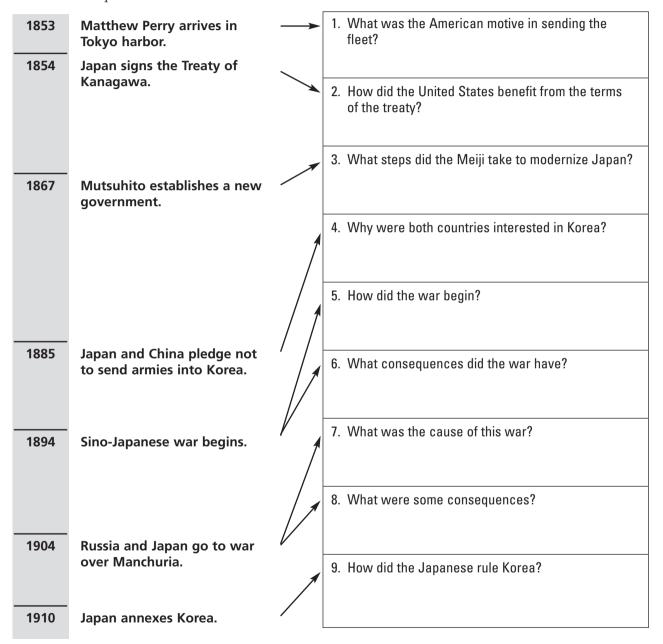


GUIDED READING Modernization in Japan

A. *Following Chronological Order* As you read about the modernization of Japan, answer the questions about the time line.



B. *Clarifying* On the back of this paper, write a brief paragraph explaining why the **Meiji era** is viewed as a period of "enlightened rule."