

Name \_\_\_\_\_ **Ancient Persia**



# Rulers of Ancient Persia

**DIRECTIONS:** Identify which ruler each statement is about.

Cyrus the Great

Darius I

Xerxes

1. Founder of the Persian Empire.
2. Conquered the Median Empire in 550 BC
3. Built the Royal Road.
4. Was the son of a satrap.
5. Unsuccessfully tried to conquer the Greeks.
6. Unsuccessfully tried to finish his father's attempt to conquer the Greeks
7. Built many places, temples, and irrigation systems.
8. Was the son of a Persian king.