



MAP 2: First Civilizations

1. Locate and label these physical features: Pacific Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Indian Ocean, Nile River, Tigris River, Euphrates River, Indus River, Yellow (Huang He) River (you will need to draw the approximate course of the rivers).
2. Locate and draw the approximate boundaries of the First Civilizations: Mesopotamia, Egypt, Indus Valley, Shang Dynasty, Olmec, Norte Chico.
3. In a 3-5 sentence paragraph, analyze the impact of factors such as the environment and climate on the emergence of the First Civilizations.