

Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will have a better understanding of the key events in Egypt between the time of Cleopatra and present day, as well as interesting facts about modern-day Egypt.

Materials and Prep

- Internet access for research
- Pen and paper for note-taking
- No prior knowledge required

Activities

- Research and create a timeline of key events in Egypt from the time of Cleopatra to present day. Include important dates and descriptions of each event.
- Watch a documentary or video on modern-day Egypt and take notes on the culture, landmarks, and daily life of Egyptians.
- Design a travel brochure for a trip to Egypt, highlighting must-see attractions, historical sites, and interesting facts about the country.

Talking Points

- **Key Events in Egypt:**
"Let's start by learning about the fall of the Ptolemaic Kingdom and the Roman conquest of Egypt, which led to Cleopatra's reign."
- **Transition to Modern Egypt:**
"After exploring Cleopatra's era, we will fast forward to modern-day Egypt and discuss its rich history, culture, and contributions to the world."
- **Egyptian Landmarks:**
"Did you know that the Great Pyramid of Giza is one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World and still stands today in Egypt?"
- **Cultural Influences:**
"Egypt has a fascinating blend of ancient traditions and modern influences, making it a unique and vibrant country to explore."
- **Current Events:**
"Let's also discuss current events in Egypt and how the country is adapting to the challenges

of the modern world."