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CHAPTER 3 STUDY GUIDE ANCIENT EGYPT AND NUBIA

You've learned so much about Egypt in this chapter you're probably starting to think you ARE Egyptian! Along with tons of other stuff, you should be an expert on King Tut, Queen Hatshepsut, the pyramids, mummification, the Afterlife, and the Nile River! Study hard for this test! It's a big one!

There will be 30 MULTIPLE CHOICE questions on this test!

- 1. What did Egyptians call their kings?
- 2. What is silt?
- 3. What color was King Menes' crown? Why was it these two colors?
- 4. How does a DYNASTY work?
- 5. Why was the land in the WEST important to the Egyptians?
- 6. Why is King Tut such a famous Pharaoh?
- 7. What civilization conquered Queen Cleopatra VII and Egypt?
- 8. Define HIEROGLYPHICS –
- 9. What Social Class was the largest in Ancient Egypt?
- 10. What do we call scientists that study the stars?



- 11. Where does the Nile River end?
- 12. What do we call a series of rock filled rapids, or waterfalls, along the Nile River?
- **13.** Why was the "Black Land" important to the Egyptians? Where was this land located?
- 14. What was one important thing the Egyptians did during the OLD Kingdom?
- 15. How long did Egyptian civilization last?
- 16. What was the most important thing in the lives of the Egyptians?
- 17. Why is Egyptian Hieroglyphics a difficult language to read?
- 18. What did the Egyptians build in the city of GIZA?
- 19. What did most Egyptians do to earn a living?
- 20. On the Rosetta Stone, what language could archaeologists already read which helped them crack the code of Hieroglyphics?
- 21. What did Egyptians make out of PAPYRUS?
- 22. The Nile River flows to the _____
- 23. What two rivers come together to create the Nile River?
- 24. Define Nile DELTA –
- 25. What did the SPHINX represent to the Egyptians?





- 26. What was an important thing the Egyptian Pharaohs did during the Middle Kingdom?
- 27. What great Pharaoh built a huge army and made Egypt bigger than it had ever been before?
- 28. How did Egyptian religion change during the Middle Kingdom?
- 29. What did Egyptians do to their dead so their spirits would be able to recognize their bodies and live a peaceful Afterlife?
- 30. What was an important thing the Pharaohs did during the NEW Kingdom?

There will be 10 TRUE or FALSE questions on the test!

- **31. How long is the Nile River?**
- 32. What did the Egyptians call the "Black Land"?
- 33. What type of Egyptian scientists could predict the flooding of the Nile?
- 34. How did a Dynasty work?
- 35. About how long did it take to build a pyramid?
- 36. What did Herodotus mean when he said "Egypt is the gift of the Nile"?
- **37.** Why did Egyptian doctors know so much about the human body?
- 38. What was the Afterlife like for the Egyptians?
- 39. Why were Pharaohs more than kings in Egypt?



40. Where is Upper Egypt located? Where is Lower Egypt located?

There will be 10 MATCHING questions on the test!

- 41. What did Alexander the Great do to Egypt?
- 42. Who was Ma'at?
- 43. Who was the Egyptian Sun god?
- 44. What Egyptian god had the power to give you a peaceful Afterlife?
- 45. Who called Egypt "The Gift of the Nile"?
- 46. What tells us that Khufu was a respected Pharaoh in Egypt?
- 47. Why was Hatshepsut a unique Pharaoh?
- 48. Why is Jean Champollion so important to Egyptian history?
- 49. What did Thutmose III do to Queen Hatshepsut's statues?
- 50. What did Cleopatra VII do rather than be taken over by the Romans?

