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True or False:

- T F 1. The Mayans believed that their gods needed a blood sacrifice.
- T F 2. Maize was an important crop to the Early Americans.
- T F 3. Chocolate was the food of the Mayan kings.
- T F 4. The Olmec Civilization had over 40 cities in its Golden Era.
- T F 5. Historians believe that the first people arrived in North America in 800 BC
- T F 6. The Mayan civilization began to decline in the 900's.
- T F 7. Merchants were part of the Mayan upper class.
- T F 8. Maize, potatoes, and beans are the three main crops of the Andes.
- T F 9. Mesoamerica did not provide an ideal farming environment.
- T F 10. The Olmecs included the number zero in their number system.

Answer with a complete sentence:

11. Who were members of the Mayan upper class and briefly describe their life.

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12. Where is Mesoamerica and what is it like?

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13. Describe a Mayan city. \_\_\_\_\_

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14. List at least three Mayan achievements. \_\_\_\_\_

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15. What was unique about the Chavin civilization? \_\_\_\_\_

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Essay questions - answer with a complete paragraph on your own paper:

16. What are the reasons that the Mayan civilization declined.

17. Of all the ancient civilizations we have studied, which was your favorite and why?

LAST TEST!!!!