

Ancient China Fact-File with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To identify and describe key features of Ancient Chinese civilisation.

Hello! I am Ellie the Elephant. I love learning about history. Use this fact-file to help you organise what you have learned about Ancient China. Read the questions carefully. Use the word bank at the bottom if you need help with spelling. You can use full sentences or short notes.

Word bank: Dynasty · Emperor · Silk Road · Great Wall · Invention · River · Paper · Tea

1. Who was the most important person in Ancient China? (Hint: Think about who ruled the land.) (2 marks)

2. Name one famous structure built in Ancient China to help protect the people. (2 marks)

3. Ancient Chinese people invented many things we still use. Can you name one? (2 marks)

4. Why do you think the Ancient Chinese lived near a big river? (Hint: Think about water and farming.) (3 marks)

Extension challenge: If you could visit Ancient China, what is one thing you would like to see? Write your answer on the back of this page.