

Western Hemisphere Vocabulary Picture Review

Directions: Use the following definitions and pictures to identify the vocabulary words



Land bridge used by humans to cross from Asia into the Americas

Bering Strait



Raised fields made with mud taken from the bottom of lakes

Chinampas



Kind of knotted string used as a memory aid by the Inca

Quipu



Carving small, flat plots of land from hillsides to use for farming; used by the Inca

Terrace Farming



Earliest civilization in Mexico

Olmec



One of the most advanced early people in the Americas; occupied most of the Yucatan Peninsula; capital city Chichen Itza

Maya



Wandering warriors who gradually came to rule central Mexico; capital city Tenochtitlan

Aztec



Civilization in the Andes Mountains of South America; capital city Machu Picchu

Inca