

# Anubis Amulet

MU521



## Student-led inquiry topics and useful resources to begin your research

1. Why did the Ancient Egyptian's choose the jackal to be associated with the deceased?
  - Pinch, G., (2002), *Egyptian Mythology: A Guide to the Gods, Goddesses and Traditions of Ancient Egypt*, Oxford, pp. 104-105. [http://shenjiva.com/HartGeorge\\_egyptgods2005.pdf](http://shenjiva.com/HartGeorge_egyptgods2005.pdf)
  - Remler, P., (2010), *Egyptian Mythology, A to Z*, New York, pp. 16-18.
2. Below is the British Museum's vignette of the Papyrus of Hunefer (EA9901, 3). What ritual is being depicted in this vignette? Can you identify the god Anubis? What is his role in this ritual?



EA9901,3 Papyrus of Hunefer British Museum

3. Anubis is often referred to as the patron of embalmers, with reference to the Myth of Osiris explain why Anubis is associated with the Ancient Egyptian funerary custom of mummification? Use other forms of archaeological evidence to support your answer.