
AZTEC & INCA WALKTHROUGH

Directions: Look carefully at the maps, charts, pictures, and graphs in this chapter, and then answer the questions below in complete sentences.

“Timeline” (pg. 406-407)

1. When did the Aztecs set up their capital?

“The Aztec Empire, 1519” (pg. 411)

2. What 3 cities were located on Lake Texcoco?
3. What type of landform did the Aztec choose to build their capital on?

“History Close-up: Tenochtitlan” (pg. 412)

4. What did Aztec farmers grow their crops on?
5. What kind of Items were sold at the market?
6. What was the most important building in Tenochtitlan?

“People in Aztec Society” (pg. 416-417)

7. What did Aztec Warriors contribute to Aztec society?
8. Describe what Aztec warriors looked like.

“Aztec Gods” (pg. 419)

9. Who was Tlaloc?
10. Who was Huitzilopochtli?



“The Inca Empire, 1530” (pg. 423)

11. About how many miles did the Inca Empire stretch from north to south?

“History Close-up: Machu Picchu” (pg. 428-429)

12. Why do you think the hillsides were cut into flat steps?

“Inca Art” (pg. 430-431)

13. Describe the three types of Inca art you see in the pictures.

“Inca Roads” (pg. 432-433)

14. What are some of the features of Inca roads that you can see in the illustration?
15. What challenges did the Inca face in building their roads?
16. Using the inset picture on page 433, describe Inca stonework.

“Predictions”

17. Based on everything you have looked at on these pages, write down three predictions about what you think you are going to learn.