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| **Ch. 2 Early River Valley Civilizations** | **Section 4: Planned Cities on the Indus** |
| What is the Big Idea? |  |
| Why does it matter now? |  |
| **Geography of the Indian Subcontinent** | |
| 1. What environmental challenge did the farmers of the Indus Valley face that the Sumerians and Egyptians did not? |  |
| **Civilization Emerges on the Indus** | |
| 2. What does the uniformity of Indus Valley cities tell us about their government? |  |
| **Harappan Culture** | |
| 3. What evidence exists to show that Indus Valley civilizations traded with Sumer? |  |

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| **Indus Valley Culture Ends** | |
| 4. What factors may have contributed to the decline of the Indus Valley civilization? |  |