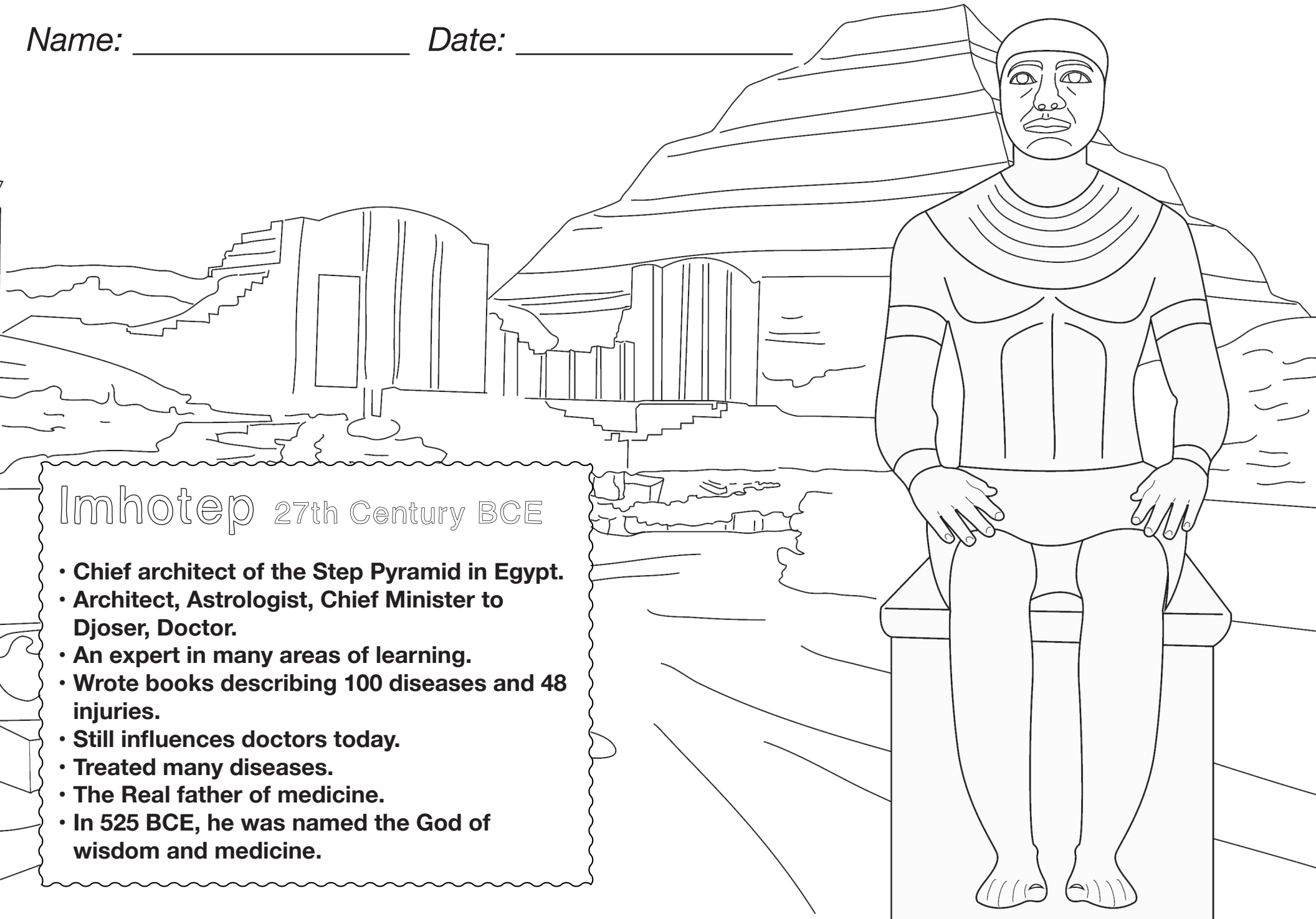


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Imhotep 27th Century BCE

- **Chief architect of the Step Pyramid in Egypt.**
- **Architect, Astrologist, Chief Minister to Djoser, Doctor.**
- **An expert in many areas of learning.**
- **Wrote books describing 100 diseases and 48 injuries.**
- **Still influences doctors today.**
- **Treated many diseases.**
- **The Real father of medicine.**
- **In 525 BCE, he was named the God of wisdom and medicine.**

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The Dogons

c. 900-1400 - Present

- The Dogon live in Mali, in West Africa.
- Experts at astronomy (studying the stars).
- Pass down knowledge through oral history.
- Show great respect for young, old, men and women through their culture.
- Their oral history describes Sirius B, a star that is not visible with the naked eye, which makes their knowledge of it a mystery.
- This star was only discovered in recent times with telescopes and modern equipment.



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Marie Van Brittan Brown

October 30, 1922 - February 2, 1999

- **Nurse, Inventor.**
- **Marie created the first home security system in 1969**
- **Marie is also credited with helping to develop the first closed circuit television for security.**
- **The National Scientists Committee honored her with an award.**
- **Many people use her inventions in their designs today.**

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Maurice Ashley

March 6, 1966 - Present

- **Jamaican-American chess grandmaster, author, commentator, app designer, puzzle inventor, and motivational speaker.**
- **In 1999, he became the first Black chess Grandmaster.**
- **Mentors young Chess players.**
- **Inducted into the US Chess Hall of Fame in 2016.**
- **He was quoted *“African continent GMs do exist; but, according to the system of racial classification, I am the first Black GM in history... it matters, and doesn’t matter, all at the same time.”***

