



READING #1

NEW EVIDENCE OF HUMAN MIGRATION TO THE AMERICAS



1) What is the original theory of how humans migrated to the Americas?

2) Why are long-held theories, such as the Clovis Theory, being questioned/changed over time?

(3a-c) Below are various findings/theories listed. Describe the theories and how they might disprove the original Clovis theory:

**3A)
BUTTERMILK
CREEK TEXAS**

**3B)
"YOUNG MAN
OF CHAN HOI"**

**3C) MAMMOTH
SKELETON**

CONCLUSION:

A) Which of the findings do you think is **LEAST** convincing for disproving the Clovis Theory? (Check One and Explain)

☐

BUTTERMILK CREEK, TEXAS

☐

YOUNG MAN OF CHAN HOL

☐

MAMMOTH SKELETON

B) Which of the findings do you think is **MOST** convincing for disproving the Clovis Theory? (Check One and Explain)

☐

BUTTERMILK CREEK, TEXAS

☐

YOUNG MAN OF CHAN HOL

☐

MAMMOTH SKELETON



READING #2

NEW THEORIES EMERGE ON THE FIRST AMERICANS



1) What is the original theory of how humans migrated to the Americas?

2) Why might long-held theories, such as the Clovis Theory, be questioned/changed over time?

(3 a-e) Below are various findings/theories listed. Describe the theories and how they might disprove the original Clovis theory:

**3A) MONTE VERDE
CHILE**

**3B) CULTURAL &
DNA STUDIES**

**3C) THE
"KENNEWICK
MAN"**

**3D) ATLANTIC
MARITIME THEORY**

**3E) OTHER RECENT
FINDINGS**

CONCLUSION:

A) Which of the findings do you think is **LEAST** convincing for disproving the Clovis Theory? (Check One and Explain)

☐

MONTE VERDE CHILE

☐

CULTURAL & DNA STUDIES

☐

THE "KENNEWICK MAN"

☐

ATLANTIC MARITIME THEORY

☐

OTHER RECENT FINDINGS

B) Which of the findings do you think is **MOST** convincing for disproving the Clovis Theory? (Check One and Explain)

☐

MONTE VERDE CHILE

☐

CULTURAL & DNA STUDIES

☐

THE "KENNEWICK MAN"

☐

ATLANTIC MARITIME THEORY

☐

OTHER RECENT FINDINGS