

Title of Lesson: North Korea in a regional context

Subject: Current Issues

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Essential Question(s):	How do various countries in the region especially Japan view the nuclear showdown on the Korean Peninsula

Specific Daily Objective(s)	Give students a background about the Korean Peninsula Have students look at the conflict from the perspectives of various countries
Required Materials / Resources (ex: internet, book, DVD, hand-out)	PPT Video projector for clips in the PPT Internet access for articles Worksheets
Initiation Activity	Ask students what they know about North Korea Have students ask questions about North Korea
Instructional Strategies Implemented	Students will receive information from lecture, articles, self-chosen articles, maps,
Methods of Assessment in Achieving Lesson Objectives (Formative / Summative)	Initiation Activity Homework Discussion
Plan (if applicable) For Independent Practice	The second article assignment on the Times of Japan hand-out
Closure Activity and Desired Outcome	Students will write a paragraph comparing and contrasting two

Reflection: Based on information collected from formal/informal assessments, what adjustments, if any, are needed in future lessons?