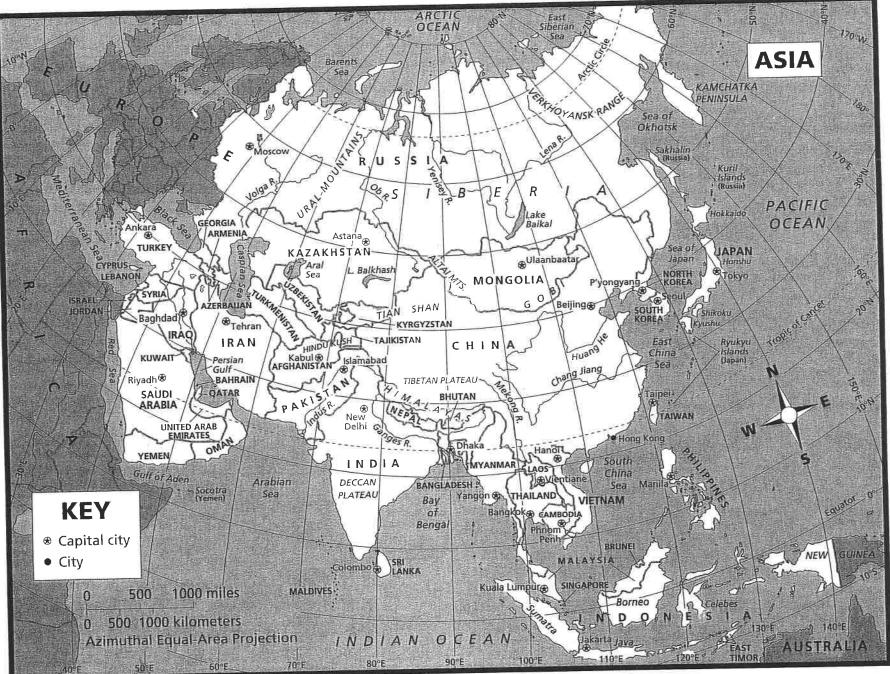
Atomewor , Feb. 13th rid an Date Name Opts Read the paragraph for background information. Then use the map to answer the questions. Ν **D**id you know? Asia is the largest continent on Earth. Its name is so old that no one really knows its origins. All of the world's major religions originated in Asia. These include Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, and Judaism. 1. Is Hong Kong the capital of China? How can you tell? 2. What other continents directly touch Asia? 3. How does the map clarify the difference between an island name, such as Sumatra, and a country name, such as Indonesia? 4. Which sea lies along the 60<sup>th</sup> meridian in the Eastern Hemisphere? 5. What is the approximate location in latitude and longitude of Colombo, Sri Lanka? 6. Which capital city is NW of Beijing? 7. Which country is SE of Pakistan? 8. Which capital city is closest to Vientiane, Laos? The World © 2005 Creative Teaching Press 9. Which city is farthest from Baghdad: Ankara, Turkey, or Riyadh, Saudi Arabia? \_\_ 10. How far away is the city that answers question 9 from Baghdad? Maps 10 Asia



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