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3.03 Advanced Assignment

What Do I Have to Do?

You learned in the lesson that the Incan civilization built a sophisticated system of roads. Their level of craftsmanship provides us with many clues as to how complex the Incan civilization was. In this Advanced assignment, you will evaluate the importance of the Incan road system and the level of craftsmanship involved in building such an elaborate system.

Step One:

Study the images showing the Incan road system on page 10 of the lesson.

Click here to view the images for the assignment

Step Two:

Respond to the following prompts in complete sentences using your observations from the images (Step One) and the content from the lesson.

1. Describe the level of skill and craftsmanship that the Incan civilization used in building their transportation system.
2. Why were the roads such a vital part of the Incan Empire?
3. Imagine that you are a member of Pizarro's expedition to the Incan civilization. Explain whether you would want to destroy the Incan roads once you conquer the people.