**Study Guide for Friday’s Quiz**

**Terms to know:**

1. Fertile Crescent

2. Hammurabi

3. Sumer

4. Hunter-gatherers

5. Monotheism

6. Polytheism

7. Culture

8. City-State

9. Mesopotamia

**Be able to answer the following questions:**

1. What were three contributions of the Phoenicians?

2. Which society was known for its brutal military and taking no prisoners?

3. Why was Mesopotamia such a good area for growing crops?

4. What was the purpose of Hammurabi’s Code?

5. Which Mesopotamian society was monotheistic?

6. What rivers were important to the civilizations of Mesopotamia?

7. Why was Mesopotamia hard to defend against invaders?

8. How did the Sumerians get water to their crops?

9. What was the common writing system of Mesopotamia?

10. What was a disadvantage of Hammurabi’s Code?

11. What was a ziggurat used for?

12. Who were the Purple People?

13. Why were the first governments formed?