**Pre-WW2 Asian Timeline Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Complete the chart using information from the interactive timeline “America on the Sidelines: The United States and World Affairs 1931-1941” ( <http://teachingamericanhistory.org/static/neh/interactives/neutrality/> ), and answer the questions at the end. **COMPLETE ONLY THE HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS**

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| **Date/Event** | **Description of Event** | **U.S. Course of Action** |
| **Sept. 1931**  **Japan Invades Manchuria** |  |  |
| **Dec. 1932 Japan Invades Jehol Province** |  |  |
| **Dec. 1934 Japan Renounces Naval Treaty Restrictions** |  |  |
| **Nov. 1935 Promotes “Autonomy Movement” in North China** |  |  |
| **Nov. 1936 Japan Signs Anti-Comintern Act** |  |  |
| **July 1937 War Breaks out Between Japan and China** |  |  |
| **Dec. 1937 Panay Incident** |  |  |
| **May 1938 Japanese Offensives in China** |  |  |
| **Oct. 1938 Japanese Offensives in Southern China** |  |  |
| **July 1939 Fighting Between Japanese and Soviet Forces** |  |  |
| **July 1940 Closing of the Burma Road** |  |  |
| **Sept. 1940 Japan Occupies Northern Indochina** |  |  |
| **July 1941 Japan Occupies Southern Indochina** |  |  |
| **Sept. 1941 Japan Proposes East Asia Settlement** |  |  |
| **Nov. 1941 Japan Proposes “Modus Vivendi”** |  |  |
| **Dec. 1941 Attack on Pearl Harbor** |  |  |

**How would you describe the U.S. Foreign Policy/Course of Action as it relates to their relationship with Japan during this time?**

**Why do you think the U.S. took this course of action to these events?**

**Choose TWO of these events and explain How would YOU have handled these if you were the President of the United States at the time of the events?**