

APWH Unit 1 Need to Know

1. Where the major world regions are for APWH.
2. Where man stands on the cosmic calendar.
3. What the cosmic calendar means/is.
4. The years that APWH covers.
5. The “three ages” of human history.
 - a. What each means.
6. How is “new world history” different from how it used to be.
7. Ethnocentrism and Eurocentrism..
8. Lucy.
9. Where humans first were.
10. How humans settled the world.
11. Homo sapiens sapiens.
12. Land bridges.
13. How climate causes races.
14. Which regions were settled first/last by humans.
15. Paleolithic tools.
16. How climate caused more settlement of the planet.
17. What life was like for Paleolithic people. How it differed from Neolithic people.
18. Aborigines and dreamtime.
19. Paleolithic religions.
20. Animism.
21. Venus figures.
22. Dreamtime (other than it being awesome).
23. Clovis people/arrow heads. What does it show us?
24. Why Austronesian migrations are different.
25. How did hunting/gathering shape their society?
26. Hunting gathering impact on environment. Difference between that and Neolithic impact.
27. Warmer wetter better.
28. Lascaux art. Why it matters.
29. Shamanism.
30. Things that came with the Neolithic revolution other than farming.
31. Why Neolithic revolution is the most important event in human history.
32. Domestication.
33. Intensification.
34. Early ag societies. How they were different from “civilizations” and Paleolithic societies.
35. Irrigation.
36. Beasts of burden.
37. Six places the Neolithic revolution happened at about the same time. Know a map of this.
38. How women probably started the Neolithic revolution. Why is this ironic/sad?
39. Why did the Americas develop so much later than other societies regarding “civilization”?
40. Basic llama jokes.
41. Diffusion.
42. Colonization.
43. Bantus, Bantus, Bantus.
44. Indo-European languages. Chinese language. Austronesian language.
45. Why some people said they didn’t want to be Neolithic.
46. Pastoralism. How it is different from agriculture.
47. What areas were pastoral? Why?
48. Catal Huyuk. Their fun graveyard houses.
49. How metal was used in early ag societies and Paleolithic societies.
50. Metallurgy.

51. Lydians and Hittites.
52. Chiefs and chiefdoms. How they are different from "civilizations". How chiefs get power.
53. Difference between agriculture and horticulture.
54. Jericho v. Catal Huyuk.
55. What makes a civilization?
56. Six first civilizations locations.
57. Something about each of the six first civilizations.
58. THE CHINESE DYNASTY SONG!!!!!!!
59. Shang Dynasty.
60. Zhou Dynasty.
61. Mandate of Heaven.
62. Oracle Bones.
63. How do civilizations get started?
64. How could population density cause civilizations to get started?
65. What is a state? What does it have to have?
66. What do cities do in early states?
67. Pastoralists' role in making war more brutal.
68. Inequalities that came with civilization.
69. Ham Code. How it shows inequalities in Mesopotamia.
70. Things borrowed from Mesopotamia from Egypt.
71. Know what ziggurats, pyramids and the Indus street grid looks like.
72. How was slavery different in early civilizations compared to the trans-Atlantic slave trade?
73. How did slavery probably start?
74. POWs.
75. How did slavery differ among different early civilizations?
76. Patriarchy. How it probably started.
77. Mesopotamia v. Egypt on the following:
78. Patriarchy.
79. Political/state/government.
80. Environment.
81. Belief in gods/religion.
82. Writing.
83. Interaction between Egypt and Mesopotamia.
84. Sources of authority in the first civilizations.
85. Quipus. (know what it looks like)
86. Hieroglyphics. (know what it looks like)
87. Cuneiform. (know what it looks like)
88. Judaism.
89. Vedic religions.
90. Zoroastrianism.
91. Epic of Gilgamesh.
92. Phoenicians.
93. Nubia.
94. Hyksos.