

Bishop David Sheppard CE (A) Primary School
Year 4 Project Homework

The activities below are project based and children should make their own decisions about how to present their work.

Each task has a point score based on the complexity of the task; although children may choose which activities to complete, they MUST complete enough tasks to score a MINIMUM OF 12 POINTS by the end of term.

During the last full week of term, children will be invited to bring their projects to share with their class. Points will be collated and certificates and DoJos will be given for effort and achievement.

Ways of thinking	Useful Verbs	Choice of activities	Points Score
Knowledge	Tell List Describe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit the Ancient Egypt exhibition at the World Museum in Liverpool or the Atkinson in Southport. Tell somebody in your family what you found out. • List ten things we would see in ancient Egypt. • Describe the process of mummification 	2
Comprehension	Explain Re-tell Compare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain why the River Nile was so important to ancient Egyptians. • Retell the story of Anthony and Cleopatra as a comic strip. • Compare maps of ancient and modern Egypt – what are the similarities and differences? 	3
Application	Make Collect Calculate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make a death mask for Tutankhamun. • Collect ingredients to make Ancient Egyptian bread. • Calculate and create an ancient Egyptian timeline, including key dates from the period. 	4
Analysis	Design Investigate Contrast	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design and make an Egyptian pyramid. • Investigate why certain body organs were placed in Canopic jars before mummification. • Compare and contrast the structure of Egyptian and Mayan pyramids. 	5
Evaluation	Judge Discuss Debate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Judge whether modern day tourists should still be allowed into the tombs in Egypt • Discuss and test the most effective materials for building a pyramid. • Debate whether or not weighing body organs was an effective way of entering the afterlife. 	8
Synthesis	Create Invent Imagine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create your own sarcophagus. • Invent a new set of hieroglyphics and write them out • Imagine you were Howard Carter; write a diary extract about your discovery of Tutankhamun's tomb. 	8