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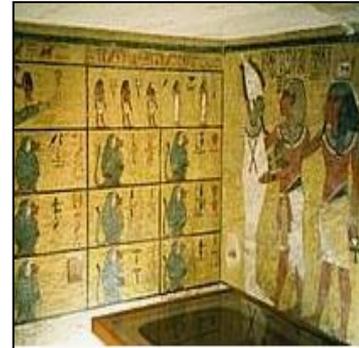
# Ancient Egypt



LO: I can make predictions based on the text and my own experiences. Learning ladder Pg. 7 (iiii)

What do you know about Ancient Egypt? Here are some images to help you get started.

Write a list below:





**African Continent**



**Capital city**



**River Nile**

**Egypt** is part of the continent of **Africa**. It's capital city is called **Cairo**. The **Rive Nile** run through Egypt. This is why we find many temples, pyramids and ancient cities close to the river. (Look closely at image 3)

[Watch this short video](#) to find out more about Ancient Egypt. It's 5 minutes long. Make a note of anything that you find interesting and then **share it with me** or with your **pod teachers**.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IZOPWSXMvzI>

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**Howard Carter** was born on the 9th May 1874 - 2 March 1939. He was a British **archaeologist** and Egyptologist who became world-famous after discovering the intact **tomb** of the 18th Dynasty Pharaoh, **Tutankhamun** in November 1922.

## Discovery of King Tut's Tomb

On November 4th, 1922, a boy who worked as a water fetcher on the excavation started to dig in the sand with a stick. He found a stone step and called Carter over. On November 26, 1922, Carter and Lord Carnarvon entered the tomb, where they found an immense collection of gold and treasures.

Once inside the tomb, Carter found rooms filled with treasure. This included statues, gold jewellery, **Tutankhamun's** mummy, chariots, model boats, canopic jars, chairs, and paintings. It was an amazing discovery and one of the most important made in the history of archaeology.



## Task 1

Using the information from slides 4-7, answer the following questions in full sentences.

1. Egypt is part of what continent?
2. What is the capital of Egypt?
3. What is the name of the river that runs through Egypt?
4. When was Howard Carter born?
5. What job did he do?
6. Why is he famous?
7. Who originally found the stone steps of the tomb?
8. What did they find inside the tomb?
9. In what country do you see pyramids?
10. What language is spoken in Egypt?