

ANCIENT EGYPT

Learning Objective: You will be able to explain why the Egyptian civilization began and flourished in the Nile River Valley, even though, it was surrounded by desert.

	Engage
	Check out this Google Street View link to look at the pyramids! 1. What did you notice? Record your thoughts on your worksheet 

	Explore/Explain
	2. Look at these links and answer questions on your worksheet. Link 1 Geography of Egypt An introductory video on the Nile River, farming, and geography of Ancient Egypt. Do not do the map the video mentions, just do the questions on your handout. Link 2 Geography of Egypt Read about the importance of the Nile River. Link 3 Ancient Egypt: Life along the Nile Read this article about ancient Egypt. Link 4 Quizlet Study these words to help you better understand the importance of the Nile River.

Wow & Wonder	
3 things you discovered 	1. 2. 3. FILL OUT ON YOUR WORKSHEET
 2 interesting facts or details	1. 2.
 1 question you still have	

Apply	
	Use Slides, Docs, Drawing, Quizlet or another tool of your choice, work with a partner to create a project that answers the questions from your worksheet. (Example: The length of the Nile River is_____. The Nile River is located in _____.) Your project needs to include 10 things <u>MINIMUM</u> Link your creation to this Padlet. If you need help with this, please watch this short video. PUT YOUR NAMES ON YOUR PROJECT!!!



Share

With your partner, view 2 other creations on the [Padlet](#).
Leave feedback for the authors of at least 2 of the projects.



Reflect

In words and phrases, reflect on what you learned about the Nile River Valley and create a **WORD CLOUD** in a new Google Doc. **Paste a link to your doc HERE:**

LINK

*If you don't already have the Word Cloud Generator add-on, you can access it by clicking on Add-ons, Get add-ons, and then searching for Word Cloud Generator.



Extend

If you LOVE Egypt you can check out these other resources for even more information on Egypt and the Nile River.

[Egypt: Basic Facts](#)

[Nile River Facts](#)

[Nile River Valley Weather](#)

[The River Nile](#)

[Flood Irrigation](#)

[Benefits of Flood Irrigation](#)