

Bronze

Weapons began to be made of this!

City-State

A city that with its surrounding territory forms an independent state.

Cultural diffusion

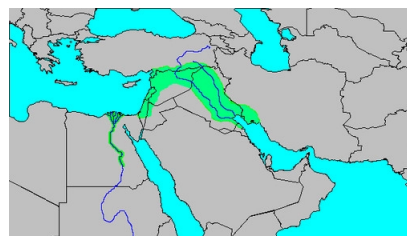
The spreading of ideas or products from one culture to another

Cuneiform



Sumerian writing that uses wedge-shaped characters

Fertile crescent



Crescent-shaped region containing moist and fertile land

Hammurabi's Code



First written set of laws/an eye for an eye!

Hittites

This Mesopotamia group made iron weapons; very strong army!

Mesopotamia

The geographic area located between the Tigris and Euphrates rivers

Phoenicians

Mesopotamia people who were great ship builders and created modern alphabet!

Scribes

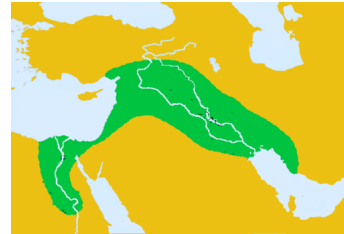


The people that wrote and kept records

Sumer

First civilization in
Mesopotamia

Tigris and Euphrates



Rivers surrounding Mesopotamia

Wheel

Sumerians invented this;
helps with transportation!

Ziggurats



Religious temples in Sumer!