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For over 400 years, between 2575 BC and 2150 BC, Ancient Egypt went through a period called the Old Kingdom. This was the first kingdom of three, each marking a time when Ancient Egypt was doing very well. Another name for the Old Kingdom is the Age of Pyramids because the pyramids were built during this time. The capital of Egypt during the Old Kingdom was called Memphis.

There were four main dynasties during the Old Kingdom of the Early Bronze Age in northeast Africa. A dynasty is a royal family who ruled the land over a period of time. The Old Kingdom went through the Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Dynasties. Some also consider the Seventh and Eighth Dynasties as part of this kingdom.

The period before the First Kingdom was known as the Early Dynastic Period. In that time, during the First Dynasty, Egypt became one country. However, it was not until the Third Dynasty during the Old Kingdom period, under the rule of the Pharaoh Djoser, that Egypt's government became strong and powerful.

Government and religion were connected in Ancient Egypt and the pharaoh was the head of both. The pharaoh was like a king and was the most powerful person in Ancient Egypt, thought to be connected to the gods. The vizier worked under the pharaoh and completed most of the government's daily work.

Pharaoh Djoser ruled during the Third Dynasty. He divided Egypt into different nomes (similar to states) with a governor for each, known as a nomarch. The nomarchs would check in with the pharaoh about what was happening in their nome. The Fourth Dynasty was considered to be the peak of the Old Kingdom, with powerful pharaohs such as Sneferu and Khufu.

How many main dynasties were in the Old Kingdom? *

Four

Three

Seven

Nine

What was the name of their sun god? *

Abel

Ra

Bice

None of the above

What pharaoh ruled during the Third Dynasty? *

Sartor

Khufu

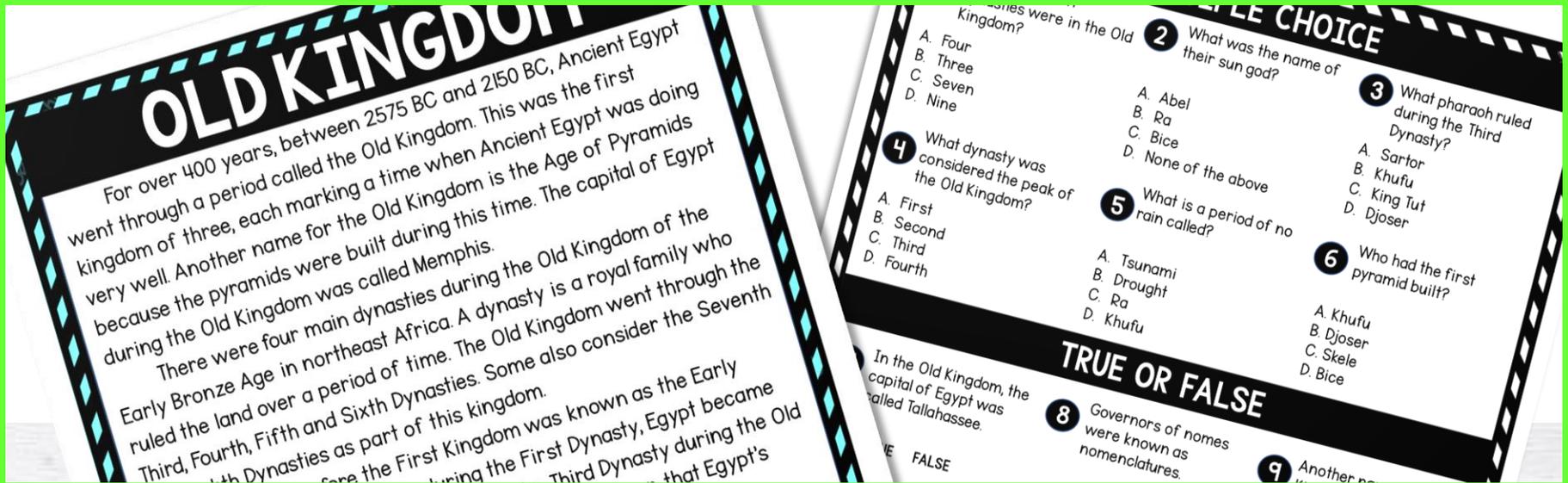
King Tut

Djoser



READING PASSAGE

15 QUESTIONS



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INCLUDED

- ✓ READING PASSAGE
- ✓ TEACHER DIRECTIONS
 - ✓ ANSWER KEY
 - ✓ 15 QUESTIONS
 - ✓ SELF-GRADING
- ✓ PRINTABLE VERSION
- ✓ DIGITAL VERSION



QUESTION TYPES

-  **MULTIPLE CHOICE (6)**
-  **TRUE OR FALSE (9)**
-  **EDITABLE QUESTIONS
(FOR DIGITAL VERSION)**

True

False



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✓ KNOW HOW TO ZOOM IN AND ZOOM OUT TO
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True

False



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-  COMPREHENSION PRACTICE



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GROUP STATIONS



SUB PLANS



UNIT REVIEW



ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY



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