

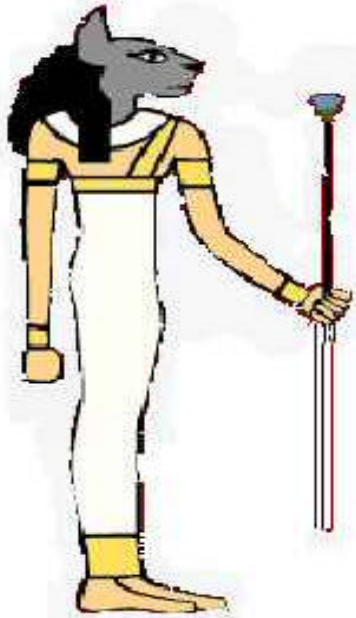
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1 Thoth

- *Thoth was the inventor of writing and was therefore known as the god of writing.
- *This made him very clever so he was also called the god of knowledge.
- *He had a human body and the head of a bird called an Ibis (a bird with a very long beak)

2 Amun-Re

- *Amun-Re was the protector of the Pharaohs.
- *He was also the King of all the gods.
- *He had a human body.
- *Amon and Re (or Ra) used to be 2 gods, but they were combined to become one god.

3 Bastet

- *Bastet was the goddess and protector of crops.
- *She had the face of a cat.
- *Because cats are very kind to their kittens, she was also considered to be a good mother so her job was to look after love and joy.

4 Seth

- *Seth was the brother of Osiris.
- *He had many forms but was mainly drawn with the head of a dog.
- *He was the god of chaos and was associated with war, strength, storms and deserts.

5 Khnum

- *Khnum was the protector of the river Nile.
- *As the Nile made a lot of silt (and mud that could be used for pottery), he also became known as the god that moulded and shaped people into who they were.

6 Osiris

- *Osiris taught Egyptians about farming and was the god of green things.
- *Seth killed Osiris. When he died he became the god of the underworld. People prayed to Osiris to let them into the underworld when they died.