# Ancient Egypt Expedition with Ellie

*Learning objective: To recall and apply knowledge about Ancient Egyptian civilisation, including daily life, beliefs, and society.*

Join Ellie the elephant on her journey through time! Answer these 10 questions to prove you are a master historian of the Nile.

Answer Key: 1. A (The Nile); 2. True; 3. Hieroglyphics; 4. B (Pharaoh); 5. False (They were buried with treasures for the afterlife); 6. Scribe; 7. Papyrus; 8. C (Canopic jars); 9. True; 10. Tutankhamun.

*Word bank: Pharaoh · Hieroglyphics · Scribe · Papyrus · Canopic · Mummification · Nile · Pyramid · Afterlife · Tutankhamun*

**1. 1. Which river was essential to the survival of Ancient Egyptian civilisation? A) The Nile* B) The Amazon C) The Thames D) The Yangtze (1 mark)**

**2. 2. True or False: Ancient Egyptians believed in a life after death. (1 mark)**

**3. 3. What is the name given to the formal writing system used by Ancient Egyptians? (1 mark)**

**4. 4. Who was at the very top of the social hierarchy in Ancient Egypt? A) A farmer B) A Pharaoh* C) A merchant D) A soldier (1 mark)**

**5. 5. True or False: Ancient Egyptians were buried with nothing so they could travel lightly to the next world. (1 mark)**

**6. 6. What was the name of the professional person whose job it was to write documents and keep records? (1 mark)**

**7. 7. Ancient Egyptians invented a type of early paper made from a reed plant. What was it called? (1 mark)**

**8. 8. During the process of preserving a body, which containers were used to hold organs? A) Clay pots B) Wooden chests C) Canopic jars* D) Glass bottles (1 mark)**

**9. 9. True or False: The Great Pyramid of Giza was built as a tomb for a Pharaoh. (1 mark)**

**10. 10. Which famous boy-king’s nearly intact tomb was discovered by Howard Carter in 1922? (1 mark)**

**Draw: Draw a scene from the banks of the River Nile. Include a pyramid in the background, a small boat on the water, and Ellie the elephant wearing a traditional Egyptian collar necklace.**

*Extension challenge: Imagine you are a scribe living in 1300 BC. Write a short diary entry (50 words) describing your day working in the temple. What did you write on your papyrus scroll?*