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Section 3

GUIDED READING *Patterns of Change: Civilization*

A. ***Determining Main Ideas*** As you read this section, fill in the boxes below. List the social and economic changes that led to the development of cities and the rise of civilization.

Village and town life begin.

1. Economic changes

2. Social changes

Cities emerge and grow.

3. Economic changes

4. Social changes

Civilizations arise.

B. ***Writing Expository Paragraphs*** On the back of this paper, explain how Ur typified an ancient civilization. Use the following terms in your explanation.

specialization	**artisans**	**institution**	**scribes**
cuneiform	**barter**	**ziggurat**	

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CONNECTIONS ACROSS TIME AND CULTURES

From Ancient to Modern Communities

THEMATIC CONNECTION: ECONOMICS

Early cities like Ur were both similar to and different from their modern-day counterparts. Compare your community with ancient Ur by answering the following questions.

1. Farmers, artisans, and merchants were the economic job base in Ur. What types of jobs are the economic base of your community? _____

_____

2. How would a physical description of your community differ from that of Ur? Consider street layout, homes, and businesses. _____

_____

3. Business and trade took place in a bazaar in Ur. How is a bazaar like a modern shopping mall? _____

_____

4. Fill in this chart to show how Ur and your community display the five characteristics of civilization.

Characteristic	Ur	Your Community
Advanced cities		
Specialized workers		
Record keeping		
Complex institutions		
Advanced technology		

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RETEACHING ACTIVITY

Civilization
Case Study: Ur in Sumer

Summarizing
Complete the chart below by summarizing information about the key characteristics of a civilization.

CHARACTERISTIC	*EXPLANATION*	*EXAMPLE*
Advanced cities	1.	2.
Specialized workers	3.	4.
Complex institutions	5.	6.
Record keeping	7.	8.
Improved technology	9.	10.

Reading Comprehension
Find the name or term in the second column that best matches the description in the first column. Then write the letter of your answer in the blank.

____ 11. the development of skills in a specific kind of work

____ 12. professional record keepers

____ 13. the time when people began using a mixture of copper and tin to shape tools and weapons

____ 14. a system of writing invented in Sumer

____ 15. a way of trading goods and services without money

____ 16. a pyramid-shaped, tiered monument found in Ur

a. ziggurat

b. scribes

c. cuneiform

d. Bronze Age

e. barter

f. specialization

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