

EGYPTIAN HIEROGLYPHS (HIER)

HIER 101. Introduction to Ancient Egyptian Language and Literature I. 3 Units.

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Prereq: HIER 101.