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The Silk Road: Ancient China's Pathway to the World

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What valuable product was China known for producing and exporting along the Silk Road?
 - a) Spices
 - b) Tea
 - c) Porcelain
 - d) Diamonds

2. What made the Silk Road instrumental in bolstering China's economy?
 - a) The exchange of foreign technologies
 - b) The flow of exotic animals
 - c) The trade of gold and silver
 - d) The exchange of luxury goods and commodities

3. Which major religion was introduced to China via the Silk Road?
 - a) Christianity
 - b) Buddhism
 - c) Hinduism
 - d) Islam

4. What significant Chinese inventions spread westward along the Silk Road?
 - a) Silk and porcelain
 - b) Papermaking, printing, and gunpowder
 - c) Tea and spices
 - d) Precious stones and textiles

5. What challenges did travelers along the Silk Road face?
 - a) Excessive taxation
 - b) Treacherous terrain, bandits, and harsh conditions
 - c) Language barriers
 - d) Lack of interest in trade

