

The Maya

23.1 Introduction

How long did the Mayan civilization last? What years?

What territory did it include?

Name four important Mayan cities.

23.2 The Development of Mayan Civilization

When was the height of Mayan civilization?

What is Mesoamerica? What modern-day countries does it include?

Describe the landscape where the Mayan civilization reached its highest development.

Briefly describe the Olmec? What was their influence on Mayan civilization?

Name the three periods of Mayan civilization.

What happened about 50 BCE?

Describe some of the Mayan achievements of the Classic Period.

What happened around 900 CE? Why?

What united the various Mayan cities?

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