

World Civilizations Project

AP World

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Directions: Due to the effects of the Neolithic Revolution Humankind would adapt leading to a change from Nomadic life to that of one that can only be described as Civilized. Your task as a class Historian is to uncover the 'truth' of Ancient Civilizations' impact on the History of our planet and species. Good Luck!!

Potential Civilizations based on Region

<u>America</u>	<u>Middle East</u>	<u>South Asia</u>	<u>East Asia</u>	<u>Western Europe</u>
Aztecs	Sumer / Babylon	Indus Valley	Shang/ Zhou	Greece
Incan	Hittites/ Assyria	Mauyran	Chin / Han	Hellenistic
Maya	Phoenicians / Persia	Gupta	Tang / Song	Roman

Task:

You and your fellow Historian (Partner) will research your Civilization and provide the data you uncovered for our class. Once primary research from your Textbook, Books in the Library, and the Internet is completed you will create a Slide / PPT Show based on the following template and categories...

Slide 1 = Title Slide Civilization Name, Time Period, and Map of Location

Slide 2 = Geographic Impact on Society

Slide 3 = Political System and Impact on Society

Slide 4 = Economic System and Impact on Society

Slide 5 = Beliefs and Religious Impact on Culture

Slide 6 = Rise of Civilization

Slide 7 = Art and Architecture

Slide 8 = Writing System and Written History

Slide 9 = Major Technological Advances

Slide 10 = Golden Age

Slide 11 = Famous Citizens and Achievements

Slide 12 = Slavery

Slide 13 = Fall of Civilization

Slide 14 = World Wide Contributions

Slide 15 = Resource List

Grading Policy:

Each PowerPoint will be worth a double Test Grade 200 points based on accuracy, context, depth of subject, and relevance. Each slide will only have the most important information as you can only use one slide for each topic as well as a visual artifact. Students will be responsible at the end of the unit for learning about one Civilization from each Cultural Region for a total of 5. Your research will be used in a class share session the following week. Good Luck!!!

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