Student Worksheet, Angkor Wat.

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1. When was Angkor Wat built? By what king?

2. Who were the people who built the temple? What kind of skills did they have?

3. Were there other temples built during the Khmer Empire? Can you give one example, along with the name of the king who commissioned it?

4. Who was the temple dedicated to?

5. Why do you think that the Khmer built their own houses out of thatch and wood, but built their temples from stone? Angkor What? Angkor Wat! — http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=601

6. Why did so many Angkorian kings build new temples?

7. Why did so many Angkorian kings rebuild old temples?

8. Why do you think the kings of Angkor stopped building temples?

9. Why do you think that Angkor Wat appears on the Cambodian flag today?