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Ms. Sells' Ancient History Exam

Unit 1 Egypt Exam Study Guide

- Khemet
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- Ma' at
- Importance of Nile River
- Seasons in Egypt
- Nilometers
- Gods of Nile
- Aswan High Dam
- Kingdoms vs. Intermediate Periods
- Step pyramid
- Imhotep
- Hieroglyphics
- What did ancient Egyptians believe about their writings?
- Reading and writing in Egypt?
- Rosetta Stone
- Pyramid Text, Coffin Text, Book of the Dead
- Ra
- Upper vs. Lower Egypt crown
- Dream Stela
- How were the pyramids built?
- Ba, Ka, Akh
- Egyptian body and mummification
- Mer
- Great Spinyx
- Concerns during old kingdom

Map:

- Nile Delta
- Nile River
- Red Sea
- Sinai Peninsula
- Upper Egypt
- Lower Egypt

Possible Essay Prompts:

- Ensure you are connecting the prompt to overarching course material we have discussed this year, and not simply summarizing your answers. Describe the 3 seasons in ancient Egypt. What happened during each season, and how did the seasons affect ancient Egyptians living along the Nile?
- What was the Field of Reeds and what kind of journey would an ancient Egyptian take to make it there? Describe the three spirits and what each was responsible for. What types of “cheats” could you buy that may help you along your journey to the afterlife and how would they be of service?
- Describe the ancient Egyptian process of mummification. Include the three steps in the process (with both the Egyptian and modern names) recount what occurred at each stage, and how long each part took to complete. Explain in as much detail as possible!