

Pre-Hispanic Period

1. Read and choose the best answer for each question.

1. Who lived in the Aburrá Valley before the Spanish arrived?
A. Pirates. B. Indigenous people. C. Explorers.
2. Which groups lived there?
A. Aburraes, Nutabes, Yamesíes, Niquías. B. Mayas. C. Aztecas.
3. What did they grow?
A. Rice and wheat. B. Apples and bananas. C. Corn, yucca, beans.
4. Who was the leader of each indigenous group?
A. Warrior. B. Cacique. C. King.
5. Which did they use as medicine?
A. Plants. B. Tools. C. Jewelry.
6. What did they use to make their houses?
A. Bricks and glass. B. Wood and leaves. C. Stones and paint.
7. What did the first people in the valley grow?
A. Flowers. B. Corn and yucca. C. Chocolate bars.
8. What did they trade?
A. Cars and bikes. B. Pottery, food, and clothes. C. Computers and toys.

2. Read and match.

Cacique	Exchange of things (like food or crafts).
Clay pot	Indigenous leader.
Medicinal plants	A time before the Spanish arrived.
Trade	Used for medicine.
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3. Complete the sentences with the correct words:

cacique trade clay pots medicine from plants
 clothes corn

- The _____ was the leader of the community.
- They used _____ to heal people.
- They made _____ by hand.
- _____ was one of their main foods.
- People used _____ to get what they needed.
- They wore _____ made from cotton and natural fibers.