Prior Knowledge

- What do you know about the Ancient Egyptians?
- How do you know this?

Ancient Egypt Year 3 Knowledge Organiser



Big Question	Subjec	t Specific Vocabulary	Start of the topic	End of the topic	Cross Curricular Links
	Ancient	Very old, belonging to the distant past.			Science
<text></text>	Archaeologist	People who discover our history by looking at artefacts that have been found.			<image/> <section-header><section-header><section-header><section-header><section-header></section-header></section-header></section-header></section-header></section-header>
	Civilisation	Ancient civilisation refers specifically to the first settled and stable communities that became the basis for later states, nations, and empires.			
	Chronology	The arranging of events in their order of occurrence in time.			
	Empire	A group of countries led by one leader, or government.			
	Hieroglyphics	Symbols in the form of pictures which are used in some writing systems.			
	Legacy	A legacy is something that is handed down from one period of time to another period of time.			
	Mummification	The process of preserving a body, for example by rubbing it with special oils and wrapping it in cloth.			
	Treasure	A quantity of precious metals, gems, or other valuable/ valued objects.			
	Pharaoh	The word pharaoh originally meant 'great house', but came to mean the person who lived in it.			
	Sarcophagus	Sarcophagus is a Greek word meaning flesh- eating and refers to the mummy case.			
	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.			