Ancient Egypt Timeline Directions

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•	Turn your notebook to the next 2 blank left and right-side pages. Title across both pages at the top ANCIENT EGYPT TIMELINE . Draw a timeline across the center of both pages. Label it like this:							
	 3500 BCE						 500 BCE	
,	Divide your timeline up into 6 equal sections by drawing 5 vertical dashes on the line and laber them as below:							
	 3500 BCE	 3000 BCE	 2500 BCE	 2000 BCE	 1500 BCE	 1000 BCE	 500 BCE	

3) Color-code the following time periods by creating a key at the bottom of your timeline, choosing a different color for each period, and coloring over the part of the timeline that represents that period:

> Old Kingdom 2575-2150 BCE Middle Kingdom 1975-1640 BCE New Kingdom 1520-1075 BCE

4) **Cut out the following major events** of ancient Egyptian history listed below. Correctly place the events on your timeline. **REMEMBER:** Each segment on your timeline is five hundred years, so **place** the events as close to the exact year as you can:

3500 BCE - Mummification first used	3400 BCE - Earliest evidence of hieroglyphic writing	3200 BCE – Two kingdoms had developed, Upper Egypt and Lower Egypt
3100 BCE - Pharaoh Narmer (aka Menes) united Upper and Lower Egypt	2450 BCE - Great Pyramid at Giza built for Pharaoh Khufu	1550 BCE - Egypt conquered Lower Nubia (a kingdom south of Egypt)
1475 BCE - Hatshepsut ruled as first female pharaoh	1352 BCE - Pharaoh Akhenaten established a monotheistic religion dedicated to the god Aten	1279 BCE - Rule of great military pharaoh Ramesses II
331 BCE – Alexander the Great conquers Egypt		
700s BCE – A Nubian king conquered Thebes, an Egyptian city	665 BCE – Assyrians invade Egypt; Nubians leave Egypt and return home	525 BCE - Persian Empire attacked and conquered Egypt