

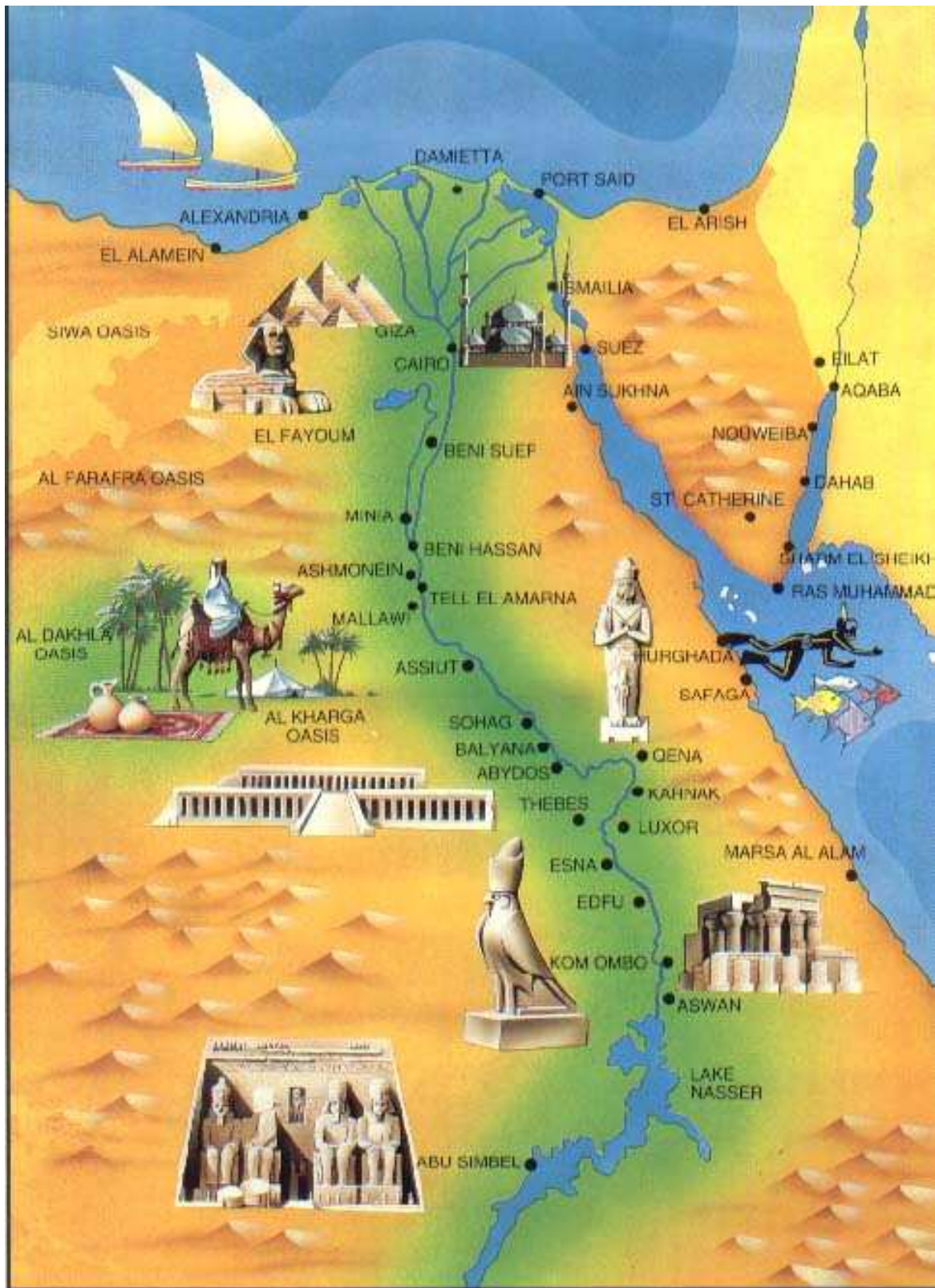
# EGYPT:

**YOUR BUDGET = 1,000 euros per person**

## 1. Planning your route...

Decide which places you want to go, draw a route on the map, and find out the distances between your destinations:





SOME USEFUL DISTANCES:

- Cairo city centre to Giza (pyramids) = 7 km
- Cairo to Luxor = 720 km
- Cairo to Aswan = 982 km
- Cairo to Abu Simbel = 1260 km

## 1. Travel...

Now you need to decide how you will get from place to place.

Use the table about different ways to get around to help you.

The best way to find out about it is to research online, for example using:

[http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/bus\\_timetables.html](http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/bus_timetables.html)






[http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/train\\_timetables.htm](http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/train_timetables.htm)

<http://www.seat61.com/Egypt.htm>

<http://www.lonelyplanet.com/egypt/transport/getting-around>

If you do not find the information you want, on the next page is a summary of my research which you can use to estimate prices.

HOWEVER, your presentation will be more **realistic** if you find real flights, train journeys etc and take screenshots to show the class.

TRANSPORT	AVERAGE COST PER PERSON	TIME
	<p>Approx €100 per 500 km.</p>	<p>1.5 hours per 500 km, plus 2 hours to wait at the airport.</p>
	<p><b>1st class</b> – approx. 3 euros per 100 km  <b>2<sup>nd</sup> class</b> – approx 2 euros per 100 km</p> <p><b><u>BUT THIS WEBSITE WILL TELL YOU EVERYTHING -</u></b>  <a href="http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/train_timetables.htm">http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/train_timetables.htm</a></p>	<p>Approx. 1-2 hours per 100km</p>
	<p>Approx € 2 per 100 km.  <b><u>BUT THIS WEBSITE WILL TELL YOU EVERYTHING -</u></b>  <a href="http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/bus_timetables.html">http://www.ask-aladdin.com/Egypt-transport-system/bus_timetables.html</a></p>	<p>Approx 1.5 hours per 100km</p>
	<p>This depends, but usually...  Less than 300 km = €10 total  400 km = €20 total  More than 500 km = €30 total</p>	<p>You decide but be <u>realistic</u>.</p>
	<p>FREE!</p>	<p>You decide, but leave yourself at least one hour to wait.</p>

### SOME THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

- Public transport in Egypt is very well-maintained, fast and cheap
- It is possible to take night trains and night buses in Egypt

### 3. ACCOMODATION

#### YOUR OPTIONS

1. Help exchanges: You can invent one.
2. Couchsurfing: You can invent a person/ situation to live in.
3. Basic Hostel: **€8 per person per night**. *You will only be able to stay in a basic hostel in a town, not in the countryside*
4. Average Hotel/Hostel: **€17 per person per night**.
5. Luxury Hotel: **€60 per person per night or more**

\*You can either use these **guidelines** or search online for real accommodation after the lesson e.g. using [www.hostelworld.com](http://www.hostelworld.com) or any other website you can find.

Remember if you can talk about real hostels or hotels you will get a better score!

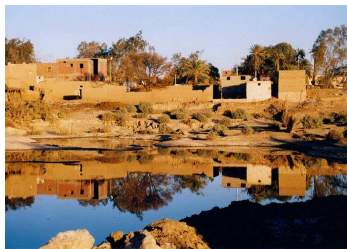


## 4. PLANNING ACTIVITIES

You should already have lots of ideas from last week's homework. However, here is a list of popular things to do in Egypt in case you need inspiration:



- The pyramids at Giza



- Dakhla Oasis



- Karnak temples in Luxor



- Dahab – A popular beach town. Here you can do you camping, camel treks, boat trips and deep – sea diving.

**This website is also very good for finding out about activities:  
<http://www.lonelyplanet.com/egypt>**

