Unit 1	
World History Before 1200: Overvi	ew

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Watch the YouTube video "World History BEFORE 1200 [AP World History Review] 2019-2020" by Steve Heimler and answer the questions below. To do a thorough job, you will need to start and stop the video many times & you may need to rewatch sections of it. FULL SENTENCES ARE NOT NEEDED, BUT DETAIL IS! Please be sure to write your answers by hand.

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
1. What is the Neolithic Revolution?	
2. How did people live before the Neolithic Revolution?	
3. Where did the Neolithic Revolution happen?	
4. How did people's lives change because of the Neolithic Revolution?	
5. Where were the 5 most important civilizations of the Neolithic Revolution located?	
6. Which societies were the first to have cities?	
7. What innovations came from having cities? How did life change?	
8. During the Neolithic Revolution, what major religions got their start?	

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9. What do most leaders of empires have in common?	
10. What were pastoralists and why were they important to empires?	
11. After 600 BCE the Classical Era began. During this time world religions developed and spread.	
Take notes development and spread of:	
Judaism	
Hinduism	
Buddhism	
Christianity	
Confucianism	
Daoism	
Animism & Shamanism	
12. After 600 BCE, in the Classical Era, Empires arose. How connected were these empires? What kind of relationships did they have with each other?	

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13. Persian Empire (Achaemenids) (c. 550-330 BCE)	
How did they govern such a large empire?	
How/Why did the fall?	
14. Chinese Empires	
Qin Dynasty (220-206 BCE) - What was the Mandate of Heaven? - How did the Qin Dynasty rule?	
<ul> <li>Han Dynasty (206 BCE- 220 CE) <ul> <li>What other large and wealthy empire did the equally matched Han Dynasty have a relationship with?</li> <li>What improvements did the Han make to China?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
15. Phoenician Empire (c. 2500 BCE - 539 BCE)	
How & Where did the Phoenicians build their empire of city-states?	
What innovations did we adopt from them?	
<ul> <li>16. What innovations were the Greek City-States (c. 600 BCE - 330 BCE).</li> <li>known for?</li> </ul>	
17. Roman Empire (c. 753 BCE - 476 CE/ 1453 CE) Who were the Romans most influenced by?	

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What innovations were they known for? Why are there two dates above for the collapse of the Roman Empire?	
18. What innovations were the Mayans (c. 2000 BCE - 900 CE) known for?	
19. What developments was <b>Teotihuacan (c. 400</b> <b>BCE - c. 600 CE)</b> known for?	
19. Who ruled the Andean Civilization of <b>the Moche (c.</b> <b>100-800 CE)</b> ?	
20. Before 1200, why were cities important to every empire?	
21. Before 1200, describe the type of hierarchy that could be found in most empires?	
22. Before 1200, what were the major reasons empires fell?	