dynasty	Mongols are defeated. Strong Emperors bring about a very prosperous era. Building of the Forbidden City and Imperial Tombs. Arrival of Jesuits. Changan city changes it's name to Xian.
1644- 1911 CE	Qing Dynasty (Manchu)	Han People are subjugated by the Manchus. The neglected Forbidden City is restored and the Summer Palace is rebuilt.
1839- 1842 CE		Foreign trade pressures leads to the Opium War.
1850- 1864 CE		Taiping Rebellion in the south, Anti-Qing revolt is inspired by mixture of Chinese and Christian ideas.
1858- 1860 CE		Anglo-French invasions at Canton, Tianjin. Foreign troops destroy the Summer Palace near Peking.
1894- 95 CE		Sino-Japanese War. Japan dominates Korea and Taiwan
1900 CE		Anti-foreign Boxer Rebellion is suppressed by foreign troops. Qing court flees and Westerners occupy Peking.
1911- 1949 CE	Republic of China	1911 Revolution. China attempted deomocratic government.
1912 CE		Sun Yat-Sen briefly serves as China's first president. Kuomintang (KMT) or Nationalist party is formed.
1916 CE		Warlord period begins.
1921 CE		Chinese Communist Party (CCP) is founded)

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1926- 27 CE	Joint KMT-CCP expedition against warlords has limited success, but causes a hostile division of the country.
1934- 35 CE	Long march of the Communists to the northwest.
1937- 1945 CE	Second Sino-Japanese War. KMT is led by Chian Kai-shek. American military aids during the World War II. Japan surrenders.
1946- 49 CE	Civil war errupts between the KMT and the Communist Party (CCP).
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