

King Menes

Hello, my name is King Menes (*Meen-eez*). I am the king who first united the two lands of Upper and Lower Egypt into one country in 3100 BC. The kings of Upper Egypt wore white crowns and controlled the Nile River valley. The kings of Lower Egypt wore red crowns and ruled the delta area. Due to the combining of two lands, I started to wear the famous double crown of red and white. I was the first king to start the dynasties of ancient Egypt and was known as the Lord of the Two Lands.

Dress as the Egyptian king and wear a two-colored (red and white) crown. Carry a drawing of Egypt that represents the country as one.

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