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Handout (3 pages)

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Complete the organizer for each source read or examined during this lesson. Focus on information that will help you answer the central question.

H. Paul Varley. "Medieval Japan: The Mongol Invasions: 1274 and 1281." Video from Asia for Educators at Columbia University.	Primary Secondary		
Your Textbook	Primary Secondary		
T. Walter Wallbank and Arnold Schrier. <i>Living World History</i> , 2nd edition. Glenview, IL: Scott, Foresman and Company, 1964, p. 243.	Primary Secondary		

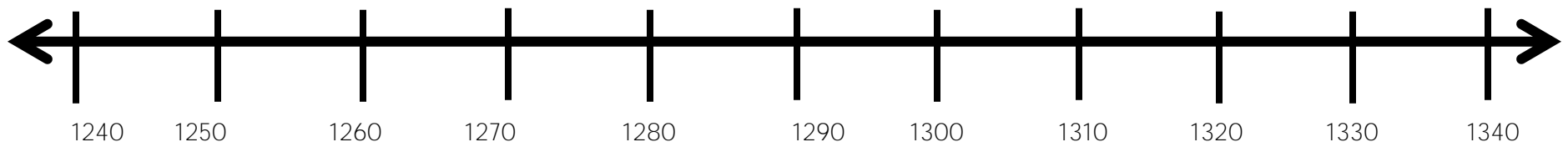
<p>Martin Colcutt. "Japan's Medieval Age: The Kamakura & Muromachi Periods." <i>About Japan, A Teacher's Resource</i>. New York: Japan Society, March 27, 2008. http://aboutjapan.japansociety.org.</p>	<p>Primary Secondary</p>		
<p>"Takezaki Suenaga's Scrolls of the Mongol Invasions of Japan." Bowdoin College. http://www.bowdoin.edu/mongol-scrolls/</p>	<p>Primary Secondary</p>		
<p>"Mongol Wall in Hakata Bay" PowerPoint.</p>	<p>Primary Secondary</p>		
<p>James P. Delgado. "Relics of the Kamikaze," <i>Archeology</i>, vol. 56, no. 1 (January/February 2003). http://archive.archaeology.org/0301/etc/kamikaze.html.</p>	<p>Primary Secondary</p>		

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Japan adopted a policy of isolation. The seas separating the islands from the mainland of Asia served as protective barriers against invasion. Kublai Khan, the Mongol emperor of China at the time of Marco Polo's visit, did try to conquer Japan. In 1281 he sent 900 ships and 25,000 Mongol soldiers to the islands. But the Japanese resisted fiercely, and were helped by a storm which sank the ships and drowned the soldiers. The Japanese called this storm *Kamikaze*, or "Divine Wind."

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Gather information from your assigned section of the scrolls and prepare to share that information with your classmates. Take notes in the appropriate section below. When all five groups have reported, discuss the following questions as a class: How is this source reliable? In what ways is it not reliable? How does the information in this source compare to the other sources you have examined?

Section 1

Section 2

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Section 5