

NAME _____ Class _____

SCORE _____

AP World History Chapter 1

Worksheet 1 Week 1

CHAPTER REVIEW

TERMS, PEOPLE, EVENTS

The following terms, people, and events are important to your understanding of the chapter. Write a brief definition of each.

Paleolithic Age

Homo sapiens

Neolithic Age

hunting and gathering

Bronze Age

slash and burn agriculture

civilization

Çatal Hüyük

nomads

Mesopotamia

Sumerians

Indus River valley

Harappa

Shang dynasty

MY KEY TERMS

Write down terms that are unfamiliar. How are the words used? Do other words or examples reveal their meaning? Try to figure out meaning from the context.

7. THE HERITAGE OF THE RIVER VALLEY CIVILIZATIONS

As you read this section in your textbook, complete the following outline with details from the text to summarize the contributions of the river valley civilizations.

I. Lasting Impact

A.

- 1.
- 2.

B.

- 1.
- 2.

II. Heritage of Early Civilizations

A.

- 1.
- 2.

B.

- 1.
- 2.

III. New Societies in the Middle East

A.

- 1.
- 2.

B.

- 1.
- 2.

IV. Judaism

A.

- 1.
- 2.

B.

- 1.
- 2.

V. Assessing the Early Civilization Period

A.

- 1.
- 2.

B.

- 1.
- 2.

SHORT ANSWER REVIEW

Write the word or phrase that best completes the statement or answers the question.

1. Most civilizations developed writing, starting with the emergence of _____ in the Middle East around 3500 B.C.E.
2. It was under Babylonian rule that King _____ introduced the most famous early code of law.
3. By about 1500 B.C.E., a line of kings called the _____ ruled over early Chinese civilization.
4. A smaller regional group called the _____ devised an alphabet with 22 letters; this in turn was the ancestor of the Greek and Latin alphabets.
5. The largest city to develop along the Indus River was _____.
6. Early civilizations began in China along the _____ River.
7. The ancient civilization with the longest-lasting stability was in _____.
8. A large Neolithic village in modern Turkey, _____ was inhabited by 7000 B.C.E.
9. The belief in a single deity is known as _____.
10. The development of sedentary agriculture began is called the _____ revolution.