



Ancient Egypt

Silver

These Silver questions extend Ancient Egypt knowledge to explaining beliefs and comparing sources.

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Section A: Beliefs & Society

1. Explain why the pharaoh was such an important figure in Ancient Egyptian society.

2. Why did the Egyptians build pyramids for their pharaohs?

3. Explain the purpose of mummification.

4. What might a pharaoh's tomb contain, and why?

5. Explain why the Nile was central to Egyptian religious beliefs, not just farming.

Section B: Achievements & Evidence

1. Explain how hieroglyphics were used in Ancient Egypt.

2. Why is the discovery of the Rosetta Stone considered so significant?

3. Explain one way Egyptian farming methods were advanced for their time.

4. Why do you think the pyramids have survived for thousands of years?

5. What does Egyptian art and writing tell historians about their beliefs?
