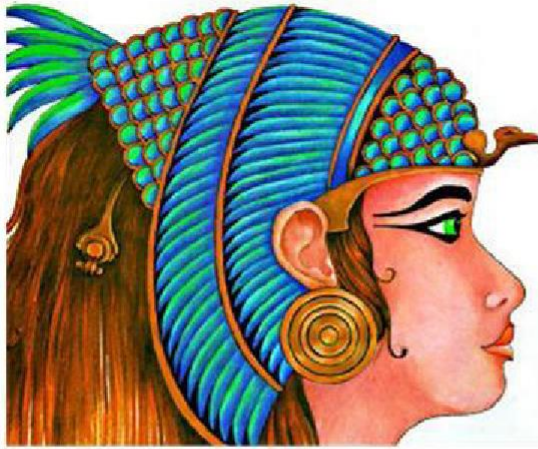


Home Learning Unit 3

Week 4 Reading – Tuesday

The Egyptian Cinderella



They teased her because she looked differently from them. Their hair was straight and black while hers was golden and curly. They had brown eyes and she had green.

Their skin had the glow of copper, but Rhodopis had pale skin that burned easily in the sun causing them to call her Rosy Rhodopis. They also made her work hard shouting at her all day, "Go to the river and wash the clothes," "Mend my robe," "Chase the geese from the garden,": "Bake the bread."

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1. What colour eyes did Rhodopis have?
 2. What did they call Rhodopis and why?
 3. List three of the things that Rhodopis had to do
 4. What is copper?
 5. Do you think Rhodopis was happy? Why?

Answers

1. Green

2. Rosy Rhodopis, because her skin turned red in the sun

3. Wash clothes in the river, mend robes, chase the geese from the garden, make bread

4. Copper is a metal which is orange in colour

5. Personal opinion - No, because its not nice to be called names. Yes – she liked living in Egypt.