

moche civilization ancient history encyclopedia - definition the moche were contemporary with the nazca civilization 200 bce 600 ce further down the coast but thanks to their conquest of surrounding territories they were able to accumulate the wealth and power necessary to establish themselves as one of the most unique and important early andean cultures, **moche ancient south american culture britannica com** - moche also called mochica andean civilization that flourished from the 1st to the 8th century ce on the northern coast of what is now peru the name is taken from the great site of moche in the river valley of the same name which appears to have been the capital or chief city of the moche peoples, **the moche culture guide to the history and archaeology** - moche politics and economy they also fished and hunted plants and animals in the region and traded lapis lazuli and spondylus shell objects from long distances the moche were expert weavers and metallurgists used lost wax casting and cold hammering techniques to work gold silver and copper, **the moche world civilization lumen learning** - key points the moche were less of a state or empire and more of a society they lived in a general geographic area the moche practiced a number of religious rituals some of which involved human sacrifice moche art appears in a variety of mediums such as ceramics architecture and, **moche civilization inside peru com** - the legacy of the moche civilization and culture left behind from the moche culture are some very impressive sites that are representative of their skilled archaeological abilities moche pottery is some of the most beautiful pottery in the world the pottery created by the moche people is represented in museums in peru, **moche civilization government economy social classes** - the moche civilization was an andean people that thrived on the coast of peru from the 1st through the 8th century ce they had a hierarchical government and social structure, **the moche flashcards quizlet** - the moche yunga and river valleys that cut up the mountains bolivia andes mtn is 20 000 ft

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