**Geography of the Nile: PowerPoint Notes**

1. With an astounding length of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ miles, the Nile River is the longest river in the world, and the only major river that flows \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. The Nile River is often called the “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” or “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” of Egypt.
3. The source of the Nile is in the Ruwenzori Mountains in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. It rains almost every day in these mountains with the rain water feeding into the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
4. The Blue Nile flows out of the mountains and meets with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at Khartoum in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
5. Along the Nile there are locations called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. These prevented \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ along the Nile River. The rushing and swirling water was too difficult to travel along.
6. At times, Ancient Egypt included parts of present day \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Israel, Jordan, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but...
7. Its heart was the thin strip of land along the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ between the first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sea.
8. Harsh \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ surrounded the Nile river. These acted as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ against \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
9. The Nile River \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ each year to create a long narrow \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wide of very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ soil.
10. The height of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ determined whether it was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the Egyptians. If the floodwaters were too high it meant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A “low” Nile meant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the Egyptians.
11. The Egyptians were so concerned with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the flood that they devised a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to measure the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
12. The Egyptians divided their year into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ seasons based on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the Nile. The “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” was the time from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This was the time of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. During this time, Egyptians were paid to work for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ projects.
13. The “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” of the land from the water covering was from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. During this time, Egyptians \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as much water as possible in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
14. The last of the three seasons was the “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” season. During this season, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ took place.