

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

Clay pot

Medicinal
plants

Trade

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Exchange of things
(like food or crafts).

Indigenous leader.

A time before the
Spanish arrived.

Used for medicine.

Made by hand for
cooking.

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.