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Chapter 4-4: The Qin Dynasty

Directions: Using pages 107-109 in chapter 4-4, answer the following questions in detailed complete sentences.

1. Why did **Shi Huangdi** use turn to Legalism to unify his empire?
2. How did Shi Huangdi unify China? Explain how he crushed internal and external threats.
3. How did Shi Huangdi and his advisors prevent criticism?
4. Read the sidebar entitled: “More on Shi Huangdi.” What do these aspects of Shi Huangdi represent about his leadership style?
5. Define **autocracy**.
6. Explain Shi Huangdi’s program of centralization. Why was he still an unpopular leader?
7. Using the “History in Depth” visual of the Great Wall of China, explain how large it was and how far it spanned.
8. Why was the Great Wall built? Explain.
9. Why did the Qin Dynasty fall? Explain.
10. *Make a prediction:* What will the next Chinese dynasty focus on in its social, economic, and political policies?