## MATH 316: History of Math

1. Read Burton §1.1-1.2. Summarize the mathematical topic discussed in these sections using at most two sentences.

- 2. For each item/numerical system mentioned in this section, state the rough time period, an approximate location, and a brief description of the numerical system.
  - (a) Ishango Bone (pictured on page 5)
    - i. time period:
    - ii. location:
    - iii. description:
  - (b) quipus
    - i. time period:
    - ii. location:
    - iii. description:
  - (c) Mayan symbols
    - i. time period:
    - ii. location:
    - iii. description:
  - (d) Heiroglyphs (pages 13-14)
    - i. time period:
    - ii. location:
    - iii. description:
  - (e) Hieratic Symbols (pages 15-16)
    - i. time period:
    - ii. location:
    - iii. description:
  - (f) Alphabetic System (page 16-17)
    - i. time period:
    - ii. location:
    - iii. description: