

Unit 2: Assignment 4: The Role of Technology

1. Design a two column chart listing in the left-column the types of technology needed by a hunter-gatherer society and in the right-column the purpose of each type.

Hunter-Gatherer Society Technology	Purpose of Technology

2. Design another two-column chart listing in the left-column the types of technology needed by early agricultural societies and in the right-column the purpose of each technology.

Agricultural Society Technology	Purpose of Technology

3. Divide the class into two groups. One group represents farmers from a village similar to the one shown in the image on page 9. The other represents a hunter-gatherer society. Debate the advantages and disadvantages of each group's lifestyle. Use the space below to brainstorm arguments supporting your specific group's position.

4. Domesticated animals played a vital role in providing food, clothing, and technology for early agricultural societies. List five examples of domesticated animals and describe the role they played.

Domesticated Animal	Role Played

5. Answer the question posed at the bottom of the graphic appearing on the left side of page 7. In order to effectively answer this question, you should read the graphic from top to bottom. The question is re-written here for your convenience:

A series of different factors caused the rise of River Valley Civilizations. Which cause do you think led most directly to job specialization? Explain.
