Worksheet: Thinkers, Beliefs and Buildings (Cultural Developments c. 600 BCE – 600 CE)

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Q1. What are the Four Noble Truths taught by the Buddha? *[3 marks]*

Q2. What do the inscriptions at Sanchi tell us about the patronage of Buddhism? What is historically significant about this evidence? *[5 marks]*

Q3. Trace the evolution of the representation of the Buddha in Buddhist art from the aniconic to the iconic phase. What does this transition tell historians about changing Buddhist practice? *[8 marks]*