**The boy king**

Tutankhamun was born at around 1341 BC and died at 1321 and he was the twelfth king of the ancient Egyptian dynasty. His Dad was Ackhetan, but we don’t exactly know who his mother was, however we do think that his mother was Kiya and step-mother was Nefertiti. He died at 19 and ruled for only 10 years and his tomb was found in 1922 by a group of English explorers.

Childhood

He was born at Aroma, the capital of Egypt and when he came into his childhood his mother and father took him to prince school and did lots like; maths, history, swimming, reading, charioting and English. He was brought up in the palace in Aroma and it had lots of rooms like servant’s rooms, bedrooms, halls and big living rooms. His favourite things to do were; spearing, fishing, charioting and playing ball. He was told to only worship one god, Aten the god of the sun. He also wore the finest linen which was draped around him.

Reining years

Tutankhamun became king at 9 and he only reined for ten years. When he became king he married his half-sister, Ankhesanpaaten. After he came king he moved to Thebes were he built an even bigger palace with more rooms. In 3134 BC he changed the law- because his Dad said you could only worship one god Aten-to Polyiethieisms where you worship Amen the god of the sun, also because of this he changed his name to Tutankhamun his first name was Akhenaten.

Death

He died at 19 either because he was bludgeoned to death or he had an infected leg. He had the most famous death mask in the whole world and was buried in the Valley of the Kings. Did you know that his tomb was the best preserved tomb in the world and Egypt? He died in 1323 BC and the month is either December or January. His body- tomb was find by a group of English explorers in 1922.

Conclusion

Now you know about king Tut and when his body was found you could make your own biography with even more facts!

Fun facts!

1. Did you know that he was buried in the smallest pharaoh tomb in Egypt?

2. Did you know that he was buried with over 5000 pieces of treasure?

3. Tutankhamun had a dagger-the metal- that came from space we know this because scientists have researched and experimented.

4. Did you know that an Egyptian coffin is called an Ausuphegaus?