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| Ancient Chinese Philosophies: PLAYLIST #2 |

ACTIVITY #1 Research of Philosophies through Online Investigation

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| **Activity 1 → How do Ancient chinese philosophies impact common era civilizations?** |

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| **ACTIVITY DIRECTIONS:*** **Step #1:** Using the YouTube link below, watch the video about the three main philosophies of Ancient China.
* **Step #2**: As you watch, fill in the chart below with the specific facts listed in order to gain a better understanding of each of the philosophies.
* **Step #3:** If you need to fill in the blank, ERASE THE LINES and place the CORRECT WORD there instead.

[**Chinese Philosophies Link (CLICK HERE)**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vg7fsgrKmc8) |

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| **During the Warring States Period, when China was disunited (split), there were a lot of new philosophies trying to find a way to find \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in life. “In this period of war, what can we do to bring life back to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?”**  |
| **Daoism/Taoism** | **Confucianism**  | **Legalism** |
| **1. Main belief:** **Looking for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with nature or with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**  | **1. Main Belief:** **Confucianism is focused on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ harmony, how can we find harmony between relationships with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**  | **1. Main Belief:** **Instead of harmony, how can we make things work the \_\_\_\_\_\_ way? The best way to make things work is through \_\_\_\_\_\_.**  |
| **2. Founder:**  | **2. Founder:**  | **2. Founder:**  |
| **3. What is the “Dao?”:**  | **3. What book did Confucius’ followers put together to record his sayings?:** | **3. Legalist cosmology says that “the basic idea is that people are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_ and if we want to make good things happen, we have to \_\_\_\_\_ them.”:**  |
| **4. What is the “odd thing” about Daoism?:**  | **4. Confucian cosmology says that “when you do something, your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have effects that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ outward from you, to the \_\_\_\_\_\_ around you.”**  | **4. What are the three main elements that make up Legalist politics?****1)****2)****3)**  |
| **5. What major religion was influenced by Daoism?**  | **5. What happens when the king is virtuous?** | **5. What happens when a Legalist leader doesn’t do a good job?** |

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| **DID YOU FILL IN YOUR CHART FOR ACTIVITY ONE? COME SHOW YOUR TEACHER SO SHE CAN CHECK THAT IT IS COMPLETE.** thumbs-up-sign.png**ALL GOOD? GO TO ACTIVITY 2!** |

ACTIVITY #2 Recognizing Chinese Philosophies through Quotes

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| **Activity 2: how can you identify the differences between the Ancient chinese philosophies?** |

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| **ACTIVITY DIRECTIONS:*** **Step #1:** Read the short quotes below and HIGHLIGHT any important information that may give you a clue to figuring out what philosophy is being shown.
* **Step #2**: Fill in the chart below using the quotes on the left side of the chart.
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| **Quote**Highlight keywords to define meaning. | **Highlighted Key Words**Write highlighted words in quote. | **Philosophy** Which Philosophy Does it belong to? |
| “People just try to look out for their own best interests, so government needs to be ready to harshly punish people who break the rules.” |  |  |
| “Government should not interfere in people’s lives and allow each person find his or her own harmony with the world around them.” |  |  |
| “A government is only effective if it has integrity. A corrupt government will not have the respect or the support of its citizens.” |  |  |

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REFLECTION QUESTION:

Please answer the following in your own words:

Having a basic understanding of each of the three Ancient chinese philosophies, which do you believe to be the most important? Which would you choose to follow and why?

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| Answer:  |

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| **DID YOU FILL IN YOUR CHART FOR ACTIVITY TWO? COME SHOW YOUR TEACHER SO SHE CAN CHECK THAT IT IS DONE.** thumbs-up-sign.png**ALL GOOD? GREAT! YOU’VE FINISHED YOUR PLAYLIST!**  |

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| **FINISHED EARLY?** Trophy, Success, Victory**CONGRATS! COME SEE YOUR TEACHER TO DISCUSS YOUR WORK!****After checking in with your teacher, log into SOCRATIVE and take your Philosophies Exit Ticket.**  |