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# Discovery Education

## 3.2 Reading (all chapters)

Review: Look back at 3.1.

What ~~two~~ TWO things did Sumerians invent to help create a stable food supply?

Innovation	How did it help stabilize the food supply?
1.	
2.	

### Section 3.2 Religion

1. What is polytheism?

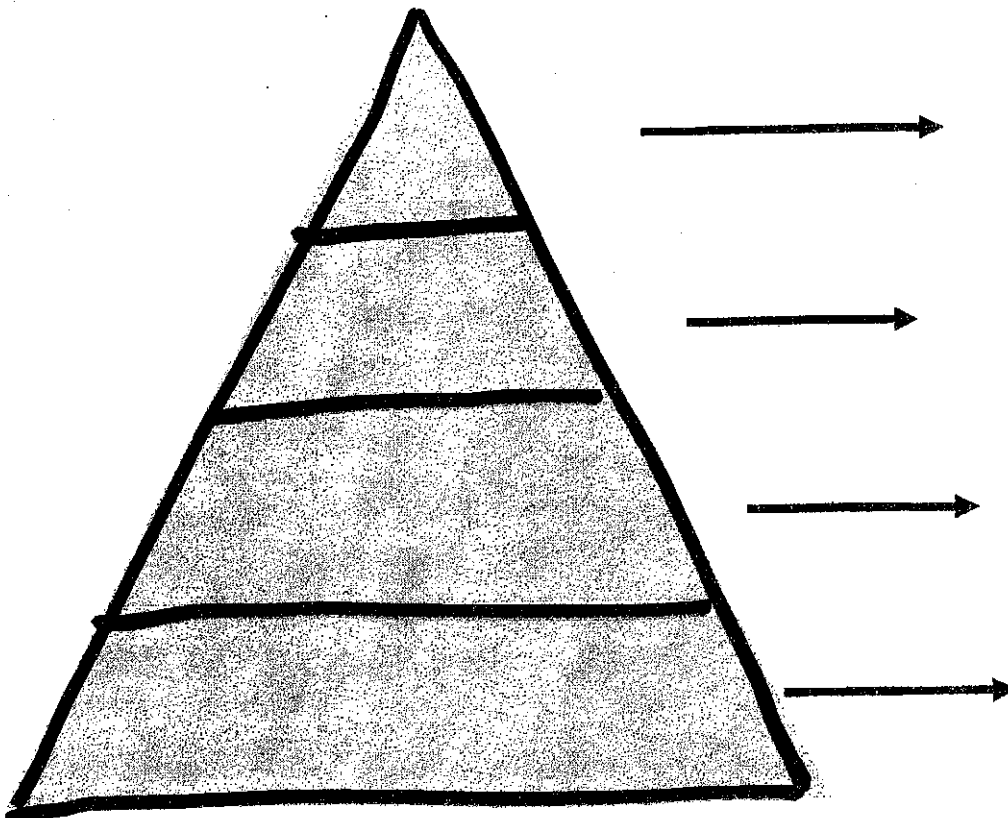


2. Describe what a ziggurat was and why they were built.

3. What were the functions of the steps along the side of the ziggurat?

### Section 3.2 Social Structure

Fill in the chart, including details about the people within each social class. Put names in chart and describe next to it.



### Section 3.2 The Social Structure - The Leadership and the Elite

1. Why do civilizations have a system of government?
2. Sumerian city-states were rule by \_\_\_\_\_. The Sumerians believed that their kings were chosen by the \_\_\_\_\_ to rule in their place.
3. What was the job of the king?
4. What three things did the King do to provide for the people's safety?
5. What were the king's officials responsible for?
6. What were the priests responsible for?

### Section 3.3 The Social Structure - The working class and the enslaved people.

Working Class	Description
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	



1. Describe the bottom level:

### Section 3.3 The Role of Women

1. What were women's jobs? (name a few)

