





This is a map of Egypt.

Note how the towns are mostly situated by the river.

Why do you think this is?

Do you think this would have been much different in ancient Egypt?

Ancient Egypt



The ancient Egyptians lived from around 5000 years ago.

They settled by the River Nile for its flooding that happened every year and fertilised the soil around it.

They worshipped many gods in their world.

The ancient Egyptians left behind some great monuments that can still be seen today, such as the pyramids.



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For 3000 years, the people of ancient Egypt were ruled by pharaohs (basically kings or queens).

Pharaohs were seen as living gods.

One of the most well known pharaohs is called Tutankhamun. His tomb was discovered by the famous archaeologist Howard Carter. It was one of the richest finds in history!



