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MESOAMERICAN GALLERY – WORKSHEET

Welcome to the Mesoamerican Gallery! The objects that you see here come from the ancient Olmec, Mayan, and Aztec societies. They span a period of over 3,000 years and tell us a great deal about the early inhabitants of Mesoamerica.

1. Locate Mesoamerica on the gallery map. Where is it in relation to the United States? What countries does it include?
2. Draw an example of Mesoamerican writing. What is this called?
3. There are several stelas in the gallery. What people and events do they celebrate?

