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Reading and Writing Hieroglyphics

Use the code in the key below and the clues given to translate the message below. Write the words on the lines provided. Hint: Some words are pictured phonetically, so letters may be missing.

Key										
										
Y	W	B	P	F(PH) (V)	L (R)	H	H	M	J (G)	N
										
Z	S (C)	SH	K (C)	K (C)	G	T	CH	D	TH	TH

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Internet Extenders

Hieroglyphics

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/pyramid/hieroglyph/>

Activity Summary: Have the students read the first two Web pages and then print the third, which contains a message in hieroglyphics to be decoded, along with the alphabet in hieroglyphics. Divide the students into small groups and then let them complete the task of decoding the message, sharing their results, and then checking them with the last Web page at this site.

Your Name in Hieroglyphics

<http://webperso.iut.univ-paris8.fr/~rosmord/nomhiero.html>

Activity Summary: When you reach this Web site, look for the space in which to type your name. After doing this, click on "Send" to see what your name looks like in hieroglyphics. Check the names of family members and friends. Make prints of these names to give to them.

Hieroglyphics

<http://emuseum.mankato.msus.edu/prehistory/egypt/hieroglyphics/hieroglyphics.html>

Activity Summary: This Web site includes a different version of the alphabet. It also has a lengthy but very interesting history of the demise of hieroglyphics and its revival with the discovery of the Rosetta Stone.

Ancient Egypt Vocabulary

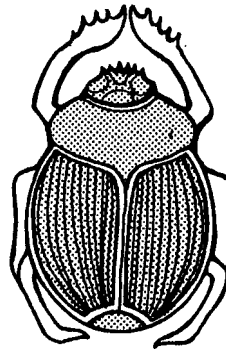
This handy reference can be used in a number of ways: as a word bank for creative writing, rhymes, and poems; as a list of geography and social studies terms to know; and as a model for spelling and vocabulary development. Add to this list throughout the unit of studies.

Places

Memphis	Aswan	Red Sea	Mediterranean Sea	Upper Egypt	Red Land
Tura	Thebes	Nile River	Delta	Lower Egypt	Giza

Games and Toys

senet	clayballs
game of snake	spinning tops
paddle dolls	board games
khuzza lawizza (leapfrog)	tug-of-war
playing soldier	spinning dances
toy animals	playing catch



Famous People

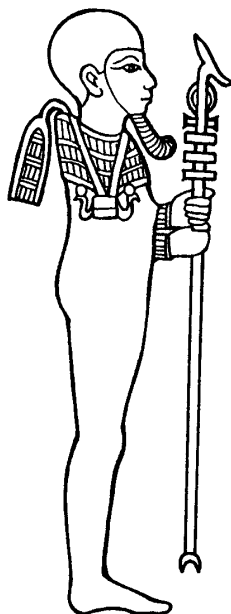
King Tutankhamen
Ramses XI
King Khufu
Imhotep
King Djoser
King Sneferu
Queen Hetepheres
Hatshepsut
Queen Nefertiti
Akhenaten
Pepi II
Ramses the Great
Cleopatra

Gods and Goddesses

Osiris	Horus	Hapy	Udjat
Thoth	Imsety	Hathor	Isis
Anubis	Imsety	Hathor	Isis
Geb	Duamutef	Tefnut	Shu Re-horakhty
Nephthys	Sobek	Bastet	Ptah
Qebhsenuf			
Set			

Mummification

ba	ka
corpse	preserve
burial	embalm
mummy	natron
gods	goddesses
canopic	Jarnen
chemical	shrouds
binding	shabti
portrait mask	amulets
scarab	ankh
resin	cartonnage
coffin	sarcophagus
mourners	procession
"opening of the mouth"	



Other Terms

pharaoh	Sphinx
<i>The Book of the Dead</i>	papyrus
scrolls	everlasting
eternity	pyramid
tomb	hieroglyphs
monument	mastabas
temenos	mortuary
temple	immortal
porticullises	mortar
barge	courses
corridor	capstone
plumbline	incense
sanctuary	alabaster
capitals	anointed