CURIO Club

Chronoglyph

Engaging Question: How did ancient civilizations influence our world today?

Key Knowledge

Ancient Civilizations Overview:
- **Egyptians:** Known for their pyramids, hieroglyphics, and advancements in medicine and engineering.
- **Greeks:** Contributions to philosophy, democracy, and the arts. Famous for their mythology and Olympic Games.
- **Romans:** Innovations in law, architecture (e.g., aqueducts, roads), and governance. Spread of Latin language and Roman culture.

Influences on Modern Society:
- **Architecture:** Use of columns, domes, and arches in modern buildings.
- **Government:** Concepts of democracy and republics.
- Science and Medicine: Early advancements that laid the foundation for modern practices.
- **Language and Writing:** Development of alphabets and writing systems.

Learning Activity

Objective: Explore the contributions of ancient civilizations to modern society.

Instructions:
- **Research** the key contributions of ancient civilizations (e.g., Egyptians, Greeks, Romans).
- **Identify** how these contributions have influenced modern society.
- **Take notes** on the specific areas of influence, such as architecture, government, science, and language.

Resources Needed:
- Internet access or library resources
- Notebook and pen

Challenge

- **Challenge Description:** Create a timeline or a scrapbook highlighting key inventions, discoveries, and cultural practices of ancient civilizations.

Instructions:
- **Choose** one or more ancient civilizations to focus on.
- **Gather information** and images related to their key contributions.
- **Create** a timeline or scrapbook that showcases these contributions and their impact on modern society.

Submission Requirements:
- Timeline or scrapbook
- Include a brief written explanation (1-2 paragraphs)

Helpful Tips
- Use colourful images and diagrams to make your timeline/scrapbook more engaging.
- Highlight key facts and figures to make your explanation clear.

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