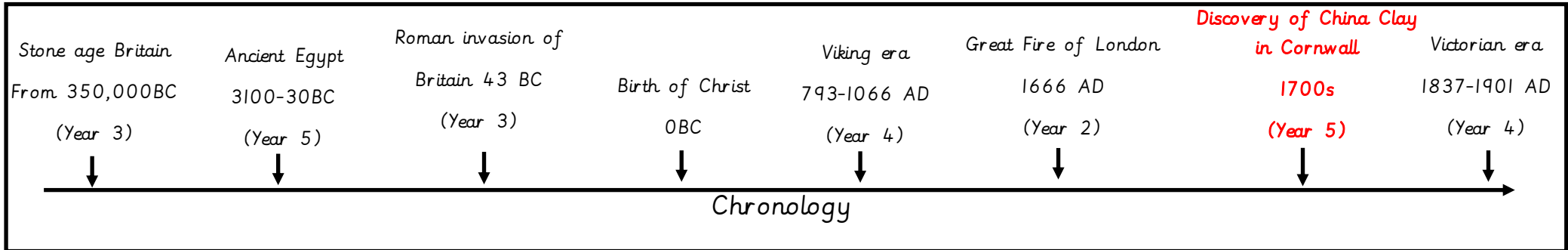


A Local History Study—China Clay

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Key vocabulary	
Global	Relating to the whole world
International	Something that happens between nations or countries
China Clay—Kaolin	A fine white clay
Mine	Excavation in the earth
Import	Bring good in to a country from abroad
Export	Send goods to another country for sale

Key vocabulary/concepts relating to chronology:
18th Century, 19th Century, during the... , Since the.....,

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Key learning

William Cookworthy found china clay in St Austell

China clay is used for pots, paper, paint and rubber

Charles Rashleigh made West Polmear Charlestown and built the harbour

At its peak, the local area produced 50% of the World's China clay

'Cornish Alps' formed from waste from mining

Significant individuals:

- Charles Rashleigh
- William Cookworthy
- Walter Hicks
- Richard Trevithick

Key historical concepts:

- Identify historically significant people and events
- Describe social, cultural, religious and ethnic diversity in Cornwall

Legacy:

- China Clay
- Pasties
- Eden Project

Cross-curricular links:

- Baking—Pasty
- Geography—export destinations

Timeline of significant events:

1746	1768	1800	1910	1919	1999	2010
Discovery of China clay in Cornwall	Cookworthy builds his own factory	Potteries around UK use Cornish China	Production at 1 million tons a year	English China Clay formed by combining	ECC taken over by Imerys	Eden Project opens