

CLASS 12TH, HISTORY, 2021-22

Part-I: Chapter 1

The Harappan Civilisation

Bricks breads and bones

Key concepts in nutshell

1. Period:-

1. Early Harappan culture – Before 2600 BCE
2. Mature Harappa culture – 2600 BCE to 1900 BCE
3. Late Harappa culture – After 1900 BCE

4. Extent of Harappan civilisation:-

1. Northern boundary- Manda Southern Boundary- Daimabad
 2. Eastern boundary- Alamgirpur Western boundary- Sutkagendor
- Characteristics of the Harappan Civilisation.

Time Line 1 Major Periods in Early Indian Archaeology	
2 million BP (Before Present)	Lower Palaeolithic
80,000	Middle Palaeolithic

35,000	Upper Palaeolithic
12,000	Mesolithic
10,000	Neolithic (early agriculturists and pastoralists)
6,000	Chalcolithic (first use of copper)
2600 BCE	Harappan civilization
1000 BCE	Early iron, megalithic burials
600 BCE – 400 CE	Early Historic