

Vocabulary Preview

Directions: Choose the vocabulary word from the box that best completes each sentence. Write the word on the line provided. You will use your glossary and provide the page number where you found your answer. Not all words will be used.

civilization	irrigation	ziggurat	cuneiform	conquest	descendant
fertile	city-state	society	conquer	covenant	barter
plain	region	polytheism	empire	monotheism	
plateau	artisan	scribe	dynasty	slavery	

- p. R61 1. The ruling family of an empire is known as a dynasty.
- p. _____ 2. A _____ is a professional writer.
- p. _____ 3. An area with common physical features is a _____.
- p. _____ 4. A _____ is an agreement.
- p. _____ 5. A _____ is a city that is an individual unit, complete with its own form of government and traditions.
- p. _____ 6. An _____ is a craftsman, such as a potter or a weaver.
- p. _____ 7. To _____ is to exchange goods and services.
- p. _____ 8. A _____ is an area of high, flat land.
- p. _____ 9. A _____ is a huge pyramid-shaped structure formed from a series of stacked rectangular platforms.
- p. _____ 10. The practice of worshipping only one God is called _____.
- p. _____ 11. To worship many gods is to practice _____.
- p. _____ 12. A group of people who have a complex, organized society is called a _____.
- p. _____ 13. An _____ is a large territory consisting of many places all under the control of a single ruler.
- p. _____ 14. The practice of one person owning another person is known as _____.