

Eastry C of E Primary School Long term plan 2026-2027

CLASS:	Year 4 - Butterflies	TEACHER:	Miss C Thomas
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	TERM ONE	TERM TWO	TERM THREE	TERM FOUR	TERM FIVE	TERM SIX
TOPIC QUESTION	What did the Romans ever do for us?	Can we walk, talk and live like Egyptians?	The Arctic and Antarctica: poles apart?	Where do all the puddles go?	How can we make the most of our local coast?	Why did the Anglo-Saxons choose Britain?
HOOK/WOW	Art – mosaic tiles	Mummify a tomato Make a canopic jar	3D diorama	Create water cycle	Trip to coast?	Anglo-Saxon man / trip Dress up day
TEXTS	Fiction: Vita and the Gladiator – Ally Sherrick Non-fiction: What It Was Like to be an Ancient Roman: Discover our ancient civilisations - David Long (Dyslexia-friendly)	Fiction: Goosebumps 'The curse of the Mummy.' RL Stine Fiction / non-fiction: Everything: Ancient Egypt – National Geographic kids	Fiction: Ice Trap! – Meredith Hooper Non-Fiction / Poetry: You wouldn't want to be on Shackleton's polar expedition! – Jen Green	Fiction: Journey to the river sea – Eva Ibbotson Non-fiction: Once upon a raindrop – James Carter A drop in the ocean: The story of water – Jacqui Bailey	Fiction: The Last Castaways – Harry Horse Non-fiction: A drop in the ocean: The story of water – Jacqui Bailey	Fiction: The king who threw away his throne – Terry Deary Non-fiction: Men, women and children in Anglo Saxon times – Jane Bingham. You wouldn't want to be an Anglo-Saxon peasant – Jacqueline Morley
ENGLISH	- Recount (NF) - Character analysis (F)	- Instructions (NF) - Narrative – next chapter (F)	- Informal letter (F) - Poetry - Discussion and persuasion (NF)	- Explanation (NF) - Narrative (journey tale) (F)	- Diary entry (F) - Biography (NF)	- Description - Newspaper report (NF) - Playscript (F)
MATHS	Maths: White Rose - Place value - Addition and subtraction	Maths: White Rose - Addition and subtraction - Area	Maths: White Rose - Multiplication and division B - Length and perimeter	Maths: White Rose - Fractions - Decimals A	Maths: White Rose - Decimals B - Money - Time	Maths: White Rose - Shape - Statistics - Position and direction

		Multiplication and division A				
SCIENCE	Sound and vibrations	Digestion and food	Living things: Classification and changing habitats	Electricity and circuits	States of matter	Making connections – how does the flow of liquid compare?
HISTORY	Romans How did the Roman invasion change the way people lived traded and socialised?	Egyptians What were some of the significant achievements of the Egyptians and what did it help them achieve? Why is ancient Egypt known as an ancient 'civilisation'?	Geography focus <i>How and why did Ernest Shackleton travel to the Antarctic?</i>	Geography focus	Geography focus	Anglo-Saxons Did the settlement by the Anglo-Saxons make Britain a better or worse place to live? How and why did Anglo-Saxon settlements develop in Britain?
GEOGRAPHY	History focus	History focus	Polar regions Can we compare our polar regions with Eastry?	Rivers and the water cycle What is the water cycle? What are rivers and how do they start / end?	Coasts What are the coasts around Britain like and who lives there? Do coasts change?	History focus
ART/DT	DT: Roman catapults	Art: canopic jars	DT: dioramas	DT- water cycle	art sketches – coast	art: Anglo Saxon shields / patterns
COMPUTING	Purple Mash: Effective searching	Purple Mash: 3D logo	Purple Mash: animation	Purple Mash: hardware investigators	Purple Mash: Coding	Purple Mash: Making music
PROJECT EVOLVE	Privacy and security	Managing online information	Online reputation	Online relationships	Online bullying	Self-image and identity
PE	Football	Dance	Gymnastics	Netball	Athletics	Rounders

RE	CREATION What do Christians learn from the Creation Story?	INCARNATION What is the trinity? <i>(Digging deeper)</i>	GOSPEL What kind of world did Jesus want?	SALVATION Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	HINDU DHARMA What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? (Part 1)	HINDU DHARMA What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? (Part 2)
PSHE	EC Primary Living in the wider world: How do I spend my money wisely?	EC Primary Health and wellbeing: What can I do to keep myself healthy?	EC Primary Relationship education: What does it mean to be safe online?	EC Primary Living in the wider world / Relationship education: How can I include and respect everyone?	EC Primary Health and wellbeing: How do I change as I get older?	EC Primary Health and wellbeing / relationships education: How can I keep myself healthy physically and mentally?
MUSIC	Ukulele	Ukulele	Ukulele	Ukulele	Ukulele	Ukulele
MFL	Seasons Phonics 2	Seasons Phonics 2 (Christmas)	Les vegetables	Je me presente	Ma Famille	Ma Famille