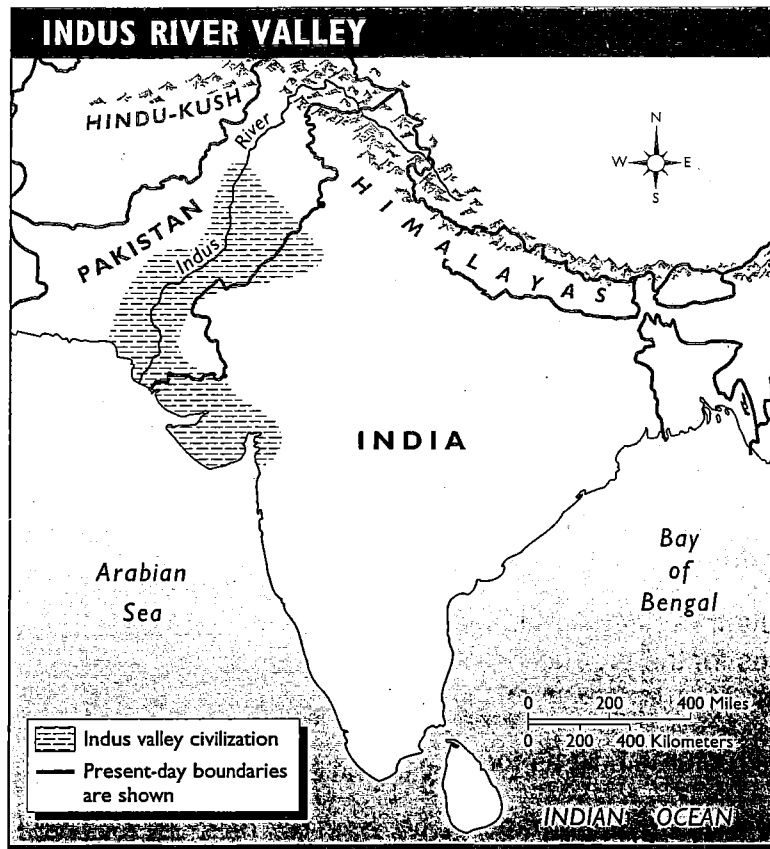


The Indus River Valley

Practice
and Activity

Use the map to answer questions 1 to 4. If you need help, refer to pages 112 to 115 in your textbook.



1. In what mountains does the Indus River originate?

2. Into what body of water does the Indus River flow?

3. Through what country does the Indus River mainly flow?

4. In what ways does the Indus River resemble the Nile, Tigris, and Euphrates rivers?

Using New Words

Use the words in the box to complete the sentences below. You may use some words more than once. For help, you may refer to the lessons in Chapter 4 in your textbook.

Buddhism	Four Noble Truths	monk
caste system	Hinduism	reincarnation
citadel	karma	subcontinent
dharma	Middle Way	
Eightfold Path	Vedas	

- In the _____ a person's place in society can be altered only through _____.
- At Mohenjo-Daro archaeologists have found the remains of a large fort or _____.
- Around 1500 B.C. the Aryans began to migrate to the Indian _____, bringing their language, called *Sanskrit*.
- The beginnings of the religion called _____ can be found in the ancient Aryan songs called the "Books of Knowledge," or the _____.
- The Vedas state that people move in a constant cycle of life, death, and rebirth, which is called _____.
- The Hindu religion includes hundreds of laws and duties, as outlined in the "Books of Knowledge," called the _____.
- Siddhartha Gautama, the founder of the religion called _____, left his home and became a _____.
- The Buddha believed in _____, a force, caused by a person's good and bad acts, that affects future lives.
- The Buddha's idea that suffering is central to life was expressed in the _____.
- The Buddha taught that the way to end suffering was to follow the _____. These instructions outlined a way of living, neither too strict nor too easy, called the _____.