

CHAPTER
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GUIDED READING *The Indian Subcontinent*
Achieves Freedom

Section 1

A. Following Chronological Order As you read this section, take notes to answer the questions about the time line.

1920	Mohandas Gandhi launches first nonviolent campaign for independence.	1. What were the major concerns of the Muslim League?
1940	Muslim League proposes partition of India at Lahore Conference.	2. What problems had to be resolved in the months prior to independence?
1947	India and Pakistan become independent.	3. What were the terms of the cease-fire?
1949	UN arranges cease-fire between India and Pakistan in Kashmir.	4. How did Nehru contribute to India's modernization and democracy?
1964	Jawaharlal Nehru dies.	5. What events led to the creation of this new nation?
1971	The nation of Bangladesh is formed.	6. What major problem did Indira Gandhi face?
1980	Indira Gandhi is reelected India's prime minister.	7. What was the cause of turmoil in Sri Lanka?
1987	Leaders of India and Sri Lanka reach an accord.	

B. Clarifying On the back of this paper, identify each of the following people:

Muhammad Ali Jinnah Benazir Bhutto