

Do you know what each of the follow symbols means?













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Each of those symbols mean something.

You know and understand what each meant even though there are no words on the page.

Egyptians designed a form of writing that was very similar to this.

It is called..... **Hieroglyphics**

































These signs were either cut into stone or painted on a paper like substance called "**Papyrus**"

Papyrus - plant that grew along Nile river. It was dried and used for paper



We have discovered that each symbol meant something...

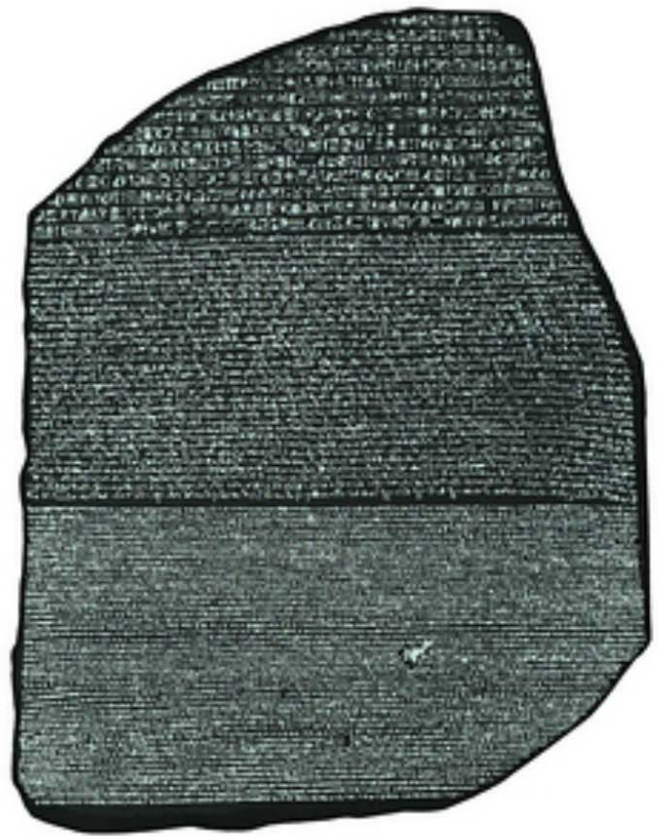
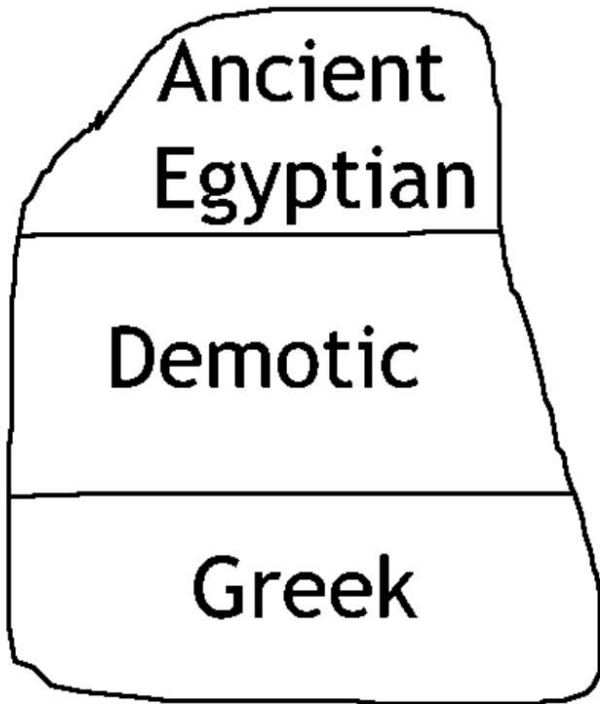
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 F	 G	 H	 H	 I	 J
 K	 L	 M	 N	 N	 O
 P	 Q	 R	 S	 T	 T
 U	 V	 W	 X	 Y	 Z

But how could we know what each symbol meant?

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Rosetta Stone



Activity

Using the chart on the next page, you are going to write a message in hieroglyphics.

Tomorrow, another student will interpret this message.































You **MUST** show me the message before writing it in hieroglyphics.

Front

Message in
Hieroglyphics

Back

Initials, class period

 A	 B	 B	 C	 D	 E
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 P	 Q	 R	 S	 T	 T
 U	 V	 W	 X	 Y	 Z