

Student Name: _____**Class:** _____**Student ID:** _____**Date:** _____

Assessment Details

Duration: 45 minutes	Total Marks: 30
Topics Covered:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Importance of the Nile River• Key Cultural Achievements• Social Hierarchy and Roles

Instructions to Students:

1. Read all questions carefully before attempting.
2. Show all working out - marks are awarded for method.
3. Write your answers in the spaces provided.
4. If you need more space, use the additional pages at the end.
5. Time management is crucial - allocate approximately 1 minute per mark.

Section 1: The Importance of the Nile River [10 marks]

Question 1

[2 marks]

What was the main reason for the Nile River's importance in Ancient Egyptian daily life?

A) It provided a source of water for drinking and irrigation

B) It was a major trade route

C) It was a source of fish and other food

D) It was a place of worship

Question 2

[5 marks]

Describe how the Nile River's annual flooding affected Ancient Egyptian agriculture.

Question 3

[3 marks]

Identify and label the different parts of the Nile River delta.

Section 2: Key Cultural Achievements [10 marks]

Question 4

[2 marks]

Which of the following was a significant cultural achievement of Ancient Egypt?

A) The development of the wheel

B) The construction of the Great Pyramid of Giza

C) The creation of the alphabet

D) The discovery of the New World

Question 5

[5 marks]

What was the purpose of the pyramids in Ancient Egyptian society?

Question 6

[3 marks]

Identify and describe the different types of Ancient Egyptian art and architecture.

Section 3: Social Hierarchy and Roles [10 marks]

Question 7

[2 marks]

Which of the following was a characteristic of the social hierarchy in Ancient Egyptian society?

A) Everyone was equal and had the same rights

B) The pharaoh was at the top of the social hierarchy

C) Women had more rights than men

D) Slaves were at the top of the social hierarchy

Question 8

[5 marks]

Describe the role of the pharaoh in Ancient Egyptian society.

Question 9

[3 marks]

Identify and describe the different social classes in Ancient Egyptian society.

Additional Space for Answers

Glossary

Pharaoh: The ruler of Ancient Egypt.

Hieroglyphics: A system of writing used by the Ancient Egyptians.

Nile River delta: The area where the Nile River meets the Mediterranean Sea.

Answer Key

Section 1:

Question 1: A) It provided a source of water for drinking and irrigation

Question 2: The Nile River's annual flooding brought nutrient-rich silt that made the surrounding land suitable for farming.

Question 3: The Nile River delta is the area where the Nile River meets the Mediterranean Sea.

Section 2:

Question 4: B) The construction of the Great Pyramid of Giza

Question 5: The pyramids were built as tombs for the pharaohs and were believed to provide a means for them to ascend to the afterlife.

Question 6: Ancient Egyptian art and architecture include pyramids, temples, and tombs.

Section 3:

Question 7: B) The pharaoh was at the top of the social hierarchy

Question 8: The pharaoh was the ruler of Ancient Egypt and was believed to be a god-king.

Question 9: The social classes in Ancient Egyptian society included the pharaoh, nobles, priests, and slaves.