Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Dynasties of China:** Period: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Shang, Zhou, Qin, & Han, China’s four earliest dynasties, were already covered in the *China: Dynasties of Power* video

**Directions:** Use the attached **S.P.I.C.E.** themes reference table to identify **two** specific ways in which each civilization represents the historical themes and decline & downfallof **S.P.I.C.E.D.** in the chart below.

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| **Kingdom /****Empire…** | ***S. = Social*** | ***P. = Political*** | ***I. = Interaction/ Geographical*** | ***C. = Cultural*** | ***E. = Economic*** | ***D. = Decline & Downfall*** |
| **Sui Dynasty** |  |  |  |  |  | *Examples:**-* ***Emperor Yang*** *exhausted empire’s resources on large building projects:* ***Grand Canal*** *& reconstruction of* ***Great Wall*** *- Forced labor & heavy taxes caused revolts* |
| **Tang Dynasty** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Song Dynasty** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Kingdom/ Empire…** | ***S. = Social*** | ***P. = Political*** | ***I. = Interaction/ Geographical*** | ***C. = Cultural*** | ***E. = Economic*** | ***D. = Decline & Downfall*** |
| **Yuan (Mongol ruled) Dynasty** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Ming Dynasty** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Qing** **(Manchu ruled) Dynasty** |  |  |  |  |  |  |