

# Reading Worksheet: The Founding Figures of Pancasila

**Level:** Grade 4

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## ◆ Text for Reading (Teacher Reads or Students Read Aloud)

Before Indonesia became independent, a group called **BPUPK** was formed in 1945. This group met to talk about **how to build a free country**. The meeting was led by **Dr. Radjiman Wedyodiningrat**. There were **Indonesian** and **Japanese** members, but only Indonesians could vote.

In that meeting, three important figures—**Mohammad Yamin**, **Soepomo**, and **Sukarno**—shared their ideas. Later, a smaller group called the **Committee of Nine** was formed. This group included **Sukarno** and **Mohammad Hatta**, and they wrote a draft of the country's rules, called the **Jakarta Charter**.

After independence, another group called **PPKI** made the final decision: **Pancasila** would be the foundation of the Indonesian state.

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## Part A: Match the Person to Their Role (10 minutes)

Draw a line or write the letter that matches.

Column A	Column B
1. Dr. Radjiman Wedyodiningrat	a. Helped write the Jakarta Charter
2. Sukarno	b. Led the BPUPK meeting
3. Mohammad Hatta	c. Was in the Committee of Nine

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## ✍ Part B: Fill in the Blanks (15 minutes)

Choose from the **Answer Bank** to fill the blanks.

### **Answer Bank:**

Jakarta Charter – 1945 – BPUPK – Committee of Nine – Pancasila – Japan

1. \_\_\_\_\_ formed the BPUPK to talk about independence.
2. The BPUPK was created in the year \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The name of the group that led the meeting is \_\_\_\_\_.
4. A smaller group called the \_\_\_\_\_ wrote a draft of the country's rules.
5. The draft was called the \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The final name chosen for the country's foundation was \_\_\_\_\_.

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## ✍ Part C: True or False (15 minutes)

Write **T** for true, or **F** for false.

1. Sukarno and Mohammad Hatta were part of the Committee of Nine.
2. The Japanese people led the BPUPK meeting.
3. The Jakarta Charter was written after Indonesia became independent.
4. PPKI made Pancasila the foundation of Indonesia.
5. BPUPK happened in the year 1945.

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## ✍ Part D: Multiple Choice (20 minutes)

Circle the correct answer.

1. What was BPUPK formed to talk about?
  - a. Building schools
  - b. Making clothes
  - c. Planning independence
  - d. Creating holidays
2. Who led the BPUPK meeting?
  - a. Sukarno
  - b. Soepomo
  - c. Dr. Radjiman Wedyodiningrat
  - d. Mohammad Hatta
3. What is the Jakarta Charter?
  - a. A kind of boat
  - b. A draft of Indonesia's rules
  - c. A new flag
  - d. A building in Jakarta
4. What is Pancasila?
  - a. The name of a hero
  - b. A song
  - c. A city in Indonesia
  - d. The foundation of the country
5. When was BPUPK created?
  - a. 1940
  - b. 1942
  - c. 1945
  - d. 1950