

Classical Civilizations: Decipher the Code

ANSWER KEY

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Crack the code and decipher each series of numbers to complete the statements.

1) The 20-18-9-2-21-14-5-19 were representatives of the plebeians in ancient Rome.

TRIBUNES

2) 19-1-14-19-11-18-9-20 was the language of the Aryans who invaded India.

SANSKRIT

3) The Great Wall is located in 3-8-9-14-1.

CHINA

4) 3-21-12-20-21-18-1-12 4-9-6-6-21-19-9-15-14 is the spread of customs, ideas, and technologies from one people to another.

CULTURAL DIFFUSION

5) The 13-1-14-4-1-20-5 15-6 8-5-1-22-5-14 was the Chinese belief in the divine right of emperors.

MANDATE OF HEAVEN

6) The 20-23-5-12-22-5 20-1-2-12-5-19 were ancient Rome's written laws.

TWELVE TABLES

7) 1-20-8-5-14-19 was a democratic Greek city-state.

ATHENS

8) A 4-25-14-1-19-20-25 is a family of rulers.

DYNASTY

9) 15-12-9-7-1-18-3-8-25 is rule by wealthy elites.

OLIGARCHY

10) 19-15-3-18-1-20-5-19 was sentenced to death for corrupting the youth of Athens.

SOCRATES