Study Guide 10 Mongols, Readings: *The Mongol Empire in World History*, Voyages p. 400-419 AP World History Kienast

Key terms:

Genghis Khan (Chinggis Khan)

Uyghur script

Yuan Dynasty

Ibn Battuta

Marco Polo

Margery Kempe

Essential questions:

The Mongols were able to conquer and expand long distance trade because of what knowledge?

The Mongol conquest of Kiev had what effect on the history of Russian cities?

The Mongol Empire was exceptional for several reasons. Identify a way in which they were exceptional in each of the following ways:

Toward women, concerning tribute, use of middlemen along the Silk Roads, use of centralized power

Historians debate the brutality of the Mongols versus seeing the Mongols as using hegemony. Provide evidence of both the Mongols as ruling through brutality and ruling through hegemony.

How did expansion of the Mongol Empire facilitate Trans-Eurasian trade and communication?

The Mongols established what city as the capital city of China?

Marco Polo and Ibn Battuta were able to cross Asia safely under what circumstances?