Ellie’s Ancient Egypt Expedition: Flashcards

Learning objective: To recall and understand key vocabulary and concepts related to life in Ancient Egypt.

Use these flashcards to test your knowledge about the wonders of Ancient Egypt. Read the question on the front, think of your answer, and then check the back to see if you are correct!

Who was the ruler of Ancient Egypt who held total power over the land?	**Which long river was essential to the Ancient Egyptians for farming, drinking, and transport?**
Pharaoh	The River Nile
What is the special system of picture-writing used by the Ancient Egyptians called?	**What was the name of the reed plant used to make an early form of paper?**
Hieroglyphs	Papyrus
What do we call the large, stone structures built as grand tombs for the Pharaohs?	**What is the name of the decorated stone coffin where a mummy was placed?**
Pyramids	Sarcophagus
What is the process called that was used to preserve a body so it would last for a long time?	**What special containers were used to hold the internal organs of a mummy?**
Mummification	Canopic jars
True or False: Ancient Egyptians believed that life continued after death.	**Which job involved using a reed brush and ink to record information for the Pharaoh?**
True	A Scribe