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• Mapungubwe •

Why is Mapungubwe so important?

African farmers transitioned from subsistence farmers to traders during this period.

Mapungubwe was one of the first settlements where social hierarchy was visible.

Section A | Definitions

1. Give one word or term for the following:

1.1 A thousand years _____

1.2 The precise manner in which a religious event is repeated _____

1.3 People who search for artifacts left behind by humans from earlier _____

1.4 To convert from one faith to another _____

1.5 System where some people are more important and have more power than others _____

1.6 Power of creative imagination _____

2. Give the definitions of the following terms:

2.1 Complex community

2.2 State

2.3 Scarce

2.4 Status symbol

2.5 Swahili

2.6 Order of Mapungubwe



Section B | Short Questions

1. Complete the following sentences:

- 1.1 Social hierarchy was based on _____ and _____.
- 1.2 _____ and _____ are archaeological sites in the Limpopo River Valley.
- 1.3 Settlements of Mapungubwe emerged approximately _____ years ago.
- 1.4 About _____ people lived at Mapungubwe
- 1.5 The _____ of the golden rhinoceros symbolizes the role of the leader as the protector of his people.
- 1.6 The king communicated with the ancestors on behalf of the people, a leadership style called _____ leadership.
- 1.7 Rainmakers were foreigners, likely (San hunter-gatherers/KhoiKhoi).
- 1.8 Gold was hidden in _____ to prevent theft.
- 1.9 Muslim-Arabs followed the new faith of _____.
- 1.10 Swahili is a mixture of _____ and _____ languages.
- 1.11 Swahili means _____.
- 1.12 The _____ was in charge of important ceremonies and rituals.
- 1.13 Today, Mapungubwe is a _____.
- 1.14 This means that Mapungubwe is recognized and preserved for _____, _____, and _____ value.