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The Kingdom at the Center of the World*

Question # 1: How did the Chinese feel about modernization and the West? Make five observations.

Question #2: George III send an ambassador to China. George Macartney's trip was not a success. Describe what happened. Tell the story as best you can.

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The Rise of the Opium Trade*

Question # 1: What is opium and how does it make you feel?

Question # 2: Many people became addicted to opium. What is an *addiction*? Find the definition in the dictionary.

Question # 3: How is opium made?

Question # 4: Where was it made?

Question # 5: How did it get to China?

Question # 6: Was opium cheap or expensive?

Question # 7: Were the English happy to be selling large quantities of opium in China?

Question # 8: What was opium? Circle the best answer.

- a. a wonderful medicine
- b. a delicious juice made of poppies
- c. an addictive poison