WEEK 1: HISTORY

DAY 1:

Read Chapter 4: "Sunday, Monday"



Answer these questions on notebook paper. Write complete sentences.

- 1. What is the land between the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers called?
- 2. Babylon was the capital of which tribe?
- 3. Nineveh was the capital of which tribe?
- 4. What is the name triangle-shape writing on clay tablets found in Sumer?
- 5. Who is the Babylonian king who wrote down the first book of laws?
- 6. What is a ziggurat? Why did the Sumerians and Babylonians build them?

DAY 2:

Read Chapter 3: "The Land by the Nile"

Answer these questions on notebook paper. Write complete sentences.

- 1. Why were they yearly floods of the Nile good for Egypt?
- 2. Who was the first king over all of Egypt?
- 3. Why did pharaohs have the pyramids built?
- 4. Why did the Egyptians make mummies?
- 5. What did archeologists find that helped them de-code Egyptian hieroglyphs?

DAY 3:

WRITING

Look up a famous person from Mesopotamia or Egypt. You can click the names of the people below to find information.

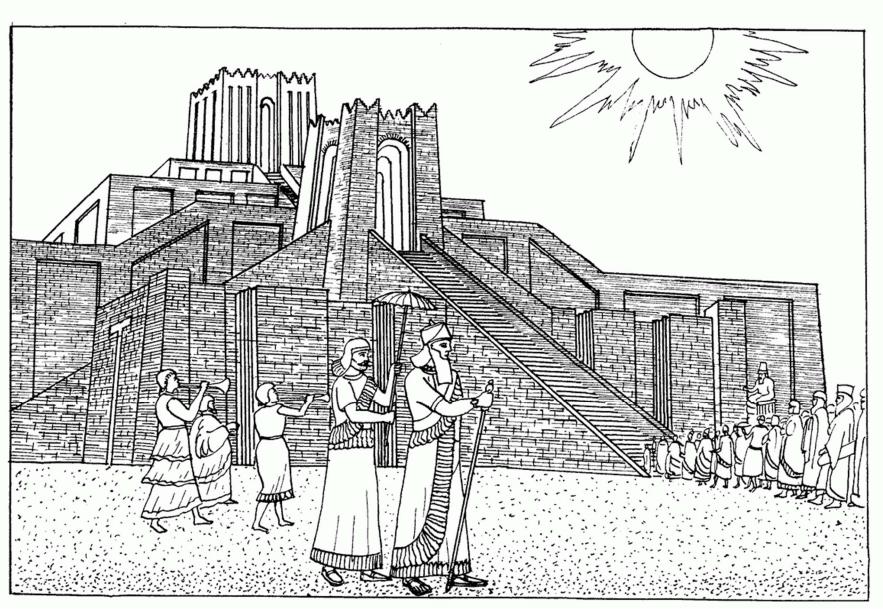
Write 5 - 10 sentences about the person and what he or she did.

- 1. Write your name in top left corner of the paper.
- 2. Your paper should be neatly handwritten.
- 3. Start each sentence with a capital. End with a period.
- 4. Check the spelling of words.
- 5. Circle)the first 5 **nouns** in your paragraph.

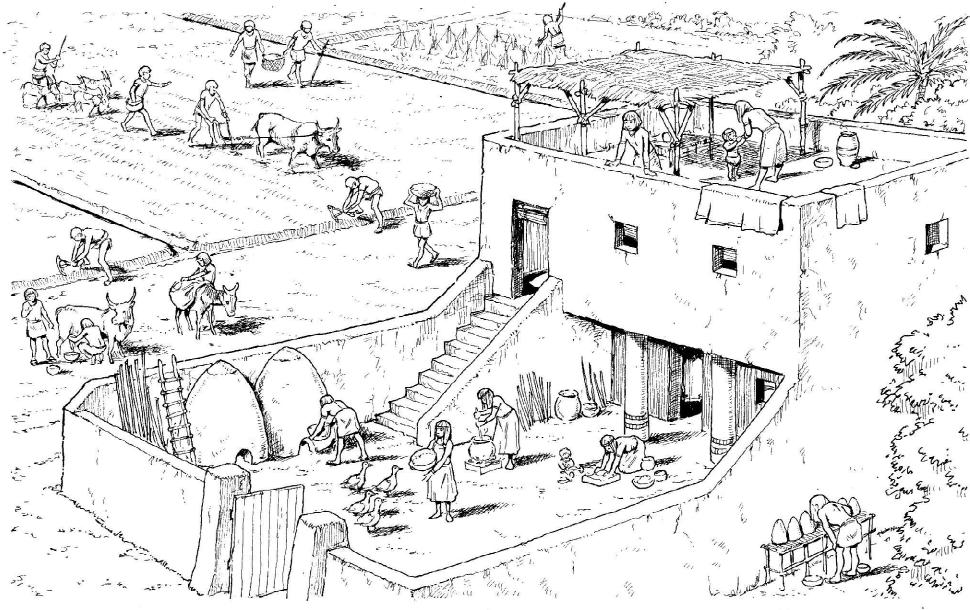
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Optional Bonus: +3 points on your homework grade for each

Color either or both of the following coloring pages. Your coloring must be neat and done with accurate colors.



The Ziggurat of Ur. The ziggurat at Ur and the temple on its top were built around 2100 B.C. by the king Ur-Nammu of the Third Dynasty of Ur for the moon goddess Nanna, the divine patron of the city state. The structure would have been the highest point in the city and would have been visible for miles around.



A Middle Kingdom farmhouse scene. Though there are scores of representations of rural activities in the form of low reliefs or paintings on the walls of Old and New Kingdom tombs, the numerous wooden models of houses, workshops and boats discovered in the tombs of Middle Kingdom estate owners have a special immediacy and charm, and have supplied much informa-

tion on daily life. Here we see a typical flat-roofed house, partly supported on columns. In the yard, with its granaries, people are preparing food and feeding ducks. To the right, a man is examining beehives. In the fields men are plowing, sowing, milking and opening irrigation canals.