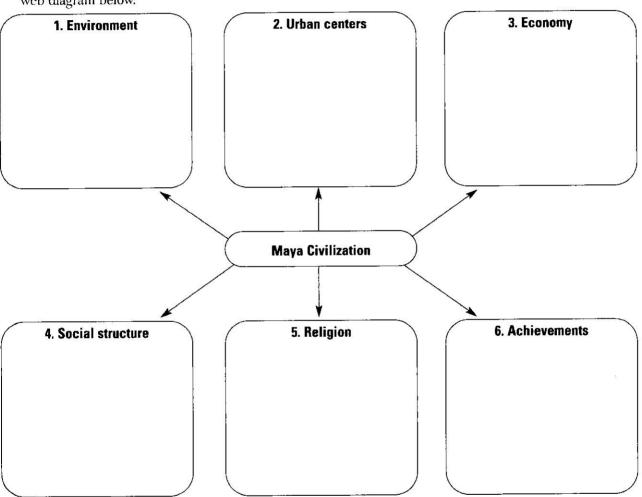


GUIDED READING Maya Kings and Cities

A. Summarizing As you read about the rise and fall of Maya civilization, fill out the web diagram below.



- **B.** Analyzing Causes What explanations do historians offer for the disappearance of Maya city-states? What factors do you think led to the fall of Maya civilization? Give reasons to support your answer.
- **C.** Writing Expository Paragraphs On the back of this paper, write a paragraph explaining how each of the following relate to Maya civilization.

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