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# THE FOUR RIVER VALLEYS

**Directions:** On the map below, label the rivers and the civilizations of the four river valleys, using page 18 to help, and then answer the following question, using information on page 17.

- In what ways were river valleys ideal locations for civilizations to develop?



# THE FERTILE CRESCENT

**Directions:** On the map, lightly shade in the area known as the Fertile Crescent, using page 31 to help, and then label all of the following: Egypt, Asia Minor, Mesopotamia, Arabian Desert, Zagros Mountains, Taurus Mountains, Armenian Plateau, Nile River, Tigris River, Euphrates River, Black Sea, Mediterranean Sea, Caspian Sea, Red Sea, Arabian Sea, and Persian Gulf.

