

Week beginning Monday 18th May: Years 5 and 6

History

History and Geography

We are going to continue with our short project about the Ancient Egyptians.

- Please go to **BBC Bitesize** and find the **History lesson for 4th May: What did the ancient Egyptians believe in?** You can find this lesson here:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zdq3wx>

- Watch the first clip and then join in with the song!
- Please read the information underneath this really carefully.

Activities

Now have a go at these activities.

Activity 1: Can you name the ancient Egyptian gods?

Try to match each ancient Egyptian god with their picture.

Activity 2: Ancient Egyptian word search.

How many words about the Ancient Egyptians can you find?

Ancient Egyptians

m m t s e s s e m a r l
m u m m y o s i r i s w
s u r o h s e b e h t u
e h c u o t r a c v x w
s a r c o p h a g u s s
o b e l i s k o u t n i
k h i e r o g l y p h b
t a r t a p o e l c j u
h o a r a h p p d n z n
v o x n i h p s d y c a
b s u r y p a p r a y u
p y r a m i d a k i j x

hieroglyph
sarcophagus
pharaoh

pyramid
obelisk
sphinx

mummy
thebes
osiris

anubis
ramesses
cleopatra

Activity 3: Sequencing and retelling.

Read this story about the ancient Egyptian god Osiris.

The story of Osiris

THIS IS THE STORY OF THE GOD OSIRIS WHO DIED TO BE BORN AGAIN

Osiris was a great god king. During his reign the people were happy and well-fed. Osiris' brother Seth was jealous of the king's success.

Seth invited Osiris to a feast, captured him, locked him in a chest and threw him into the River Nile.

Osiris' wife, Isis searched and found the chest and returned it to Egypt from Phoenicia.

This time Seth was determined not to have Osiris back. He cut Osiris' body into fourteen pieces and had them scattered far and wide.

Isis did not give up. She found the parts of the body and put them back together.

She then asked Anubis and Nephthys to help her. They produced the first mummy, Horus.

Isis brought up her baby, Horus in secret. She was afraid that Seth would find him and murder him.

When he was fully grown Horus challenged Seth and a terrible fight took place.

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Now look at the information on the following page. Without looking back, can you put it in the correct order?

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1) Cut out these statements and put them in the right order. They are all about the story of Osiris.

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Now rewrite the story in your home learning book in your own words.