

Indus Valley Civilization: Crash Course World History #2

- 1) Explain the origins of the word **barbarian**.
- 2) Identify the four stages of **human social development** and **organization** that classifies a group of peoples as a **civilization**.
 - A
 - B
 - C
 - D
- 3) Why did many early **civilizations** begin around **river valleys**?
- 4) Go into detail about why the **Bronze Age Indus Valley Civilization** (3300-1300 BCE) flourished around 3,000 BCE.
- 5) How were homes in the cities of **Harappa** and **Mohenjo Daro** (in modern day Pakistan) built?
- 6) Identify how the orientation of cities such as **Harappa** and **Mohenjo Daro** allowed them to remain cool even when it was really hot.
- 7) Explain how official **seals** helped to facilitate the trading of items such as **cotton cloth** that were made in the early **Indus River Valley** civilizations.
- 8) Why do historians think that **Indus River Valley** people were peaceful and not warlike?

9) Point out 3 theories for the decline of the **Indus River Valley** civilization.

A

B

C

10) How can thinking about what motivated the **Indus River Valley Civilization** to thrive help us to think about how we structure our own lives?