Try to name at least one civilization that existed in each of the regions listed for Period 1.
EARLY CENTERS OF CIVILIZATION

[Map showing early centers of civilization around the world.]
POLITICAL UNITS OF THE WORLD, C. 800–750 B.C.E.
PERIOD 1

- Americas
  - Olmecs – Central America
  - Chavin – South America
- Africa
  - Kush
  - Bantu
- Middle East
  - Egyptians
  - Mesopotamia (Sumerians; Babylonians; Hittites; Assyrians; Israelites;
- Mediterranean
  - Phoenicians; Early Greek City-States (Minoans; Mycenaeans;
    Dorians
  - Etruscans
- East Asia
  - China – Shang Dynasty and beginning of Zhou Dynasty
- South Asia
  - Indus River Valley Civilizations – Mohenjo-Daro and Harappa
Try to name at least one civilization that existed in each of the regions listed for Period 2.
500 BCE

Map 1: The World in 500 B.C.

Persian Empire and Greece
323 BCE

THE WORLD IN 323 B.C.

Alexander’s empire at his death

Bantu - undefined area

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THE WORLD IN 200 B.C.
Successor states to Alexander’s empire; Asoka’s Empire

200 BCE
THE WORLD IN 14 A.D.
Early Roman Empire; Han Dynasty; early American groups
THE WORLD IN 200 A.D.
Roman Empire near its greatest extent; Empires connected by the "Silk Route"
THE WORLD IN 420 A.D.
Roman Empire splits into Eastern and Western sections; China divided; Ghana appears; Mayan States
Eastern Roman Empire at greatest extent; beginnings of Frankish Realm
PERIOD 2

- Americas
  - Teotihuacan; Mayan – Central America
  - Moche – South America
- Africa
  - Ghana; Axum; Meroe (Nubia)
- Europe
  - Greek City-States (Athens; Sparta)
  - Roman Republic/Empire (5)
- East Asia
  - China – Zhou; Qin; Han (3); Warring States (2); Sui (1)
  - Japan – Yamoto Clan
- South Asia
  - Mauryan Empire (1); Gupta; Empire (2)
- Middle East
  - Persians; Hellenistic World (Alexander); Parthians; Sassanids
  - Part of larger empires (Roman; Persian; etc.)

Required examples of key states and empires (Student should know the location and names):

- Southwest Asia: Persian Empires
- East Asia: Qin and Han Empire
- South Asia: Maurya and Gupta Empires
- Mediterranean region: Phoenicia and its colonies, Greek city-states and colonies, and Hellenistic and Roman Empires
- Mesoamerica: Teotihuacan, Maya city-states
- Andean South America: Moche
Try to name at least one civilization that existed in each of the regions listed for Period 3.
800 CE
1237 CE

Unified Mongol Empire before the invasion of Russia; new realms in Africa and America.
1300 CE

The world in 1300 A.D.

Successor realms to Mongol Empire

H.R.E. - Holy Roman Empire
Bantu - undefined area
GEO/CIV QUIZ – PERIOD 3

- Americas
  - Teotihuacan; Mayan; Zapotec; Early Aztec – Central America
  - Chimu; Early Inca – South America
- Africa
  - Ghana; Mali; Ethiopia; Zimbabwe
- Europe
  - Franks/France; England; H.R.E; Russia; Poland; Portugal; Scandinavian Kingdoms; Byzantines
- East Asia
  - China – Sui; Tang; Song; Yuan; Ming
  - Japan – Heian Court; Kamakura Shogunate; Ashikaga Shogunate
- South Asia
  - Delhi Sultanate
- Central Asia
  - Mongolian Empire; 4 Khanates
- Middle East
  - Ummayid Empire; Abbasid Empire; Mamaluks; Mongol Ilkhanate; Timurid Empire
Try to name at least one civilization that existed in each of the regions listed for Period 4.
1519 CE

THE WORLD IN 1519 A.D.
Spanish Empire in New World; Inca Empire; Portuguese outposts in Africa and Asia

P - Portuguese Trading and Slave Stations
H.R.E. - Holy Roman Empire
Bantu - undefined area
Spain and Portugal were united under the Spanish crown from 1580 to 1640.
1714 CE

THE WORLD IN 1714 A.D.

Russian Empire extends eastward; British Colonies in North America; Moguls dominate India

H.R.E. - Holy Roman Empire  Bantu - undefined area
* - European Trading and Slave Stations
GEO/CIV QUIZ – PERIOD 4

- **Americas**
  - Aztec – Central America
  - Inca – South America
  - Spanish, Portuguese, Dutch, French, English Colonies/Empires

- **Africa**
  - Songhai Empire; Ashanti; Benin
  - Portuguese and Dutch Colonies/Empires – Sub-Saharan Africa

- **Europe**
  - France; England; H.R.E; Portugal; Spain; Netherlands; Norway; Denmark; Russia; Poland

- **East Asia**
  - China – Ming; Qing
  - Japan – Ashikaga Shogunate; Tokugawa Shogunate

- **South Asia**
  - Delhi Sultanate; Mughal Empire

- **Middle East**
  - Ottoman Empire; Safavid Empire

- **Southeast Asia**
  - Spanish Philippines; Dutch East Indies
Try to name at least one civilization that existed in each of the regions listed for Period 5:

- Americas
- Africa
- Europe
- Middle East
- East Asia
- South Asia
- Southeast Asia
- Oceania
1804 CE

THE WORLD IN 1804 A.D.
United States after Louisiana Purchase; Habsburg monarch becomes Emperor of Austria (end of Holy Roman Empire)

Bantu - undefined area
* - European Trading and Slave Stations
GEO/CIV QUIZ – PERIOD 5

- **Americas**
  - **Early:** Spanish, Portuguese, Dutch, French, English Colonies/Empires
  - **Late:**
    - United States is formed; Dominion of Canada still attached to Britain
    - All of Latin America independent except some in the Caribbean and British, Dutch, and French Guyana in S. America

- **Africa**
  - **Early:**
    - Ashanti; Benin
    - Portuguese and Dutch Colonies/Empires – Sub-Saharan Africa
  - **Late:**
    - All of Africa dominated by British, French; Dutch; Belgians; Germans; Portuguese
    - Ethiopia and Liberia remain independent

- **Europe**
  - France; England; German Empire; Italy; Austro-Hungarian Empire; Portugal; Spain; Netherlands; Norway; Denmark; Sweden; Russia
East Asia
- China – Qing Dynasty; nears its end as Europeans force their way in and seize ports
- Japan – Tokugawa Shogunate; Modern Japan

South Asia
- British Empire

Middle East
- Ottoman Empire

Southeast Asia
- Spanish Philippines ... U.S. Seize during Spanish-American War of 1898
- Dutch East Indies
- French Indochina

Oceania
- Dominion of Australia under British Control