

6th Grade Vocabulary & Spelling List #4

ANCIENT CIVILIZATIONS & ARCHAEOLOGY

1 Choose the correct answer.

1. A person who studies objects from the past is an _____.
a) ancestor b) archaeologist c) king

2. The surface of the earth is called the _____.
a) ground b) landscape c) landfill

3. The study of trash is called _____.
a) osteology b) garbology c) pottery

4. A person in your family who lived a long time ago is your _____.
a) relative b) ancestor c) ruler

5. The scientific study of bones is called _____.
a) osteology b) wisdom c) garbology



4 Complete the sentences.

ancestor archaeologist ash relative young

1. My grandmother is my _____.
2. A person who lived many generations ago can be your _____.
3. An _____ studies objects from ancient civilizations.
4. The soft gray powder left after something burns is called _____.
5. A person who is not old is _____.



5 True or False.

1. An archaeologist studies objects from the past. ☐
2. A sphinx has a lion's body and a person's head. ☐
3. A landfill is a place where garbage is buried. ☐
4. Osteology is the study of trash. ☐
5. A king is a male ruler. ☐



2 Match the columns.

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| 1. pottery _____ | a. a male ruler |
| 2. wisdom _____ | b. the study of bones |
| 3. king _____ | c. making objects from clay |
| 4. landscape _____ | d. the ability to make good decisions using experience |
| 5. osteology _____ | e. a large area of land |



3 Label the pictures.

king sphinx pottery landscape landfill



6 Check the correct definition.

1. **namely** ☐ used to give more exact information.
☐ a type of ancient animal.
☐ a place where garbage is buried.
2. **ash** ☐ a person from your family.
☐ powder left after something burns.
☐ a large area of land.
3. **wisdom** ☐ the ability to make good decisions.
☐ a type of clay object.
☐ the study of bones.



7 Unscramble the words.

1. GIKN _____
2. HSA _____
3. HTEARCNO _____
4. YOUNG _____



5. FILLADN _____
6. GARBLOGY _____
7. TROPETY _____
8. FISHHY _____

