Nile River Animal Mapping Project Directions

1. Draw the Nile River on your paper, about 6-7 inches wide, to give enough space to draw items within the river. Add drawing of papyrus (long, slender, green reeds) along the waterfront.
2. Along the waterfront, draw 1-2 simple homes and some camels grazing. You may want to draw some flooding somewhere along the river, as well.
3. Draw some boats trading goods along the river. Feel free to add fishermen, traders, and other people along the riverfront.
4. Use Internet resources from the weebly to research THREE different Nile River animals (hippos, turtles, Nile perch, crocodiles, etc.). On each of your 3 notecards, draw an image of your animal on the front. On the back, write at least 4 facts about each animal (Suggestions: What does it eat? How large can it grow? Does it have any defining characteristics?). Tape the top of your index card to the appropriate place on your Nile River map. ONLY TAPE THE TOP, so that we can flip the card to read about each animal.