

What were the achievements of the Ancient Egyptians?

Timeline

3500 BC
Ancient Egypt: 3100 BC—30 BC

Ancient Rome

AD 1500

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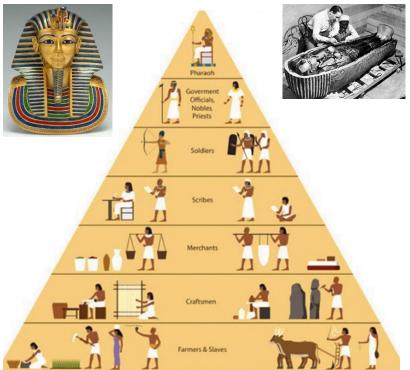
Ancient Maya

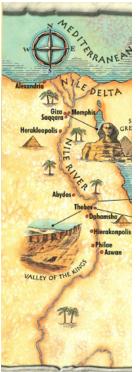
A person exercising or leading government.

Ancient Egyptians

- Ancient Egypt was a civilization that spanned between 3000 to 4000 years.
- Egypt lies in a desert.
- The River Nile is the longest river in the world.
- The main achievements of the Ancient Egyptians were:
 - * Hieroglyphs for writing
 - * Building pyramids
 - * Farming calendar, irrigation tools
 - * Mummification

Howard Carter discovered Tutankhamun's burial chamber in the Valley of the Kings.





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Vocabulary		
Hieroglyphs		Symbols used by Ancient Egyptians to convey messages.
Scribes		The few educated Egyptians who could read and write. Employed by Pharaohs.
Pharaoh		Title given to Egypt's kings and queens.
Tomb		A place in which you are buried when you die.
Mummificatio n		A way of preserving a body after death.
Irrigation		A system of canals, ditches and pipes used by farmers to bring water to their fields, so their crops can grow.
River Nile		The River Nile flows through Egypt and was the source of life for Ancient Egyptians who used it for farming, fishing, trading,
Substantive Concepts		
civilisation		An organized society with its own culture and way of life, existing in a particular area over a particular period of time.
farming		The activity or business of growing crops and raising livestock.