

# ANCIENT INDIA

# ESCAPE ROOM

**ANCIENT INDIA**  
country of India can be found. It is named after the Indus River valley, which was inhabited by people for over 250,000 years. This makes the area one of the oldest inhabited by humans. Archaeological evidence shows stone tools and settlements any found throughout the world. Ancient Indian civilization includes achievements including Sanskrit (one of the world's oldest languages), yoga, and chess. The Himalayan mountain range provides a natural boundary between India and China. Currently, the country Pakistan is India's neighbor to the west, Bangladesh and Myanmar make up the eastern border. This means that the rest of its borders are shared with the Indian Ocean and the Bay of Bengal.

**LEVEL 1 DECODER**

A	B	C	J	K	L
D	E	F	M	N	O
G	H	I	P	Q	R
<del>T</del>	<del>S</del>	<del>U</del>	<del>X</del>	<del>W</del>	<del>Y</del>
			Z		

L=2	J=q	F=1
R=0	W=4	A=6
T=8	G=3	Z=5
Q=7	D=9	P=0
H=1	Y=8	B=3
N=4	C=6	K=1

**LEVEL 2 DECODER**

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○	○	○
○	○	○
○	○	○

= 10

FIND THE VALUE OF EACH LETTER

A =

○	○	○
○	○	○
○	○	○

= 8

**RECORDING SHEET**

LEVEL 1	Q1	Q2	Q3
#	#	#	#

**LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2**

They used \_\_\_ dyes to color clothing.

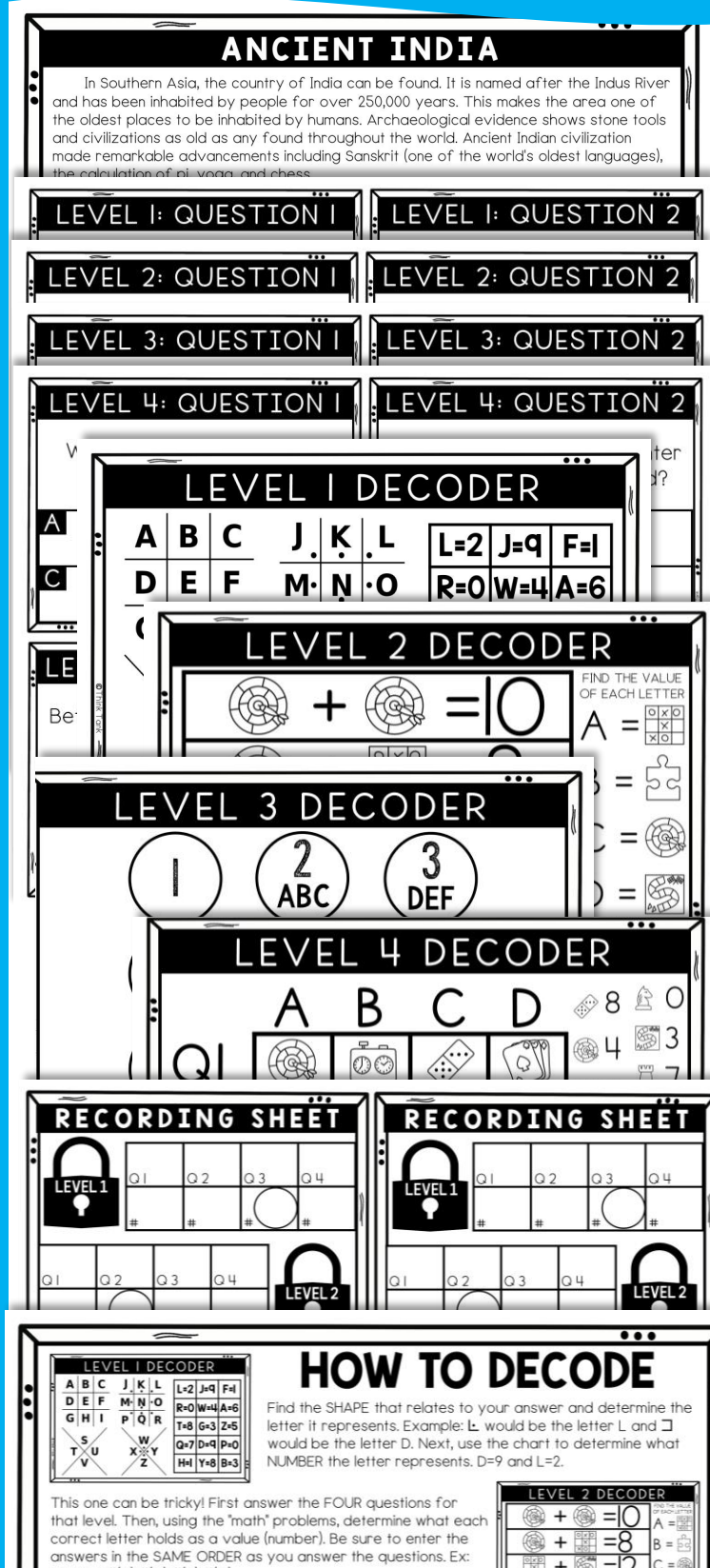
Vegetable	Fruit
Cotton	Insect

**THINK TANK**

**RECORDING SHEET**

LEVEL 2	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
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# WHAT'S INCLUDED?



- READING PASSAGE
- 4 PUZZLE DECODERS
- 16 MULTIPLE CHOICE Q'S
- TEACHER GUIDE
- ANSWER KEY
- STUDENT DIRECTIONS
- HINT CARDS





# 16 QUESTIONS

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**LEVEL 1: QUESTION 1**  
What is known as the oldest religion in the world?  
A Sikhism B Existentialism  
C Hinduism D Buddhism

**LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2**  
They used \_\_\_\_\_ to color cloth.  
A Vegetable B Cotton  
C \_\_\_\_\_ D \_\_\_\_\_

**LEVEL 2: QUESTION 1**  
What river is India named after?  
A Iodin B Indus  
C Dian D Indici

**LEVEL 1: QUESTION 3**  
What is one of the world's \_\_\_\_\_ languages?

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**LEVEL 4: QUESTION 1**  
Ancient India was also known as the \_\_\_\_\_ Civilization.  
A Caradon B Haapanen  
C Parapan D Harappan

**LEVEL 4: QUESTION 2**  
W  
f

**LEVEL 3 DECODER**  
1 2 3  
4 5 6  
7 8 9  
ABCDEFGHIJKL MNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

**LEVEL 3: QUESTION 1**  
Ancient mythology tells us the first ruler was \_\_\_\_\_.  
A Xanadu B Xerxes  
C Bharata D King Tutankhamen

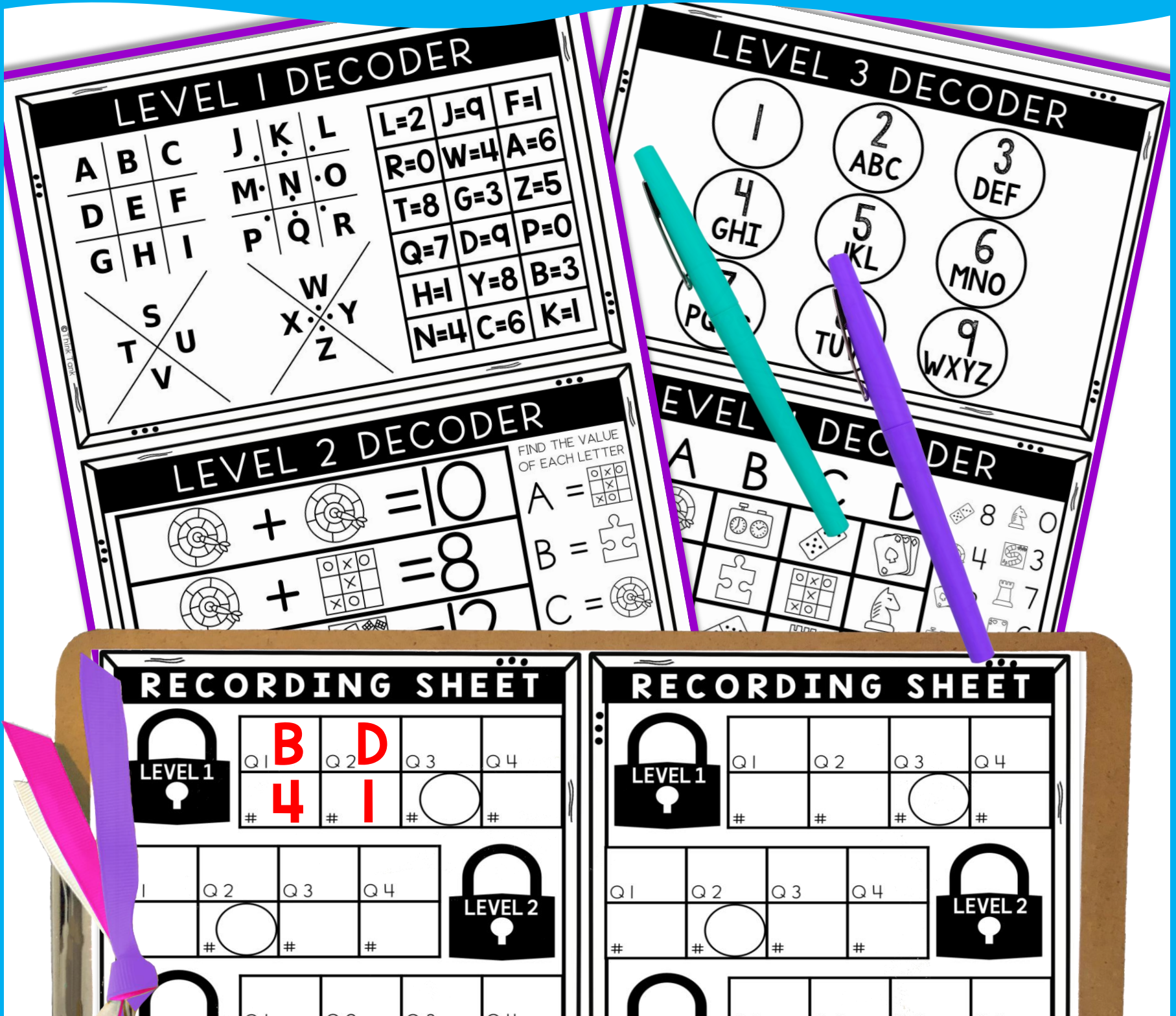
**LEVEL 3: QUESTION 2**  
The word Sikh means '\_\_\_\_\_'!  
A Follower B Leader  
C Learner D Teacher

**LEVEL 3: QUESTION 3**  
What do the Four Noble Truths ultimately lead to?  
A Karma B \_\_\_\_\_

**LEVEL 3: QUESTION 4**  
Which country is India's neighbor to the \_\_\_\_\_?

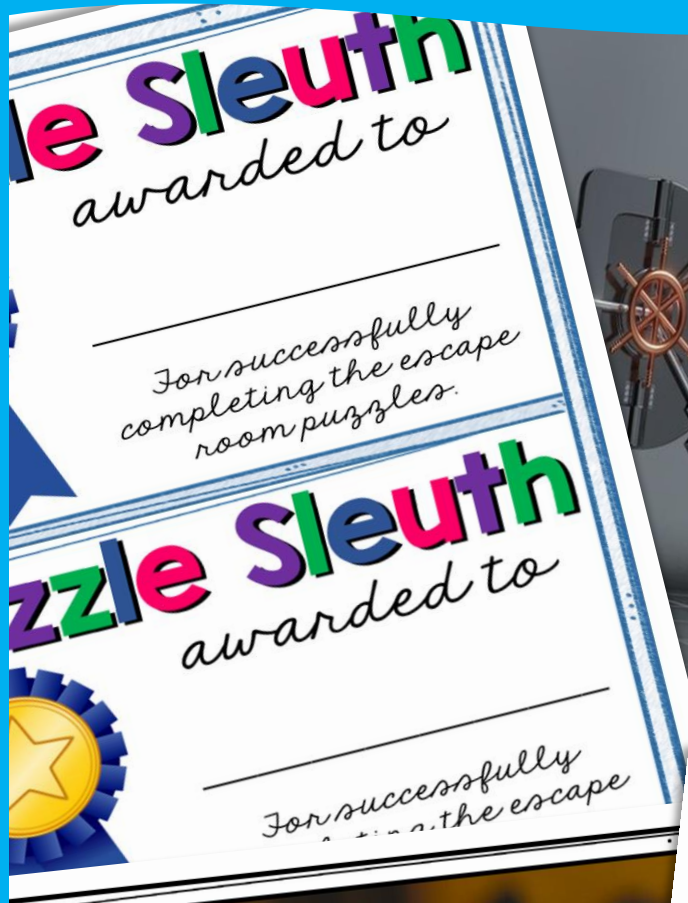
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4 3  
2 7  
1 6

# PUZZLE TYPES

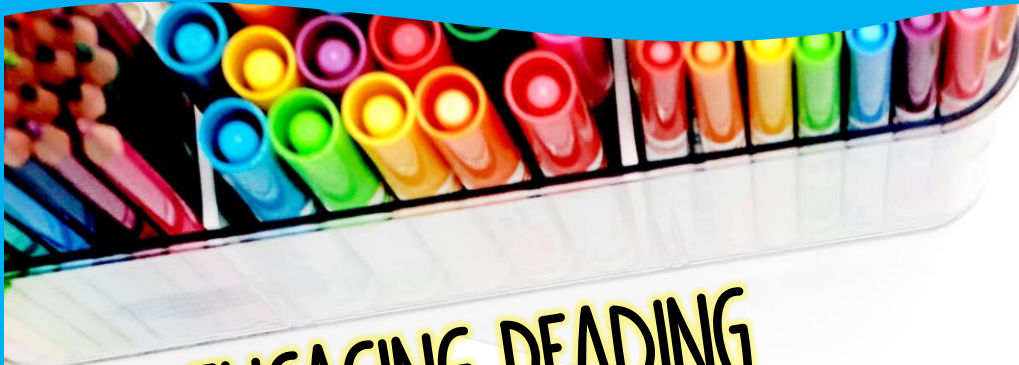




# PRINT, CUT, PLAY



# HOW IT WORKS



## ENGAGING READING COMPREHENSION PRACTICE!

1

Students work individually (or in pairs) and visit 16 question cards.

2

Students will answer the questions found directly in the passage on their recording sheet.

3

Students will use that specific “decoder” to reveal a 4-digit code for each level.

### ANCIENT IN

In Southern Asia, the country of India can be found and has been inhabited by people for over 250,000 years. The oldest places to be inhabited by humans. Archaeologists have found civilizations as old as any found throughout the world. India made remarkable advancements including Sanskrit (one of the oldest languages), the calculation of pi, yoga, and chess. The Himalayan Mountain Range provides a natural barrier between the north and south.

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### LEVEL 1: QUESTION 1

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Existentialism

Hinduism

Buddhism

### LEVEL 1: QUESTION 3

What is one of the world's oldest languages?

Lingala

### LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2

They use \_\_\_\_\_ to color.

Vegetable

Cotton

### LEVEL 1: QUESTION 4


Buddhism was founded by a Hindu.







# BENEFITS



THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!

-  ANTICIPATORY SETS
-  UNIT REVIEW
-  EARLY FINISHERS
-  STATIONS
-  SUB PLANS
-  PARTNER WORK
-  ENRICHMENT

-  LOW PREP
-  PRINT, CUT & PLAY
-  CROSS-CURRICULAR
-  HIGHLY ENGAGING

