

Ancient Egyptian Gods and Goddesses



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Ancient Egyptian Gods and Goddesses. - PART 1

Today we will make a fortune teller to help us to present facts about some of the ancient Egyptian Gods and Goddesses.

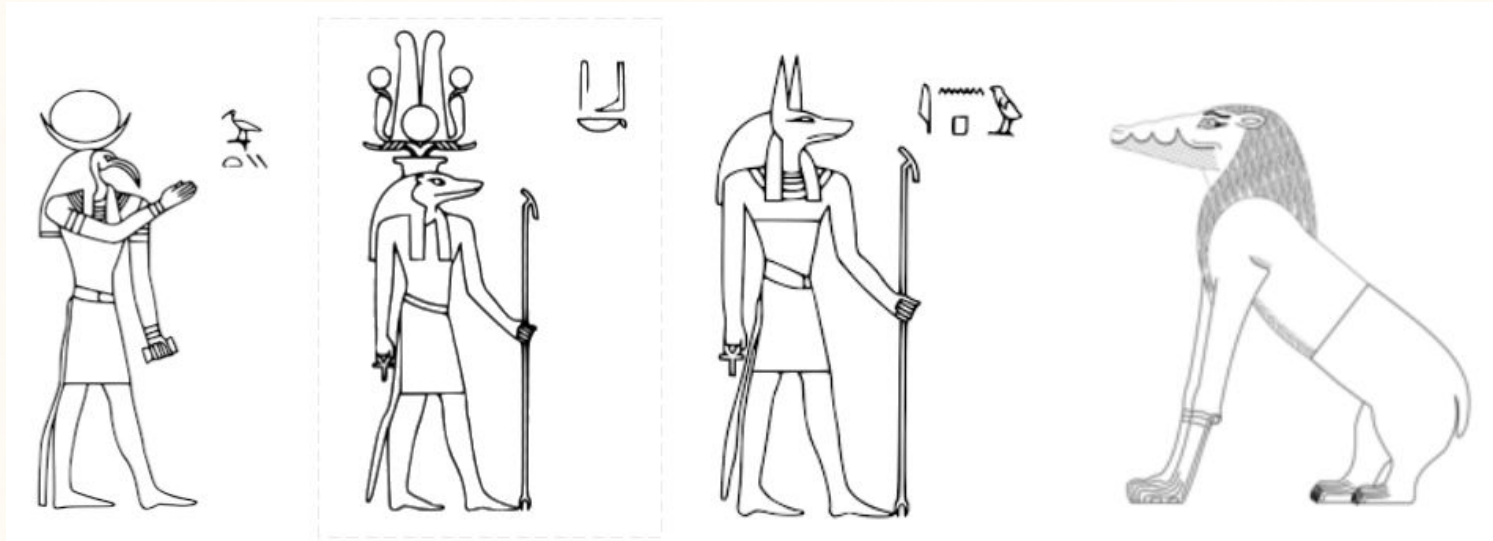
First, read through the Powerpoint to meet a selection of the Ancient Egyptian Gods or Goddesses. There was believed to be over 2,000 gods that the Egyptians believed in. There is a funny (if not a little silly hehe) clip [HERE](#) taken from Horrible Histories.

Then, use this link [HERE](#) to watch an instructional video on how to make a paper fortune teller (Mr Brown made one last week in collective Worship). You might want to use an A3 piece of paper as the bigger the better.

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Once you have made your fortune teller, you can use these pictures to decorate the outside flaps.



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After decorating the outside flaps with the colorful pictures, write the names of four of the gods on the inside of the flaps (you will have to write across two flaps (see pictures on next slide)).

Remember to make it colourful and well presented even when you are writing the names. You could even use some hieroglyphics.

Under these names, write one or two facts about that god that is named on that flap. Again, think about how you will set your work out and how colourful you will make it. Maybe you could include some Egyptian symbols or pictures.

Then bravo! You are finished.

PICTURES ON NEXT SLIDE

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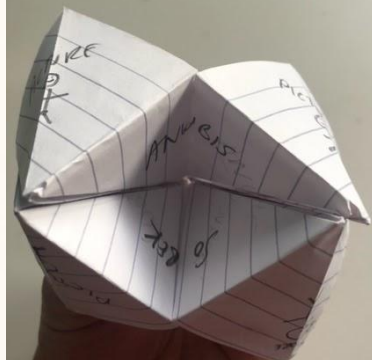
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Here are some pictures from a quick one that I made. It is not up to the standard of work that you guys produce! hehe

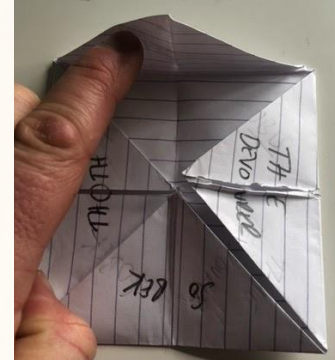
Outer Flaps



The Names of the Gods



The space for Facts



Now off you go and enjoy making your own!

REMEMBER: You are 10 times the artist I am - Mr B :-)



NAME: Ra

GOD OF: the sun

Ra was the most important god to all the Egyptians.

It was believed that he was swallowed by Nut the sky goddess every night and born again in the morning.

The Egyptians also believed that Ra travelled through the underworld at night, where he appeared as a man with the head of a ram!



NAME: Anubis

GOD OF: the dead and the process of embalming

It was thought that jackals watched over the dead as they were seen in cemeteries a lot.

Anubis helped to embalm Osiris when he was killed by Seth.

Egyptian priests would wear a mask of Anubis during mummification ceremonies.



NAME: Osiris

GOD OF: the dead and the underworld.

Osiris was also a god of resurrection and fertility.

The Egyptians believed that he gave them the gift of their most important crop, barley.

Osiris was the husband of Isis and the father of Horus.

NAME: Nut and Geb

GOD/GODDESS OF: Nut – the sky,
Geb – the earth



Nut's body is stretched across the sky and covered in stars. She and Geb are the parents of Isis and Osiris.

Nut is the sister/wife of Geb and it is believed that Nut swallowed Ra, the sun god at the end of every day and gave birth to him again in the morning.

It was believed that earthquakes are caused by Geb's laughing.



NAME: Sekhmet

GODDESS OF: war

Sekhmet means 'the powerful one'!

She is sometimes called the daughter of the sun god Ra.

She is celebrated at the end of battles.



NAME: Horus

GOD OF: the sky

Protector and ruler of Egypt. All living pharaohs were considered a 'living Horus'.

It was believed that Horus was the son of Isis and Osiris.

Horus became a ruler of the living after losing an eye in a battle and having it restored. The eye then became a symbol of protection.



NAME: Isis

GODDESS OF: protecting the needy.

Isis is the wife of Osiris. Each pharaoh of the time was considered a 'living Horus' so she was very important as their wife.

She is also the mother of Horus and has him sitting on her lap.



NAME: Thoth

GOD OF: writing and knowledge

Thoth could also appear as a baboon.

It was believed that Thoth gave the Egyptians the gift of hieroglyphs.



NAME: The Devourer

GOD OF: He ate the bad souls in the afterlife.

He was part crocodile, lion and hippo.

He was also known as Ammit.

He was made from the largest man eating animals in Ancient Egypt.



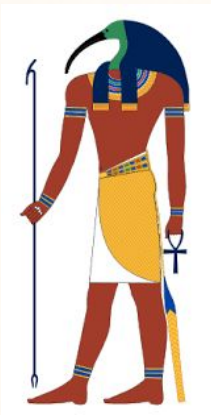
NAME: Sobek

GOD OF: The God of the Nile.

He brought water to the land to make the soil fertile.

He was also known as Lord of the waters.

He was very strong and powerful like water.



Thoth is the Egyptian god of writing, magic, wisdom, and the moon.

- *Toth was the offspring of Horus (god of the sky).
- *He was the inventor of writing.
- *He weighed the hearts of the dead and reported to the other Gods.



Anubis was the god of embalming and the dead.

- *Jackals were often seen in cemeteries
- *Anubis watched over the dead.
- *He guided the protected souls to the afterlife.



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