

Mesopotamia / Egypt Unit Project

Instead of a unit test, we will complete our unit on Mesopotamia and Egypt with this project. This means you must complete all unit work before being given credit for this project!

Part 1 - Venn Diagram / Essential Vocabulary (20 points)

Fill out the Venn Diagram in complete sentences. You should identify specific similarities and differences about ancient Egypt and Mesopotamia.

Think about these categories to help you:

- geography
- religion
- economy (agriculture, specialization, trade, etc.)
- government
- buildings
- writing

Your Venn Diagram **MUST** include our 4 essential vocabulary words along with definitions / descriptions! Those words are:

- surplus
- artisan
- polytheism
- monotheism

Part 2 - Power Paragraph (20 points)

Pick either question below and write a power paragraph to answer it. You should use your own paper and typing it is allowed. Make sure your answer includes specific facts we learned during this unit! Your power paragraph should be 5-9 sentences long.

- Why did the earliest civilizations develop along rivers?
- What are the legacies of Mesopotamia and Egypt (i.e., What did they leave behind for us?)

IN BOTH PARTS, THE MORE SPECIFIC YOU CAN BE IN USE OF NAMES, VOCABULARY, INVENTIONS, IDEAS, EVENTS, ETC. THE BETTER YOU WILL DO!!