

Essay: You will be given a few prompts about the chapter. You must answer in at least ONE FULLY DEVELOPED paragraph (5 sentences or more). You must answer all address all questions and show reasoning behind your answers. You must CHOOSE ONE prompt to answer. It is highly recommended that you outline and then use that to guide your essay. Scrap paper will be provided. Remember to your outline must be put into essay form. Outlines will not be accepted as a final copy. ACES is a form of outlining, don't be afraid to use it, just make sure you turn that into a paragraph. You can use the back of this sheet or a separate sheet of paper and staple it to the test. Please circle your option here. This will be taken on Tuesday. Please prepare yourselves.

1. Describe the geography of the Nile river. Why was the desert considered a blessing to the Egyptians? What did it offer? How was civilization influenced by the presence of the Nile river?
2. Describe the three major periods or KINGDOMS in ancient Egypt. What was the role of the Pharaoh, what was he believed to be? Describe the rule of one Pharaoh (Identify when they ruled, what dynasty were they from, what Kingdom they were in, and one thing significant from their reign) How is the pharaoh different from Mesopotamian rulers?
3. What was the purpose of the pyramids? Describe the Judgement of Maat. How did the Egyptians get to the afterlife? Why did the Egyptians want to go to the afterlife?
4. What were the social classes like in Ancient Egypt? Where were people placed? Was social class hardset or could people move? How did one move up in society? How were women treated differently compared to Mesopotamia or were they the same?