

Civilizations of the Americas Book

	Maya	Aztec	Inca	My Score	Werner's Score
*Geography					
Time Period					
* Economy					
* Government/ Society					
* Religion					
* Technology/ Contributions					
*Explanation of the way the civilization ended.					
1 picture describing either the economy or government.					
1 picture describing the religion					
1 picture describing their technology or contributions.					
Cover page – must include the title of the project, your name, and class period (10 point)					
TOTAL NUMBER OF POINTS					
				/100	/100

Directions

- You are going to make a book over the early American civilizations (Aztec, Maya, and Inca). You will make a page for each civilization that will include their geography, time period, government/society, religion, and technology/contributions. In addition, you will either have to include three pictures. You are welcome to either draw the pictures or download them from the Internet. If you download them, you must give the MLA citation.
- Each section, excluding the cover page, is worth three points per early American group for a total of 90 points. The cover page is worth ten points.
- Each section with an “*” must contain a three sentence description per early American group. You will need to answer the questions on the back of this sheet within your response. Check the back of this paper for page numbers.
- Use this side of the paper as a checklist for your book. Make sure you cover each topic for each group.
- Staple all pieces of your book together.

Name _____ Date _____ Pd _____

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GEOGRAPHY: AZTECS, MAYA AND INCA p. 210, 211, 217, 220, 229

1. DRAW A MAP AND LABEL THE LOCATION OF EACH CULTURE.
2. PLACE DATES OF EACH CULTURE.
3. DESCRIBE HOW EACH CULTURE ADAPTED TO THEIR ENVIRONMENT.
4. WHAT TYPE OF FOOD DID EACH CULTURE GROW?

ECONOMY: AZTECS 220 (UNDER MERCHANTS AND ARTISANS), MAYA, 212
Inca - p. 233

1. DESCRIBE THE SYSTEM OF TRADE WITHIN EACH CULTURE.
2. WHAT WAS VALUED AND/OR RARE? EXPLAIN WHAT TYPES OF THINGS WERE TRADED.

GOVERNMENT/SOCIETY: AZTEC 218-219 ..., MAYA p. 211, 212, INCA 229-230, 232

1. CREATE A SOCIAL PYRAMID FOR EACH CULTURE.
2. WHAT ROLE DID A RULER PLAY?
3. DESCRIBE A MAJOR LEADER THAT WE LEARNED ABOUT

RELIGION: AZTECS, 219 MAYA 212 INCA 233

1. DESCRIBE THE BELIEF SYSTEM OF EACH CULTURE.
2. WHAT ROLE DID HUMAN AND ANIMAL SACRIFICES PLAY IN EACH SOCIETY?
3. DESCRIBE THE ARCHITECTURE/BUILDINGS OF THE CIVILIZATION. EXPLAIN WHAT THEY WERE USED FOR OR IN THE CASE OF THE INCA, HOW WERE THEY BUILT?

ACHIEVEMENTS: AZTEC 220 INCA 231-232 MAYA, 213-215

1. DESCRIBE TWO OR THREE ACHIEVEMENTS OF EACH CULTURE.

DECLINE: AZTEC 221 MAYA 212 INCA 230

1. DESCRIBE WHAT LEAD TO THE DECLINE OF EACH CULTURE.
2. WHAT ROLE DID THE AGE OF EXPLORATION PLAY IN AZTEC AND INCA CULTURE? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE MAYA?