

# The Shang Dynasty of Ancient China

## Screen 2-3:

1. What is a Dynasty?
2. Where and when did the Shang Dynasty begin?
3. What did Sima use to help him write the History of China?
4. What did Wang Yirong notice about the dragon bones? Why was this so important?
5. Why did the Shang people write on dragon bones?
6. Give two examples of questions the king would ask on the dragon bones.