

17.4 Southeast Asia Today (pp. 606-611)

Section Outline: Complete the section outline as you read. Remember that an outline contains the most important facts from a reading, and is not usually written in complete sentences. An outline can be a way of creating organized notes.

- From Colonies to Countries
- Challenges to Democracy
 - The United States and Vietnam
 - The Suffering Continues
 - Military Rule in Myanmar
 - Indonesian Independence
- A Strict Ruler
 - A History of Independence
 - People Power

Reading Check Questions: Answer the following questions as you read the text.

1. Summarize the history of the Philippines between 1898 and 1946.
2. How is Indonesia's government different from that of Myanmar's?
3. How did Corazon Aquino become president of the Philippines?