

My Ancient Egypt Fact-File with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To identify and describe key features of life in Ancient Egypt.

Hello! I am Ellie. I love learning about the past. Use this fact-file to show what you have learnt about Ancient Egypt. Read each heading carefully. Write your answers in the boxes below. Use the word bank if you need help with the spelling.

Word bank: Pharaoh · Nile · Pyramid · Hieroglyphs · Tombs · Desert · Tutankhamun · Cleopatra

1. The River Nile: Why was the River Nile so important to the people of Ancient Egypt? (2 marks)

2. The Pharaohs: Who were the Pharaohs and what did they do? (2 marks)

3. Ancient Writing: What were the special picture-symbols used by the Ancient Egyptians called? (2 marks)

4. Great Buildings: Describe a pyramid. What was it used for? (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Imagine you lived in Ancient Egypt. Write one sentence about what you would do for work. Would you be a farmer, a scribe, or a builder?