Chapter 1 Review Sheet

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**absolute dating Africa agriculture anthropologists**

**artifacts archaeology artisans Australopithecines civilizations cultural diffusion culture domesticate**

**fire hominids Homo Erectus Homo Habilis**

**Homo Sapiens modern humans Neanderthals Neolithic**

**nomadic Paleolithic pictograms polytheism**

**prehistory relative dating scribes stone tools**

**surplus technology**

Once upon a time, during (1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, there were four different types of (2)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ living in (3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The oldest of this group were the

(4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They were followed by (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who were known for using (6)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for chopping and scraping. Next came (7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who was probably the first to use (8) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Finally, (9)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ arrived. (10) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ divide this group into two categories which are (11) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and (12) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

We know much of this time period due to the work of scientists in the field of

(13) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. In order to learn about these earliest (14) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, these scientists must study (15) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to learn about their (16) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or way of life. Scientists can determine an exact date for something by using (17) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or can compare it to other discoveries by using (18) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The earliest cultures were usually (19) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and survived by hunting and gathering. This time period was known as the (20) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ era. Once people learned about (21) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they transitioned into the (22) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ time period. During this age, there was a (23) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of food which allowed for the invention of new (24) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. There was job specialization as well with writers called (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and workers with special skills called (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. People were able to (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

plants and animals and communicate using symbols called (28) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. All of these earliest civilizations had a belief in many gods called (29) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and would learn from each other through (30) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.