

13.1 Japan Modernizes (pp. 429-433)

CHECKPOINTS: Answer each question as you read the text.

1. By the mid-1800s, why did so many groups of people in Japan feel discontented?
2. How did Japan react when it was forced to accept unequal treaties?
3. What changes did the reforms of the Meiji Restoration bring about in Japan?
4. How did industrialization help start Japan on an imperialist course?