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**Ancient Egyptian Pyramids and History Webquest**

**Type in the following web address:** <http://www.childrensuniversity.manchester.ac.uk/interactives/history/egypt/egyptianmap/>

**Feel free to look at pictures and take the quizzes while searching the webquest.**

**Read the intro paragraph and click Next**

**Find Egypt on the map.**

**1. What two seas border Egypt?**

**Click Next**

**Click on the Nile Delta**

**2. Why is the Nile Delta so important?**

**Click on Cairo**

**3. How is Cairo an important city in Egypt today?**

**Click on Memphis**

**4. Who created Memphis?**

**5. Why was Memphis so important during the time period of the Old Kingdom?**

**Click on Saqqara**

**6. How many pyramids are at Saqqara?**

**7. What pyramid is considered the oldest in Egypt?**

**8. Overtime, what two cities became more important than Saqqara?**

**Click on Giza**

**9. What pharaohs had large pyramids built for them at Giza?**

**10. What is unique about the Great Sphinx?**

**11. What does the Great Sphinx represent?**

**Click on Heliopolis**

**12. What were Ancient Egyptians among the first to do?**

**Click on Rosetta**

**13. What three languages were on the Rosetta Stone?**

**14. Why was the Rosetta Stone such an important historical find?**

**Click on Alexandria**

**15. Who ordered the construction of Alexandria?**

**16. What famous pharaoh committed suicide in Alexandria?**

**Click on the Down Arrow and Click on The River Nile**

**17. What is silt?**

**18. List two ways the Nile River helped people in Ancient Egypt?**

**19. What were boats made out of in Ancient Egypt?**

**Click on the Down Arrow and Click on Aswan**

**20. What temple was moved when the Aswan dam was built?**

**Click on Thebes**

**21. How was Thebes an important city in Ancient Egypt?**

**Click on Luxor**

**22. Why is the Temple of Hatshepsut unique?**

**Click on the Valley of the Queens**

**23. How many known tombs are in the Valley of the Queens?**

**24. Who is one of the most famous people buried in the Valley of the Queens?**

**Click on the Valley of the Kings**

**25. What famous pharaoh was buried in the Valley of the Kings?**

**Click Next and take the quiz if you want.**

**Click on Giza Pyramid Panorama**

**Click Next**

**Click on Khafre’s Pyramid**

**26. How big is Khafre’s Pyramid compared to the other 2 major pyramids at Giza?**

**27. What was Khafre’s Pyramid made out of?**

**28. What happened to many of the casing stones on Khafre’s Pyramid?**

**Click on the Sphinx**

**29. What is unique about the Sphinx?**

**30. What happened to the rock around the Sphinx?**

**Click on the Causeway**

**31. What two buildings were linked by the causeway?**

**Click on the Left Arrow**

**Click on the Valley Building**

**32. What river was the Valley Building next to in Ancient Egypt?**

**33. What is believed to have happened in the Valley Building in Ancient Egypt?**

**Click on Menkaure’s Pyramid**

**34. How big is Menkaure’s Pyramid compared to the other two major pyramids at Giza?**

**35. What is wrong with the top of Menkaure’s Pyramid?**

**Click to the Right Arrow until you get to Khufu’s Great Pyramid**

**Click on Khufu’s Great Pyramid**

**36. How big and old is Khufu’s Great Pyramid when compared to the other two major pyramids at Giza?**

**37. Why was the Great Pyramid built by Khufu?**

**38. What is unique about the Great Pyramid when it is compared to the other Seven Wonders of the Ancient World?**

**Click on the Solar Boat Museum**

**39. What might the Solar boat have been used in Ancient Egypt?**

**Click on Three Queens’ Pyramids**

**40. What might the Three Queens’ Pyramids have been used for?**

**Click on Egyptian Timeline**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**41. When did the first settlers arrive in the Nile Valley?**

**42. Why did people move to the Nile River to farm?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**43. Why did Ancient Egyptians need hieroglyphs?**

**44. What did hieroglyphs allow the Ancient Egyptians to do?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**45. What was King Narmer able to do in Ancient Egypt?**

**46. What capital city did King Narmer have built?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**47. Who had the first pyramid built in Egypt?**

**48. Why did Egyptians mummify their pharaohs?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**49. During what time period were the pyramids built at Giza?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**50. What did the Ancient Egyptians write on the sides of walls of some pyramids?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**51. What happened to most of the tombs in the Valley of the Kings?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**52. How did Queen Hatshepsut succeed in ruling Egypt?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**53. Why is Tutankhamen the most famous pharaoh in modern times?**

**54. How old was Tutankhamen when he died?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**55. How long did Ramesses II rule Egypt?**

**56. How did Ramesses II improve Egypt?**

**57. How many children did Ramesses II have?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**58. Where can the Tanis Treasure now be seen?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**59. When did Alexander the Great conquer Egypt?**

**60. Who took over Egypt after Alexander the Great died?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**61. Who discovered the Rosetta Stone in 1799?**

**Click the Right Arrow**

**62. Why was Julius Caesar murdered?**

**Take the quiz if you want.**

**Click on Ancient Egyptian Gods**

**Click on the different gods to answer the questions.**

**63. What was Anubis the god of?**

**64. What was Bastet the god of?**

**65. Why were cats sacred to Ancient Egyptians?**

**66. Who did Bes protect?**

**67. Why was Horus an important god?**

**68. What was Isis the goddess of?**

**69. What is Osiris the god of?**

**70. What do all pharaohs become when they die?**

**71. Why is Ra an important god?**

**72. What was Sekhmet the goddess of?**

**73. What was Seth the god of?**

**74. What was Thoth the god of?**

**Click on Making a Mummy**

**Answers the questions click the Next button to move forward in the story**

**75. On what side of the Nile River is the body purified?**

**76. What is a “wabet”?**

**77. How is the brain removed from the future mummy?**

**78. What happens to the pieces of the brain?**

**79. What is placed inside the skull to help preserve the body?**

**80. What kind of jars are the organs placed into?**

**81. What is the body of the mummy cleaned with?**

**82. How many days is the mummy’s body covered with salt?**

**83. What is the mummy’s body wrapped in?**

**84. What is the special mummy coffin called?**

**85. What is one weird new fact you learned by doing this webquest?**