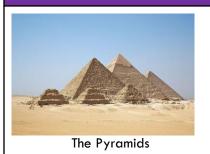


## Vocabulary Meaning worship to show adoration or great admiration deity god, goddess, the creator of a higher being. to keep and maintain in its original state or existing preserve state pyramid a structure that usually has a square base and four triangular sides meeting at a point – in Ancient Egypt, it was a large, stone structure containing a tomb a natural or artificial enclosed space or cavity chamber cardinal points the four main points of a compass mummify to preserve a body buy embalming it and wrapping it in cloth hieroglyphics a writing system that uses pictures and symbols instead of letters and words and was used by **Ancient Egyptians** cartouche a name plate, usually oval shaped which was used on a tomb or coffin to mark the name of the pharaoh or queen that was buried inside it sarcophagus a stone coffin pharaoh a ruler in Ancient Egypt to hit hard especially with the hand or weapon, to kill smite or injure someone depicting to show or represent someone or something in pictures or words

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## Key knowledge - How were the pyramids built?



A pyramid is made from blocks of stone. The Ancient Egyptians made the pyramids from stone and not mud bricks because it was more sturdy and strong.

## Key knowledge – Why did the Ancient Egyptians use Mummification?



A body mummified.

Ancient Egyptians believed that a person needed their body after death in the afterlife. Therefore they thought it was important to preserve the body through mummification. Mummification is to preserve a body by embalming and wrapping it in cloth.

