

Archaeology at Earth Trust

2019/2020 Events Programme

Event	Date / Occurrence	Description	Delivery requirements
Live Dig Tours 30-45 mins Capacity: 100 Cost: Free	Family: 01 Feb 11:00 Adult: 03 Feb 14:00 08 Feb 11:00	Archaeologists are currently excavating the remains of a Roman villa at Earth Trust. On this live, online tour, you will get to: - Take a virtual walk around the remains with one of our archaeologists - See the team in action and what they're unearthing - Take a close-up look at some of the finds - Ask questions!	1 x DV Host (GC) 1 x ET Host (JC) 1 x Field Team co-host in the field (BS) 2 x Field Archaeologists at work (IJ/NJ/DW) 1 x Finds Tray
Family #1 Meet the Archaeologists: Roman Homes 45-60 mins Ages 8-12 Capacity: 60 (potential to run AM/PM if fully booked) Cost: Free	Half Term 16 Feb 11:00	How did people live through the ages? And what were their homes like? Archaeologists at Earth Trust in Oxfordshire have just discovered the remains of a huge Roman villa where a Roman family once lived. Who lived here? What was this Roman home like? And how do archaeologists uncover the evidence to figure it out? Our archaeologists are here to show you! In this live, family-friendly online event, you will get to: - Learn what Roman homes were like	1 x DV Host (GC/HT) 1 x ET Host (JC/AM) 1 x DV Co-host in the Finds Room (SN or BS) 1 x Finds Tray selection 1 x Pre-recorded trench tour of the villa 1 x Short creative activity to download and do afterwards

		- Meet the archaeologists who discovered the villa - See archaeologists unearthing the villa - Look at the artefacts we found - Ask questions! TBC – Short creative activity, like a Roman recipe, build a Roman villa, draw a map of a Roman villa?	
Family #2 Meet the Archaeologists: Iron Age Homes 45-60 mins Ages 8-12 Capacity: 60 (potential to run AM/PM if fully booked) Cost: Free	Half Term 18 Feb 11:00	How did people live through the ages? And what were their homes like? Archaeologists have just discovered the remains of a busy Iron Age village at Earth Trust. Dating from 800 BC – AD 100, this village is very close to Oxfordshire's famous Iron Age hillfort at Wittenham Clumps. Who lived here? What were their homes like? And how do archaeologists uncover the evidence to figure it out? Our archaeologists are here to show you! In this live family-friendly event, you will get to: - Learn what Iron Age homes were like - Meet the archaeologists who discovered the Iron Age village - See archaeologists digging on the site - See some of the artefacts we found - Ask questions! - Find out why we're building a new one at Earth Trust and how to build your own at home!	1 x DV Host (GC/HT) 1 x ET Host (JC/AM) 1 x DV Co-host in the Finds Room (SN or BS) 1 x Finds Tray selection 1 x Pre-recorded clip of archaeologists showing how to dig 1 x Short creative activity to download and do afterwards

		TBC – Short creative activity, like a Iron Age recipe, build a roundhouse, draw a map of a roundhouse?	
Adults #1 Iron Age Life in Oxfordshire 60-80 minutes Capacity: 100	26 Feb	Archaeologists have recently discovered the remains of an Iron Age village at Earth Trust. It sits in the valley below Wittenham Clumps, one of Oxfordshire's most famous hillforts. What was life like at the time? And what remains can we see? In this event, you will get to: - Learn what was happening in Oxfordshire during the Iron Age - Take a guided Virtual Tour of Oxfordshire's major prehistoric sites - Meet the archaeologists who discovered the Iron Age village - Learn what Iron Age homes were like - Interact with archaeologists live in the Finds Room - Find out why Earth Trust is building a new roundhouse, and how to build one - Ask questions!	1 x Host (GC or MPD) 1 x Expert co-host in the Finds Room (SN or BS) 1 x Expert co-host at home (CC or NJ) 1 x Roundhouse expert! (Luke) 1 x Google Earth Tour of major sites, including Uffington White Horse + Clumps 1 x Pre-recorded clip of archaeologists in the field Other resources: - Dyfed Archaeology roundhouse model
Adults #2 Roman Life in Oxfordshire 60-80 minutes Capacity: 100	04 March	Archaeologists have discovered the remains of a huge Roman villa at Earth Trust. In this event, you will get to: - Learn what was happening in Oxfordshire in the Roman period - Take a guided Virtual Tour of Oxfordshire's major Roman sites - Meet the archaeologists who discovered the villa - Watch how archaeologists unearthed the villa	1 x Host (GC or MPD) 1 x Co-host in the Finds Room (SN or BS) 1 x Expert co-host at home (CC or NJ) 1 x Finds Tray 1 x Google Earth Tour of major Roman sites 1 x illustrative materials for villa

		- Interact with archaeologists live in the Finds Room - See some of the Roman artefacts up close - Ask questions!	1 x Pre-recorded mini tour of the Roman villa Other resources: TBC
Adults #3 Live from the Finds Room 60 minutes Capacity: 100	09/10 or 16/17 March	Archaeologists have been unearthing the remains of a Roman villa and Iron Age settlement at Earth Trust. What does the evidence look like? And what happens to everything we found? In this live online event, you will get to: - Meet the archaeologists on the dig - Learn about their favourite discoveries - See how artefacts are handled and preserved - Interact with the archaeologists and ask questions	1 x Host (GC or MPD) 1 x Co-host in the Finds Room (SN or BS) 1 x Co-host at home (CC or NJ or SN) 1 x Finds Specialist if required (e.g., DG) 1 x Finds Tray
Schools Meet the Archaeologists: Romans / Iron Age 30-45 mins (Age range TBC)		Archaeologists have discovered the remains of a huge Roman villa at Earth Trust. This villa was once home to a Romano-British family. What was their home like? Our archaeologists have been uncovering brand new clues and evidence to show you! In this event, your class will get to: - Learn what Roman homes were like - Meet the archaeologists who discovered the villa - See archaeologists unearthing the villa - Look at the artefacts we found - Ask questions! - Bonus activities to do afterwards, like how to build	1 x Host (Script and notes) 1 x Co-host in the Finds Room (Script and notes) 1 x Finds Tray selection 1 x Pre-recorded trench tour 2 x short creative activities that the class can download to do in advance and afterwards

		your own villa with Lego, or try a Roman recipe OR Iron Age version	
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