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## Check Understanding

Fill in the circle before the correct answer.

- Ancient Indian civilization developed first \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (A) in the Indus River valley
  - (B) in the Ganges River valley
  - (C) on the Deccan Plateau
  - (D) on the Himalayas
- What is a possible reason for the decline of Harappan civilization?
  - (A) chinese invaders
  - (B) earthquakes and floods
  - (C) plagues and diseases
  - (D) trading stopped
- Untouchables were \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (A) high priests
  - (B) government officials
  - (C) members of the lowest caste
  - (D) under the lowest caste

Answer the questions below.

- Based on the map to the right, which monsoon season would be best for farmers?

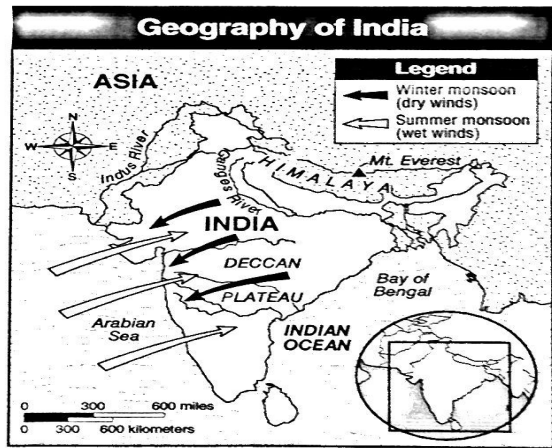
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- What do the ruins of Harappa and Mohenjo-Dar tell us about Harappan civilization?

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