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**Global History and Geography I**

**IA 1 Review Sheet**

**Test Date: Wednesday, October 26th**

**Key Ideas/Concepts**

*Respond to each using as many details possible.*

1. **What is an artifact?**

Anything made by humans in the past.

1. **Where did the earliest humans originate? How do we know?**

The earliest humans originated in Africa. We know this due to archeological findings such as the Laetoli Footprints (discovered byMary Leaky) and the discovery of the remains of Lucy (by Donald Johanson).

1. **Describe in detail the Paleolithic way of life.**

During the Paleolithic Age, humans were nomadic, meaning they moved from place to place and had no permanent settlements. They also followed animals from place to place to hunt them, and gathered berries and nuts. Humans made simple tools out of bone, wood, and stone. Also, humans learned how to control fire.

1. **What was the “change” that occurred during the Neolithic Revolution?**

The change that occurred was that humans learned how to grow crops (farm) and domesticate animals. This led to humans creating permanent settlements, which led to villages, then cities, then civilizations.

1. **Ancient River Valley Civilizations (list the rivers in the area and any facts you know!)**

Mesopotamia: Tigris and Euphrates rivers (Hammurabi’s Code, cuneiform writing system, the wheel)

Egypt: Nile River (Advanced social class system, pyramids, hieroglyphics)

Indus River Valley: Indus River- Urban Planning (Harappa, Mohenjo Daro), plumbing)

China: Yellow River (Mandate of Heaven, dynastic cycle)

1. **What was Hammurabi’s Code? How does it work?**

Hammurabi’s Code is the first known system of laws that were written down for society. Hammurabi’s coded had the idea of an eye for an eye, but also favored the wealthy and men in the rulings that were in the code.

1. **What is the Mandate of Heaven and how does it relate to the Dynastic Cycle?**

The Mandate of Heaven is the believe that families ruled ancient China were given that ability from the gods. When bad things happened in ancient China such as natural disasters, invasions, the ruling family would be overthrown and replaced by a new family. This process is called the dynastic cycle.

**Judaism Hinduism**

Polytheistic

Karma, Dharma, Reincarnation

Caste System

Started in India

Monotheistic -> First monotheistic religion

Ten Commandments (set of rules to live by)

Started in Mesopotamia

**Judaism**

**Buddhism Confucianism**

Filial piety (respect for elders)

Five Relationships brings social order and good government

Education is important

Started by Confucius in China

Four Noble Truths (Desire=Suffering) and Eight Fold Path (How to live)

Reincarnation

Nirvana

Started in India by Gautama Siddhartha

**Terms to Know – You do not need to complete this portion but it would be helpful to make index cards for these terms!**

primary source

secondary source

artifact

archaeology

anthropology

historian

nomad

agriculture

domestication

irrigation

polytheism

monotheism

social classes

hieroglyphics

Fertile Crescent

Hammurabi’s Code

ziggurat

cuneiform

caste system

reincarnation

karma

dharma

nirvana

Four Noble Truths

Eightfold Path

dynastic cycle

mandate of heaven

Five Relationships

filial piety

Asoka

Mary and Louis Leakey

Siddhartha Gautama Hammurabi