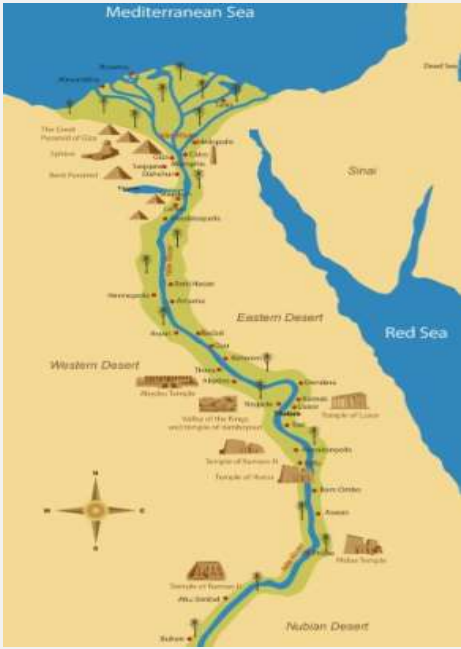






Ancient Egypt Year 5 Knowledge Organiser

Geography	Subject Specific Vocabulary		Exciting Books		
	Archaeologist	People who discover our history by looking at artefacts that have been found.			
	Pharaohs	The word pharaoh originally meant 'great house', but came to mean the person who resided in it.			
	Tombs	Ancient Egypt is known for its magnificent and beautiful tombs. The most well known are within the pyramids in the Valley of the Kings.			
	Pyramid	A geometrical term that refers to part of the burial complexes for Egyptian pharaohs.			
	Hieroglyphs	The term hieroglyph refers to the fact that it is carving for sacred things, but hieroglyphs were also written on papyrus.			
	Ancient	Very old, belonging to the distant past			
	Papyrus	An Egyptian plant whose reeds are slit and placed in layers in order to form paper.			
Sticky Knowledge	Sarcophagus	Sarcophagus is a Greek word meaning flesh-eating and refers to the mummy case.	Society		
	Mummy	Remains of a body found inside the carved and brilliantly painted burial case known as a sarcophagus.			
	Burial chamber	This is the room that contains the sarcophagus and mummified remains of the Pharaoh			
<input type="checkbox"/> Cleopatra was the last pharaoh of Egypt before the Romans took over in approx. 300BC.		Howard Carter Born in 1874, London. Egyptologist famous for discovering the tomb of Tutankhamun in 1922			Death Mask Used to cover the face after mummification. They were often made from gold and elaborately decorated.
<input type="checkbox"/> Tutankhamen was known as the boy king, famous because his tomb was found in 1922.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Most Egyptians inhabited land close to the River Nile.					
<input type="checkbox"/> The Egyptians were the first civilization to invent writing.	Ancient Egyptian Civilisation 4500BC – 332BC				