

# Period 1: Technology & Environmental Transformations, to 600BCE

*Australopithecus*

Çatal Hüyük

Hominidae

*Homo erectus*

*Homo sapiens*

Metallurgy

Neandertal

Neolithic

Paleolithic

Patriarchy

Specialization of labor

Venus figurines

Assyrians

Bronze, Iron technology

Cuneiform

Economic specialization

*Epic of Gilgamesh*

Hammurabi's Code

Hanging Gardens of

Babylon

Hittites

Indo-Europeans

Pastoral nomads

Patriarchal society

Sargon of Akkad

Stele

Ziggurat

Hieroglyphics

Hyksos

Menes

Mercenary

Merotic

*Dasas*

Dravidians

Indra

*Moksha*

Nirvana

Pariah

*Raja*

*Samsara*

Sati (*suttee*)

*Vaishyas*

*Varna*

Vedas

Chu

Ideograms

Tian

Veneration of

Ancestors

Yin

Austronesian

peoples

Chichén Itzá

Colossal human

heads

Kaminaljuyú

Lapita

Maize

Maya

Maya ball game

Mayan calendar

Mesoamerica

Mochica

Oceania

Olmecs

Popol Vuh

Teotihuacan

Tikal

## Need to know Definitions

Cave paintings

Complex society

Domestication

Gender

Textile

Urbanization

City-state

Cross-cultural

interaction,

exchange

Elite, commoner,

dependent, slave

Hanging Gardens of

Babylon

Irrigation

Kingdom

Monotheism

Moses

Polytheism

Deity

Yahweh

Semitic

Cataracts

Hieratic

Mercenary

Scribe

Maize