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Section 3

GUIDED READING *Eastern City-States and Southern Empires*

**A. Summarizing** As you read this section, make notes to answer the questions.

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| 1. How did the monsoons help change the existing villages of East Coast Africa into bustling seaports? |    |    |    |
| 2. How did Kilwa's location contribute to its wealth and power?  |    |    |    |
| 3. What was the importance of the Portuguese conquest of Sofala, Kilwa, and Mombasa?                   |    |    |    |
| 4. What were the geographical advantages of Great Zimbabwe?  |    |    |    |
| 5. How did the Muslims influence the development of East African cities?                               |    |    |    |
| 6. How did the Mutapa Empire become great? List four reasons.  |    |    |    |
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**B. Clarifying** On the back of this paper, identify each of the following: **Swahili**, **Great Zimbabwe**, and **Mutapa**.