**Maya, Inca, Aztec**

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| Topic | Learning Targets | Academic Vocabulary |
| Civilizations of Middle America | * I can compare the major political, economic, social, and cultural developments of the Maya, Inca, and Aztec civilizations and explain how prior civilizations influenced their development. | * Bering Strait land bridge * Teotihuacan   **MAYA**   * Time period * Location * Government * City-states * Economy * Religion * Tikal * Significance of blood-letting * System of writing * Calendar * Numbering system * Chichen Itza * Mayan Ballgame * Reason for decline?   **AZTEC**   * Time period * Location * Government * Legend of Tenochtitlan and significance of the city * Economy * Chinampas * Human sacrifice * Huitzilopochtli * Quetzalcoatl * Reason for decline?   **INCA**   * Time period * Location * Government * Cuzco * Road system * Nazca lines * Chosen women * Sapa Inca * Quipu * Terrace farming |
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