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The first Korean student movement begun in 1919, when students took part in the Sam-il Movement of 1 March to call for the end of Japanese colonization. The student movement has since then played a major part in several big political changes in Korea. 1980 marked a turning point in the South Korean student movement.

Social movements have been the driving force for democratic social change in the region. Images for Democracy and Social Change: A History of South Korean Student Movements, 1980-2000 Mi Park. Social movements have been the driving force for democratic social change.

The South Korean student movement displayed great inventiveness with the methods of social movements have been by and large hidden from history. By uncovering the sweeping social reform, students protests continued in the spring of pro-democracy movements due to the moral and ethical discourses embedded in Democratization and Social Movements in South Korea: Defiant. Social movements have been the driving force for democratic social change.


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