

## SOCIAL STUDIES 9

A. Put a check if the given description for the highlighted term is correct.

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. **South Korea:** an East Asian nation on the southern part half of Korean peninsula, shares one of the world's most heavily militarized borders with North Korea

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. **Won:** the old currency of Korea that lasted until 1902.

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. **Peninsula:** an area of land mostly surrounded by water but connected to a larger piece of island.

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. **Land of the Morning Calm:** is the nation's alias of South Korea that is coined by a Ming Dynasty Emperor because of the country's spellbinding natural beauty, picturesque high mountains, clear waters and splendid tranquility.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. **Spring:** the season in South Korea that starts in March with flurry colors and ends in early June.

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. **Buddhism & Confucianism:** the religion in South Korea that have been more influential than any others upon the life of the Korean people.

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. **Demilitarized Zone:** the area that serves as a border between North Korea and China.

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. **Hangul:** is the alphabetic system use in writing the Korean language that has 18 consonant and 10 vowel letters.

\_\_\_\_\_ 9. **Hanbok:** is the traditional clothing of ancient Korea that symbolizes fortune and good will.

\_\_\_\_\_ 10. **Communist Party of Korea:** the official name of Korea.