

Unit 3 Home Learning Week 8

Tuesday - Reading

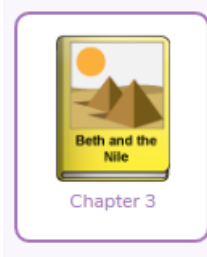
Purple Mash time!!

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Your reading task should be in your **2Do** list.

However you can access it another way - but if you do it in the **2Do** we know you have done it.

You read this yesterday. Reread it if you need to..



There are some questions on the next page.



Open-Ended Questions

1. Why did King Tut need his uncle to act on his behalf?
2. What has Uncle Aye been planning to do?
3. *He tried to poison me, but my stepmum, the blessed Nefer'say'nefer, managed to replace his poison with a strong sleeping potion.*
Knowing that he would end up trapped in a tomb, why do you think that King Tut's stepmum switched the poison for a sleeping potion?
4. Beth discovered some hieroglyphs that began with, "My dear fools, I have some rather bad news for you..."

What do you think that rest of the message says?

5. What do you think Uncle Aye's reasons were for locking Beth and Scarab in the tomb?

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

1. Choose the correct spellings to complete the sentences below.

Realising that they were *traped/trapped*, the children began to feel scared/scarred. Uncle Aye had *planed/planned* Tut's death carefully and had *cheated/cheatted* Beth and Scarab.

2. Circle the correct **homophones** to complete the sentence below.

The people of Egypt had probably started **morning/mourning** for **their/there** king.

3. Complete the sentences below with the correct **articles**.

King Tut explained that he'd been ___ pharaoh for nine years. He claimed that he had ___ uncle who had been supposed to act on his behalf.

4. For each sentence, put a tick to show whether it has been written in the present perfect tense or the simple past tense.

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Sentence	Present perfect tense	Simple past tense
Pharaoh Aye has plotted to take over King Tut's kingdom.		
He tried to poison me.		
Someone has written a message on the wall.		

5. Two errors are underlined in the sentence below.

Uncle Aye don't realise that King Tut haven't been poisoned.

Rewrite the sentence so that it is grammatically correct.