

Homework Tasks

| Ancient Egypt | | | |
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| Investigate where the major pyramids are located and mark them on a map of Egypt. (Don't forget to add the Nile as a guide.) Can you identify the human/physical features? | Write a fact file about an Egyptian God or Goddess. Can you add a picture too? | Who was Cleopatra and what can you find out about her? | Write 10 questions that you would ask Tutankhamun. |
| Construct a pyramid – using any suitable materials e.g. lego, unifix cubes or sugar cubes etc. | Research a Pharaoh and create a fact file on them. | Find an Egyptian bread recipe and make it. How is it different from our bread? Do you like it? | Write some secret messages using Hieroglyphics. |
| Find out some interesting facts about Ancient Egypt and create a multiple choice quiz. | Create top trump cards using Ancient Egyptian Gods and Goddesses. | Research the importance of the River Nile and how it was used. | Free choice |
| English | | | |
| Imagine you were there when Tutankhamen's tomb was discovered. Write a diary or news report about the event. | It is impossible to live without electricity? Consider how people used to live a hundred years ago. Think about your favourite ways to have fun. Think about important jobs around the home that do not require electricity. Write your argument. | Write an acrostic poem for a word from ancient Egypt. | Research the history of electricity. Who discovered electricity? How was it discovered? When was it discovered? What is electricity? How does it affect your life? |
| Science | | | · · · · · |
| Search around the house- how many different electrical appliances can you find? | Rank the electrical items in order of the most important to the least important in your home. | Create your own simple series electrical circuit identifying its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers. | Research how people used to live before electricity was invented? How did they live differently to us now? |
| How often are you using electrical items during the day? | Design a poster of how to stay safe with electricity. | Carry out some research on areas of the world that don't have electricity. i.e areas of Africa. How does this affect daily life? | What electrical appliances do you have at home? What might people have used as alternatives before electricity was discovered? |
| Art and Design | | | |
| Design a car that is powered by electricity. Can you include any of the features of a circuit? | Research, design and create your own Shaduf using appropriate materials. Explain its use. | Design and make a sarcophagus with embellishments. | Design/make a piece of Egyptian jewellery. |

These sites that can be used to help research-<u>BBC - History: Egyptians</u>

www.bbc.co.uk/history/ancient/egyptians

Ancient Egypt for Kids (primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk)

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