

MATCHING DETAILS

China by the Numbers

In this issue, "China: The Next Generation" (pp. 6-9) takes a look at that country's past, present, and future. Use details from the article to complete this exercise.

DIRECTIONS: On the blank line in front of each figure in the left-hand column, write the letter of the appropriate descriptor in the right-hand column.

_____ 1	A. percent of females who are literate (able to read)
_____ 8	B. number of members in the National People's Congress
_____ 43	C. percent of labor force in agriculture
_____ 60	D. year in which a deadly famine began
_____ 87	E. year since which city dwellers' income has nearly tripled
_____ 1,800	F. allowed number of children in most families
_____ 1959	G. China's land area, in square miles
_____ 1976	H. population of China
_____ 1989	I. percent of expected economic growth this year
_____ 1999	J. per capita GDP, in dollars
_____ 3,000	K. number of years China has been a Communist state
_____ 6,000	L. number of 14- to 18-year-olds
_____ 3,696,100	M. year of Mao Zedong's death
_____ 115,000,000	N. number of applicants to Beijing's top two universities in 2007
_____ 1,331,400,000	O. year in which pro-democracy protesters gathered in Tiananmen Square