

# archaeologist

a person who digs up remains of ancient cities and towns and studies the way humans lived long ago

# era

a period of time or of history

# fragments

parts broken off; small pieces

# historian

a person who knows a great deal about the past

# intact

whole; with nothing missing, broken, or injured

# preserved

kept from being lost, damaged, or decayed;

protected

# reconstruct

to put parts back together again

# remnants

left-over small parts or remaining traces