

Ancient Peruvian Cultures Timeline

Early Horizon 1400 BCE - 200 BCE

Chavín 1000 BCE – 500 BCE
Central highlands

Early Intermediate 200 BCE – 400 CE

Nazca 100 BCE – 700 CE
South Coast

Moche 100 BCE – 800 CE
North Coast

Recuay 100 BCE – 800 CE
North Central Highlands

Middle Horizon 400 CE – 1000 CE

Wari (Huari) 400 – 1000
Central Southern Highlands

Tiwanaku 400 – 1100
Southern Highlands (Southern Titicaca basin)

Late Intermediate 1000 – 1300 CE

Sican 800 – 1250
North Coast

Chancay 1000 – 1450
Central Coast

Chimú kingdom 1150 – 1460
North Coast

Early Inca cultures 1000 – 1438
Southern Highlands

Late Horizon 1476 – 1532

Inca state 1438 – 1532
Highlands and Coast