East Asia

Use Pages 390-397 to help you with the outline.

1. East Asia is made up of six countries:
   1. . China
   2. . Taiwan
   3. . Mongolia
   4. . Japan
   5. . North Korea
   6. . South Korea
2. East Asia’s Physical Geography
   1. Diverse landscape includes canyons, and valleys.
   2. The world’s 3rd longest river, Yangtze River, is in China.
   3. The world’s 5th largest desert, the Gobi desert, is in Mongolia and stretches into China.
   4. Japan’s islands were formed by volcanoes.
   5. There are humid subtropical climates in East Asia because it is so large.
3. East Asia’s Human Geography
   1. Early History:
      1. China was ruled by Emperor Qin.
   2. Modern Era:
      1. In China, the last dynasty fell in 1911 or 1912.
      2. The Republic of China was established in 1912.
      3. The Communist Party took control in 1950.
      4. In Japan, there has been a constitutional monarchy since 1947.
   3. Population
      1. China is the world’s most populous country.