

Unit 3

From Isolation to Adaptation

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Reading/Study Guide Unit 3 Activity

Chapter 15, Lesson 2

Answer the following questions. Type your responses between the blue brackets provided.

1. What does Prince Mutsuhito's new name for himself tell us about his attitude towards change?

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2. What was the *oligarchy*?

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3. What were the two goals of government reform?

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4. Why was the Imperial Court moved?

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5. What was the *Five Charter Oath*?

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6. How did the new government increase the power of the emperor and themselves?

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7. Who was Saigo Takamori?

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8. Why did he lead the revolt against the emperor?

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9. When he lost to the Japanese Imperial Army, what did he do? Why?

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10. What new rules applied to common people?

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11. How did the Meiji leaders change education?

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12. What remained the same in Japanese society?

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