China and Africa: A Century of Engagement presents a comprehensive view of the relationship between this powerful Asian nation and the countries of Africa. The primary text is China and Africa: A Century of Engagement by David H. Shinn and Joshua Eisenman. The book examines China's engagement in Africa, its scope, significance, and consequences. It covers the period from the early 20th century to the present day.

Key Takeaways:
1. China's increasing engagement in Africa is not a new phenomenon. It has existed for decades, but has accelerated in recent years.
2. China's engagement in Africa is driven by its need to secure resources and markets.
3. Africa's need for investment and development has also played a role in this engagement.
4. The impact of China's engagement on Africa's development is complex and multifaceted.
5. The relationship between China and Africa is likely to continue to evolve in the coming years.

The book is co-authored by David H. Shinn and Joshua Eisenman, and is published by the Elliott School Press. It is a comprehensive resource for understanding China's engagement in Africa and its implications for the future.