

**Concepts you must master well enough to explain:**

- **ANCIENT INDIA** – Subcontinent, monsoons, Harappan civilization, Sanskrit, Aryans, The Vedas, varnas, caste system, Brahmanism, Hinduism, reincarnation, samsara, karma, moksha, Jainism, Buddhism, The Buddha, Nirvana, missionaries, Mauryan empire, Gupta dynasty, metallurgy, alloys, Hindu-Arabic numerals, inoculation, and astronomy
- **ANCIENT CHINA** – jade, oracle, lords, peasants, ethics, Confucianism, the Analets, Daoism, legalism, *Shi Huangdi*, Great Wall, sundial, seismograph, acupuncture, the Shiji, silk, Silk Road, and diffusion

People you must know

- Brahman, the Trimurti (Brahma, Vishnu & Shiva), Mahavira, Prince Siddhartha, Candragupta Maurya, Asoka, Candra Gupta II, Rama, Yu the Great, Confucius, Laozi, Ying Zheng, Shi Huangdi, Liu Bang, and Wudi

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