



Divina Infantita
(Almería)

Apuntes Unit 7 Social Science **Our history**

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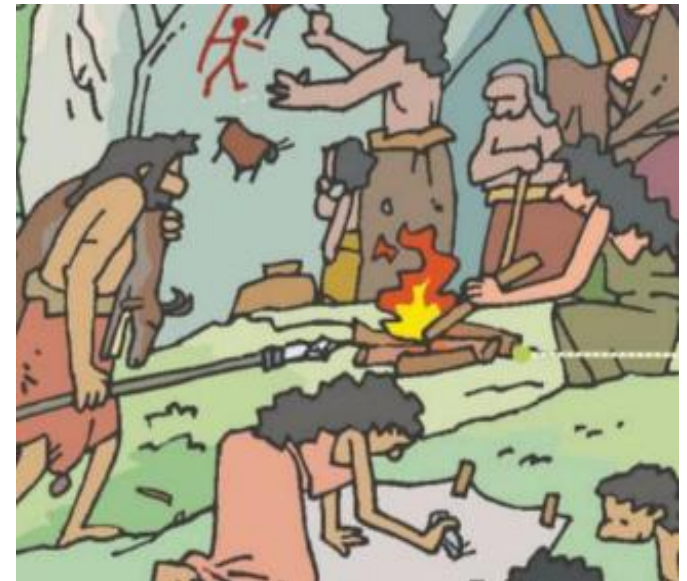
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1. LIFE IN PREHISTORY

Prehistory is the time before the invention of writing

A) Hunters and Gatherers

- The first **hominids** formed **family tribes** , they took care of each other and looked after the weak
- They live in **caves**.
- They were **nomads**
- They **hunted** animals and **gathered** fruits.
- They were able to **make fire**
- They made **stone tools**



B) Farmers

- They became **sedentary** and live together in groups
- They became crops and animals **farmers**
- They built **villages** to live
- They made strong **metal tools**

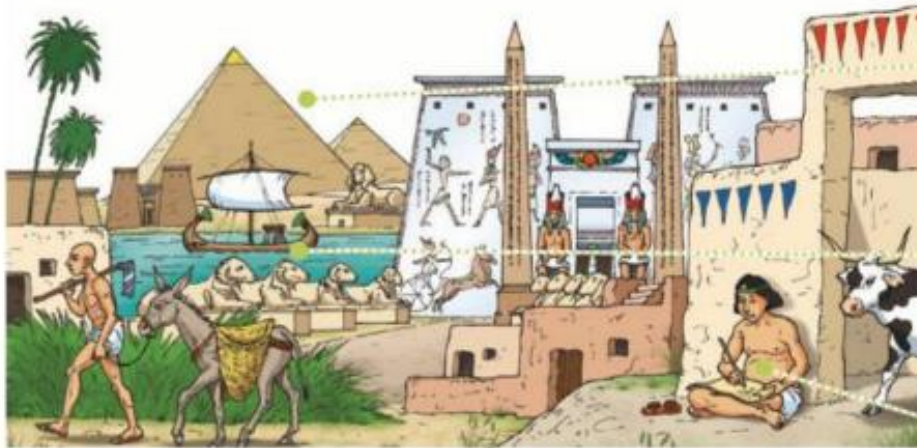


2. ANCIENT TIMES

The invention of writing marked the start of history. **Ancient times** is the first era of history.

A) The first civilisation

EGYPT

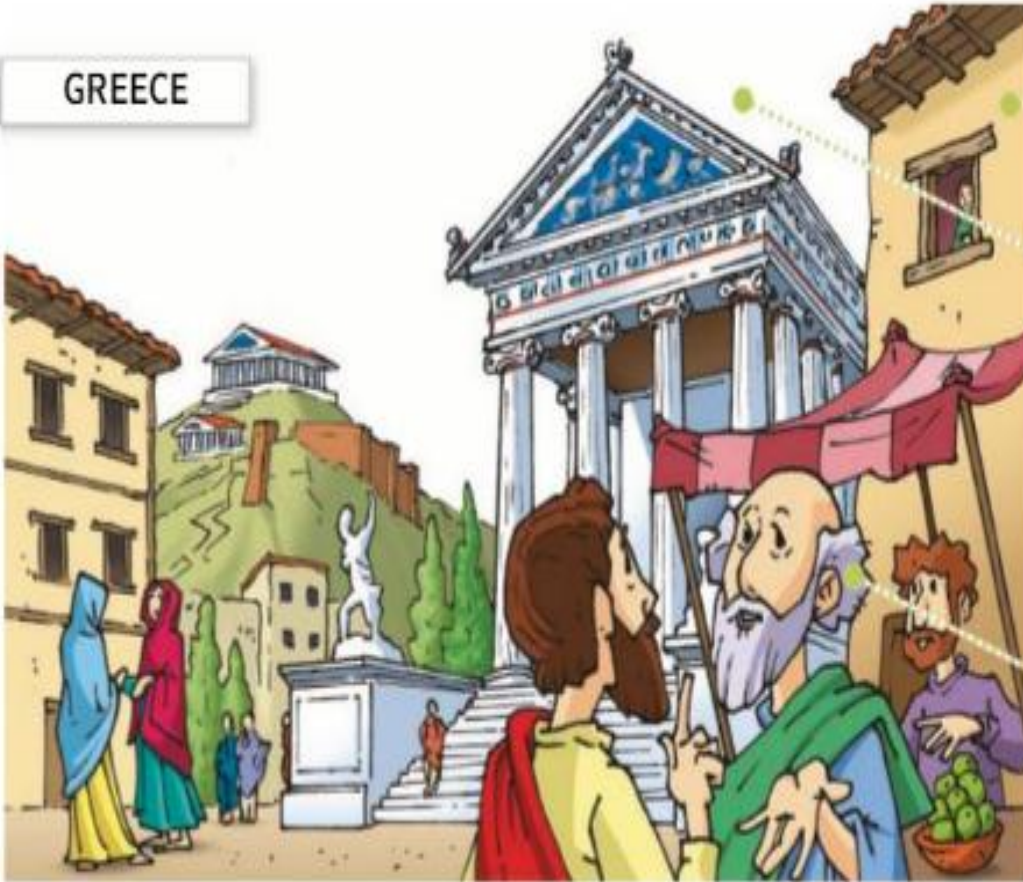


The Egyptians built great **pyramids** for their pharaohs.

They arose near the **Nile river**.

The Egyptians wrote with **hieroglyphics**.

GREECE



The Greeks lived near the **Mediterranean Sea**.

They left us beautiful stories about their gods called **myths** and even the **Olympics**!

They introduced **democracy** in their cities,

The Romans flourished around the Mediterranean Sea



3. THE MIDDLE AGE

The middle age started with the fall of the Roman Empire.

CHRISTIAN KINGDOMS

The Christian kingdoms were ruled by a **king** or a **queen**.

Christianity became the main religion. Every village had a **church**. Some cities had bigger churches called **cathedrals**.



Just a few people knew how to read and write. People began to speak a version of Latin which was the origin of many modern languages like **Spanish**.

MUSLIM KINGDOMS

Muslims celebrated Islam in great temples called **mosques**.

Muslims governors lived in **alcazars**.



4. THE MODERN AGE

This era began with the discovery of America in 1492.
This was a period of important inventions like **printing press**

THE DISCOVERY OF AMERICA



Christopher Columbus (Cristóbal Colón) left Spain to go **around the world**



he **discovered** an unknown land: **America!**



He found different **cultures** and new **foods** there, like potatoes and chocolate.

5. THE CONTEMPORARY TIMES

This era goes up to the present and it is an era of great **thechnological advances** that allow us communicate more easily.



6. A JOURNEY THROUGH THE TIME

