

# THE WRITINGS of ANCIENT EGYPT

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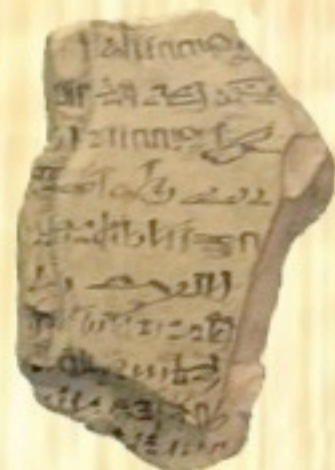
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at: University of London, Hughes-Parry Hall,

19-26 Cartwright Gardens,  
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The ancient civilisation of Egypt is quite justly famous for the beautiful hieroglyphic inscriptions on tomb walls and the astonishing amount of papyrus documents discovered. Perhaps, what is less well-known is that these written sources cover an absolutely amazing range of subjects from laundry lists and love poems to last will and testaments - offering us a fascinating and unique glimpse into the world of the Pharaohs, the Nobility and Working Men and Women.

On this fully illustrated study day we shall discover and discuss a selection of topics, including:



- Royal decrees and Politics
- Medicine, Magic and Murderous concerns
- Religion and Moral Guidance
- Stories of Wonder and Adventure

Cost: £40 Includes  
afternoon refreshments  
Please note: Places are  
limited. Booking closing  
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In addition, we shall consider the life of a scribe in ancient Egypt and his equipment. Although we are not learning how to read source materials in this study day, the types of scripts employed in these writings will be described and outlined. Importantly, we shall also consider the impact of ancient Egyptian writings on modern literature, so prepare to be surprised!

A display of various ancient Egyptian writings will test your powers of observation and deduction!!!

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