

History 7th/8th
Ancient History
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Text: The Mystery of History Volume I Creation to the Resurrection by Linda Lacour Hobar

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ASSIGNMENTS:

Due Week 1 (Aug. 31)

1. Do Week 1 assignment of Nation Project. See Nation Project handout for details. Come with written assignment and prepared to share.
2. Begin memorizing the Old Testament books. There will be a quiz on these on October 19. You will need to write the books out in correct order and with the correct spelling.
3. Read text Lessons 1-3 * Activities **NOT** required and do **NOT** need to be read at the end of each lesson.
4. Link for learning the OT books <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4KZ7eTVoFtY>

Due Week 2 (Sept. 7)

1. Do Week 2 assignment of Nation Project. See handout.
2. Read text Lessons 4-9
3. Definitions/Terms:
****Terms/Definitions will be assigned most every week of the semester. Please follow these directions for every week they are assigned.**

Look up the following terms and write out a 1-2 sentence definition or explanation to be kept in a 1 subject ruled notebook and handed in to the teachers. Please label your paper with your name and "Due Week 2". We suggest looking the terms up in the dictionary (online is fine) for a concise explanation. Use your own wording and no "cut and paste".

Example:

Archaeology: the study of the remains of human cultures in history

Upper Egypt

Nomad

Fertile Crescent

Tower of Babel

List the sons of Noah

Lower Egypt

Nile Delta

shaduf

4. **Memorize OT books of the Bible.**

Due Week 3 (Sept. 21):

1. Do Week 3 assignment of Nation Project. See handout.
2. Read text lessons 10-13
3. Definitions/Terms:

Hieroglyphics	megaliths
Mesopotamia	Pyramids of Giza
Cuneiform	plumbing
Dictatorship	
Pharaoh	

4. **Memorize OT books of the Bible**

Due Week 4 (Oct. 5):

1. Do Week 4 of Nation Project. See handout.
2. Read text lessons 14-18
*I encourage you to take time to read the Book of Job from the Old Testament
3. Definitions/Terms:

Abraham	Code of Hammurabi
Canaan	ziggurats
Isaac	Babylonians
Jacob	Assyrians

4. **Memorize the OT books of the Bible.**

Due Week 5 (Oct. 12):

1. Prepare Nation Project for presentation in class. See handout.
2. **Memorize OT books of the Bible.**

Due Week 6 (Oct. 19):

1. Prepare for quiz names on Old Testament books of the Bible. You will need to write the books out in the correct order and with the correct spelling.
2. Read Text lessons 19-22
3. Definitions/Terms:

Citadel	atonement
dynasty	pictogram
descendant	scholar
relics	

Due Week 7(Nov. 2):

1. Read Text lessons 23-25
2. Definitions/Terms:

Hyksos	Nubians
Egyptian "Middle Kingdom"	Egyptian "New Kingdom"

Due Week 8 (Nov. 9):

1. Read Text lessons 26-29
2. Definitions/Terms:

Thutmose I	Joseph
Moses	polytheism
Monotheism	The Passover
The Exodus	Amenhotep IV

3. Short and Sweet Old Testament History:
Learn a bit of interesting history connected to the Old Testament and summarize what you learned in a 1 minute presentation. This is to be "short and sweet" so just discover a little bit about OT history and share it with the class. You do not need to spend a lot of time researching.

Due Week 9 (Nov. 16):

1. Read Text lessons 30-33
2. Definitions/Terms:

Minoans	Nebuchadnezzar
Ashurbanipal	Hanging Gardens of Babylon

Due Week 10 (December 3):

1. Read Text Lessons 34-37
2. Definitions/Terms:
You do **NOT need to hand these terms into your teachers. They will be included in the Around the World game.

Mycenaeans	Homer
Philistines	The Iliad
Greek Dark Ages	The Odyssey
Barbarians	

3. Review and be ready for Around the World game.

Merry Christmas to each of you!! Have a great holiday!