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Mohenjodaro Artifact Picture Walk



Directions: 1) Study each placard. 2) Then read the text underneath with a partner.
3) On this paper, answer the questions found at the bottom of each placard.

Proof of Civilization

Stable Food Supply

Social Structure

Government

Religion

Art

Written Language

Technology

Placard A: How might the people of Mohenjodaro have used these

objects?

Weigh goods & trade goods using Scales. They used them to measure length

Placard B: How might the people of Mohenjodaro have used this structure?

They may have taken baths there and religious rituals.

Placard C: What do these objects tell you about the personal appearance of the people of Mohenjodaro? (What did they look like?)

The people looked clean and wore decorated robes. Women wore jewelry.

Placard D: How might the people of Mohenjodaro have used these objects?

People may have worn the seals as charms or used them as a tag to show who owned products.

Placard E: How might the people of Mohenjodaro have used this structure?

They may have used this structure as a sewer system. Pipes would take away dirty water and waste. Holes were used as wells to store water.

Placard E: How might the people of Mohenjodaro have used these structures?

They had rows of houses in the lower city with flat roofs. The homes were made of mud bricks.

Placard G: How might the people of Mohenjodaro have used these objects?

The people may have used them as games and toys.

Placard H: What might this object reveal about daily life in Mohenjodaro?

Clay models may have been ancient toys or showed how goods may have been transported in carts from farms to the city.

*****How does Mohenjodaro appear to be different from us (what objects we use, buildings/structures, our daily life, what we wear, etc.)?*****

more modern society

*****Based on the artifacts found, would you consider the ancient city to be civilized? Why or why not?*****

Yes! religion
water system- technology