Aztecs

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Map



Aztec buildings

Aztec architecture refers to the structural remains of the Aztec civilization. Much of what is known about Aztec architecture comes from the structures that are still standing.

These structures have survived for several centuries because of the strong materials used and the skill of the builders



Ruler of civilization

Aztec Emperors

Montezuma I - Under **Montezuma** I the Aztecs became the dominant power of the Triple Alliance and the empire was expanded. **Montezuma** II - The ninth emperor of the Aztecs, **Montezuma** II was the leader when Cortes and the Spanish arrived.

schools

Aztec Education: Calmecac

Calmecacs were **schools** for the sons of nobles, where they learned to be leaders, priests, scholars or teachers, healers or codex painters. They learned literacy, **history**, religious rituals, calendrics, geometry, songs and the military arts.





What happened

Lacking food and ravaged by smallpox disease earlier introduced by one of the Spaniards, the **Aztecs**, now led by Cuauhtémoc, finally collapsed after 93 days of resistance on the fateful day of 13th of August, 1521 CE. Tenochtitlan was sacked and its monuments destroyed.



Trades goods

, copper and bronze tools, cotton clothing and military clothing, small quantities of jade, obsidian, rock crystal, amber, turquoise, gold, and silver ornaments for luxury **goods**, feathers







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