(89) 1. What evidence can you find that Egypt 5,000 years ago was not at peace?

(89) 2. What conclusion can you draw from Menes’ choice of a double crown as the symbol of his rule?

(89) 3. Why do you think the early pharaohs had to work to build unity within Egypt?

(90) 4. What role did local leaders play under the pharaoh?

(90) 5. What was the relationship between the pharaoh and the Egyptian god, Ra? Explain.

(91) 6. Why did Egyptians preserve the bodies of the dead through mummification?

(91) 7. Why do you think so many layers were used to enclose the mummy?

(92) 8. Why were the pyramids built?

(92) 9. How does the building of the pyramids give proof of the cultural importance of the pharaohs to Egypt?

(92) 10. Why do you think local rulers resisted the orders of the later pharaohs to build pyramids? What happened as a result? (Cause and effect!)

(93) 11. What are hieroglyphs? (Notice the underline part! It does not say hieroglyphics!)

(93) 12. How would you compare/contrast hieroglyphics to our written language?

(93) 13. For what reason**s** do you think it might have been good to be a scribe in ancient Egypt?

(94) 14. How did the Rosetta Stone help unlock the meaning of hieroglyphics?

(94) 15. Why did long-distance traders switch from bartering to using mediums of exchange (metal with value, like god, copper, or silver)?