World History Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mongols Graphic Organizer

**Overarching Question: Were the Mongols “Civilized” or “Uncivilized?”**

*Instructions*:

* Thoroughly fill out each section of the following graphic organizer, typing *at least* one-third of a page for each category (single-spaced). Use **full sentences** and **your own words**.
* You must use at least 5 sources for this assignment, including the following: *The Mongols in World History* website (on the course website, note that it includes many great links!) the *National Geographic* article in your textbook (pages 258-261) and/or the *Time* article (in the “links” section on the course website).
* Copy and paste your **sources** at the bottom of your graphic organizer. You may use documentaries for this assignment.

Nomadic lifestyle prior to conquest (description of this livelihood, including the ger, roles/rights of women, the importance of the yak and horse)

How Genghis Khan’s childhood influenced his leadership capabilities

Military tactics (weapons, effective strategies, etc.)

Military accomplishments under Genghis Khan

Genghis Khan and Kublai Khan’s ruling style (treatment of defeated people, etc.)

Contributions of the Mongols to world history (Pax Mongolica, etc.)

Negative effects of Mongol invasions and rule (murders, etc.)

*SOURCES:*