Social Studies – Early Humans Review Sheet

1. What are the six (6) characteristics of civilization?
2. When does history begin?
3. How did the Neolithic Revolution influence the shift from a nomadic existence to life in a village and ultimately to civilization? Explain how this change helps develop the six (6) characteristics of a civilization.
4. Why is fire important?
5. What is an artifact?
6. What is a fossil?
7. How does your first assignment make you like an archaeologist?
8. Name 2 early humans and explain what their name means. What does it say about their level of development?
9. What is a hominid?
10. What evolutionary advantage do we have over other animals that helps us hunt?