

Interchangeable Success

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DIRECTIONS: USE WORDS FROM THE WORD BOX TO FILL IN THE BLANKS.

Word Box

200 BC/BCE

1 million square miles

cast iron arrows

crossbow

Great Wall of China

million lives

terracotta warriors

China

- 1.) Around the year _____ the first emperor of China Wu of Han, aka Shi Huangdi used a revolutionary technology mass produced _____ to help conquer 6 warring kingdoms of greater than _____ and 27 million people. The arrows used were with another breakthrough technology with 5 times the range of bows from Europe the _____. The weapon allowed Emperor Wu's troops a huge advantage over their rivals. Once the emperor was victorious and united great expanses of land he sought a way to keep threats out of his territories. Shi Huangdi needed a way to keep the nomadic hordes of Central Asia. The emperor began the _____. The project would take 1800 years to build, span over 13,000 miles and cost over a _____. Ironically, the emperor's attempt at immortality had him taking _____ tablets which were poisonous and lead to his untimely death at 49 years of age. His tomb contained the wives who failed to bear him children the craftsmen who built the tomb and 8000 unique _____.

The tomb is a tourist attraction today in China.

