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HW: Chapter 2-1

1. What were the three environmental challenges to Sumerians?
2. Explain how the government of ancient Sumer was organized.
3. How did the Sumerians view the gods?
4. How was society organized in ancient Sumer?
5. What scientific and technological advancements did Sumerians make?
6. What areas of life did Hammurabi's Code cover?
7. Why is the development of written laws important to a society?
8. How did the need to interact with the environment lead to advances in civilization?
9. How was Sumerian culture spread throughout Mesopotamia?

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Define the following terms:

Fertile Crescent –

Mesopotamia –

City-state –

Dynasty –

Cultural diffusion –

Polytheism –

Empire –

Hammurabi -