

Respect, Believe, Achieve

Year 3 Ancient Egypt *A study of the achievements of an early civilization

Connection to a famous person/place



Tutankhamun



Egypt

As a Historian, what do I already know?

- ◆In Year 3 we have already learned about Change and Continuity throughout the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age.
- ◆In Year 3 we have already learned about the significance of Iron Age Hill Forts.

 ◆In Year 3 we have already learned what prehistory is.

 ◆In Year 3 we have already learned about **BC.**







Key Words	
Pyramid	The pyramids are the stone tombs of Egypt's kings - the Pharaohs. They have stood for thousands of years, filled with many hidden secrets: clues about what life (and death) was like in Ancient Egypt.
Hieroglyphics	Hieroglyphs are a type of ancient writing that uses pictures instead of letters.
Ritual	A ceremony or series of acts that is always performed the same way.
Mummification	It is when a dead body is preserved. Ancient Egyptians believed that mummification was necessary to gain access to the afterlife
Pharaoh	The rulers of ancient Egypt were called <i>pharaohs</i> . The word <i>pharaoh means</i> "great house."

	Key Skills
	Characteristics Features
	Can describe main features with the period/civilization studied, mostly using period specific language.
	<u>Historical Enquiry</u>
•	Can describe in simple terms how sources reveal important information about the past. Recognises that the absence of certain types of sources can make it more difficult to draw conclusions
	<u>Chronology</u>
	Uses and understands phrases such as 'over three hundred years ago' and AD/BC or BC/BCE

Key Knowledge

The achievements of the earliest civilizations—an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared

- Ancient Egypt was one of the most powerful civilisations.
- It started in 3150BC until 30 BC so it lasted for around 3000 years!
- Egypt is in Africa.
- The Ancient Egyptians built pyramids and so far, over 130 pyramids have been found in Egypt. Archaeologists are still looking for more.

As a Historian, here's what I will know by the end

- 1. I can understand and explain the Ancient Egyptian ritual of Mummification.
- 2. I can understand how evidence can give us different answers about the past.
- 3. I can talk about who Tutankhamun was and
- 4. I can compare and contrast Egyptian Writing (Hieroglyphics) with my own.
- 5. I can compare and contrast the powers of different Egyptian Gods.
- 6. I can identify where Ancient Egypt fits on a timeline compared to the Stone/Bronze/Iron Ages.

