**World History I**

Mrs. Bailey

**Mesopotamia and/or Egypt Essential Question Writing Prompt Assessment**

**In your WH writing folder:**

* Select one of the “8th Grade Essential Questions” from the list
* Circle below the category you are choosing to write about:
	+ GEOGRAPHY
	+ ORGANIZATION
	+ TECHNOLOGY AND ADVANCEMENTS
	+ CONFLICTS AND/OR COOPERATION
	+ RISEA AND/OR DECLINE
	+ HISTORY - ARTIFACTS

**Type, Edit, and Print your response:**

* Title your page with your name and the following:
	+ Mesopotamia and/or Egypt Essential Question Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Question #:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Answer your selected question **using information learned from Mesopotamia and/or Egypt**
	+ Answers should not be general in nature – you should use specific details about Mesopotamia and/or Egypt
	+ Please refer to information within your WHN, textbook, and other class resources.
	+ Please review the requirements in the Essential Question Rubric

* Use Writing Tips
	+ Use at least 10 complete and detailed sentences
	+ Use “Better Answers”, “Evidence Based Terminology” and “Dig Deeper” reference handouts
	+ DO NOT PLAGIARIZE
		- Use your own words
		- Use quotes if directing quoting/citing information
* Grade yourself with the rubric and attach this page and the rubric to your typed response.

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| **Competency:  Mesopotamia (M2)** | **4** | **3** | **2** | **1** |
| Examine artifacts and explain the significance of major achievements of ancient Mesopotamia and/or how they help shape our understanding of Mesopotamian history and culture. | No errors and student had thoughtfully constructed questions/answers that seek to gain a deeper understanding of the topic. | Assignment was completed as required. | Assignment was completed but lacks correct information.   | Assignment is incomplete. |

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| **Competency:  Egypt (AE2)** | **4** | **3** | **2** | **1** |
| Examine artifacts and explain the significance of major achievements of ancient Egypt and/or how they help shape our understanding of Egyptian history and culture. | No errors and student had thoughtfully constructed questions/answers that seek to gain a deeper understanding of the topic. | Assignment was completed as required. | Assignment was completed but lacks correct information.   | Assignment is incomplete. |