Chapter 3 Vocabulary Review

Delta- a triangular shaped area of soil at the mouth of a river

Silt- a mixture of soil and small rocks

Papyrus- used to make paper

Cataract- waterfalls

Unify- to unite, combine, or bring together

Pharaoh- in ancient Egypt, a god-king

Hieroglyphics- a form of writing based on pictures

Pyramid- a large stone building to serve as a house for the dead

Mummy- a preserved dead body

Economy- the way people use and manage resources

Independent- free