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## Purpose

This opening activity will help you begin thinking about what you already know and what you would like to learn about how people use religion to organize their communities. You’ll return to this chart at the end of the lesson to consider what you’ve learned.

## Process

1. In the K column, record anything you already know about how scientific and cultural knowledge was exchanged before 1492.
2. In the W column, record two or three questions you have about how scientific and cultural knowledge was exchanged before 1492.
3. Now, find a partner. Spend a few minutes taking turns sharing your prior knowledge and what you hope to learn.
4. Hold on to the KWL Chart—you’ll return to it at the end of the lesson.

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| **K** | **W** | **L** |
| *I Know…* | *I Want to Know…* | *I Learned…* |
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