**Mesopotamia Concept Map**

Create a Concept Map on Mesopotamia. You must include all the words from the following word bank and the concept map must be in color. On the back of your concept map, please complete one of the following questions in a CER response

**Due date: Thursday, Oct. 29 at the beginning of class**

**Word Bank:**

“Eye for an Eye”

Advanced Cities

Board Games

Boys/men

City State

Clay

Complex Institutions

Cuneiform

Developed

Euphrates River

Exchange

Farming

Fertile Crescent

First Wheel

Flooding

Hammurabi

Inventions

Irrigation Canals

King

Laws

Middle East

Pictographs

Plow

Pottery

Punishment

Record Keeping

Records

Sailboats

Scribes

Silt

Slaves

Social Classes

Specialized Workers

Sumer

Symbols

Tablets

Technology

Tigris River

Topography

Trade

Tributary

Votes

Written

**Concept Map Rubric:**

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 points) Clearly present **ALL** material learned

\_\_\_\_\_ (1 point) Social Studies Vocabulary is used and explained

\_\_\_\_\_ (1 point) Details are provided

\_\_\_\_\_ (1 point) Material is neat and organized

**Option 2:**

Pretend you are a successful citizen from Mesopotamia. In a CER paragraph, from that citizen’s perspective, what made Mesopotamia successful?

**Option 1:**

How did the combinations of the 5 characteristics of a civilization lead to Mesopotamia becoming the first successful civilization?

**Examples**



