

Museum of Natural History

EGGSTRAORDINARY EASTER EGGVENTURE!

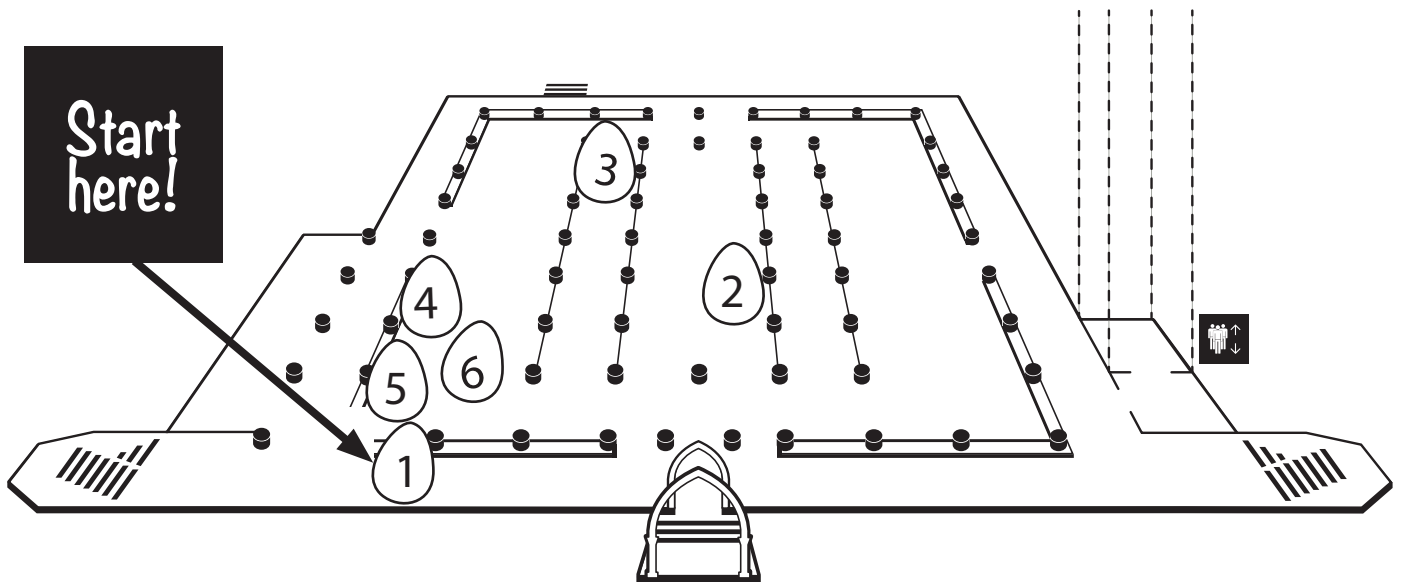
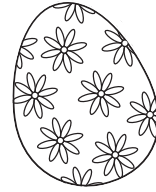


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Can you find them all?

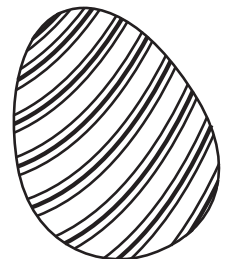
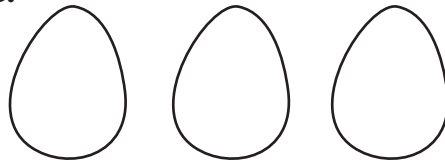
Use this map to help you find the **6 eggs** in the Museum of Natural History.



1. EGGS IN DRAWERS

Look in the A-Z drawers and find three drawers with an egg theme.

Which drawers are they?



2. SNAKE EGGS

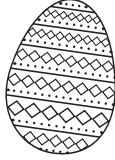
Did you know that some snakes lay eggs?
Find the case with a big snake coiled up at the bottom...

This African Rock Python is protecting her precious eggs. Can you count how many she has laid?

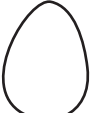
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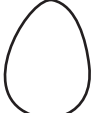
3. DIFFERENT NURSERIES

Different animals make different kinds of spaces for their babies to grow. Find the case with 4 hungry bird chicks and 2 large black beetles...



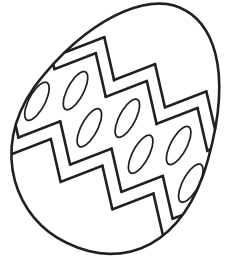
Can you find? ✓

A nest made from grass: 

A nursery made from a ball of dung (poo): 

4. ELEPHANT BIRD EGG

Can you find the biggest egg in the Museum? It was laid by the elephant bird. This giant flightless bird lived in Madagascar and became extinct over 300 years ago.



Read the label in front.

How many chicken eggs can fit inside one elephant bird egg?

5. KIWI BIRD

The Kiwi bird comes from New Zealand. Did you know that this bird's egg takes up most of its body before it lays it? It's huge!

Can you draw the kiwi?

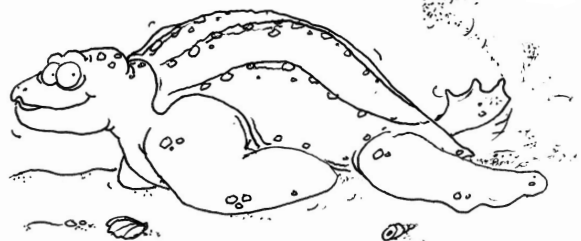
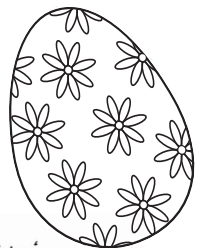


6. DINOSAUR EGGS

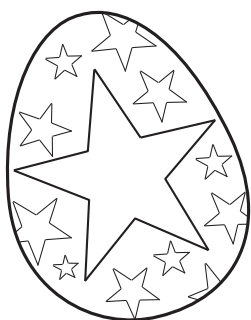
Can you spot four dinosaur eggs on the touch table? It is likely that they were laid by a long-necked plant-eating dinosaur.

Where were these eggs discovered?

Hint: Look at the label in front.



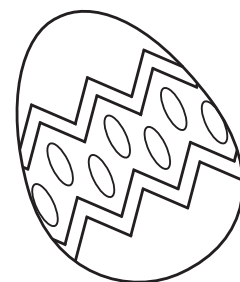
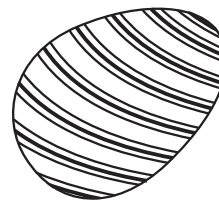
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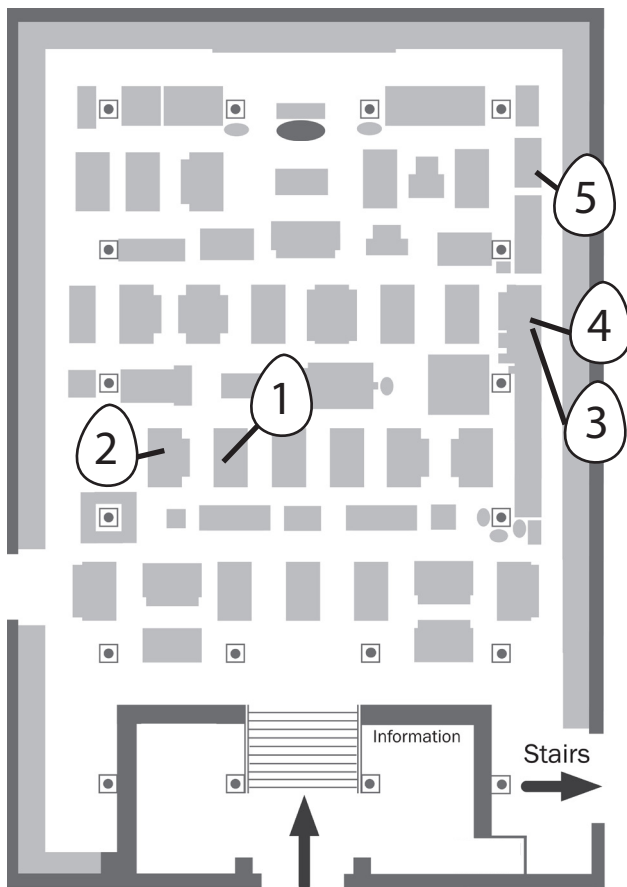
The Easter Bunny has hidden a special Easter egg in the Museum. **Can you find it in one of the cases?** It's about to be buried in the sand by an animal with a huge leathery shell and powerful flippers!

The Pitt Rivers Museum

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Use these maps to help you find the **6 eggs** in the Pitt Rivers Museum.



Start your search downstairs!

1. RABBIT BASKET

Find the rabbit-shaped basket.

What shape of basket would you choose for Easter?

Describe it to someone!

2. OSTRICH EGG WATER POTS

Look up high! Can you spot the water pots made from ostrich eggs?

Count how many you can see

3. SACRED RABBIT CAKE

Open drawer C.30.9 to find a rabbit-shaped cake.

Decorate your own rabbit cake here

4. EASTER LAMB

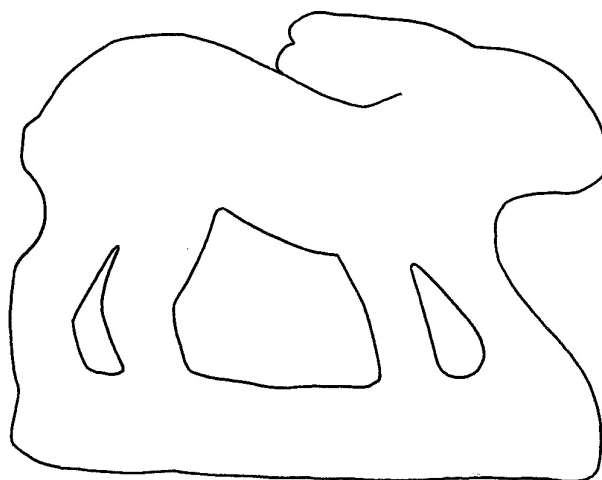
Open the drawer C.30.10 below to find an Easter Lamb.

Which material do you think it is made from?

A. Plastic

B. Sugar

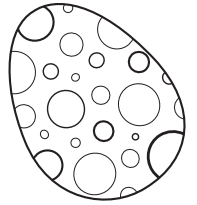
C. Wood



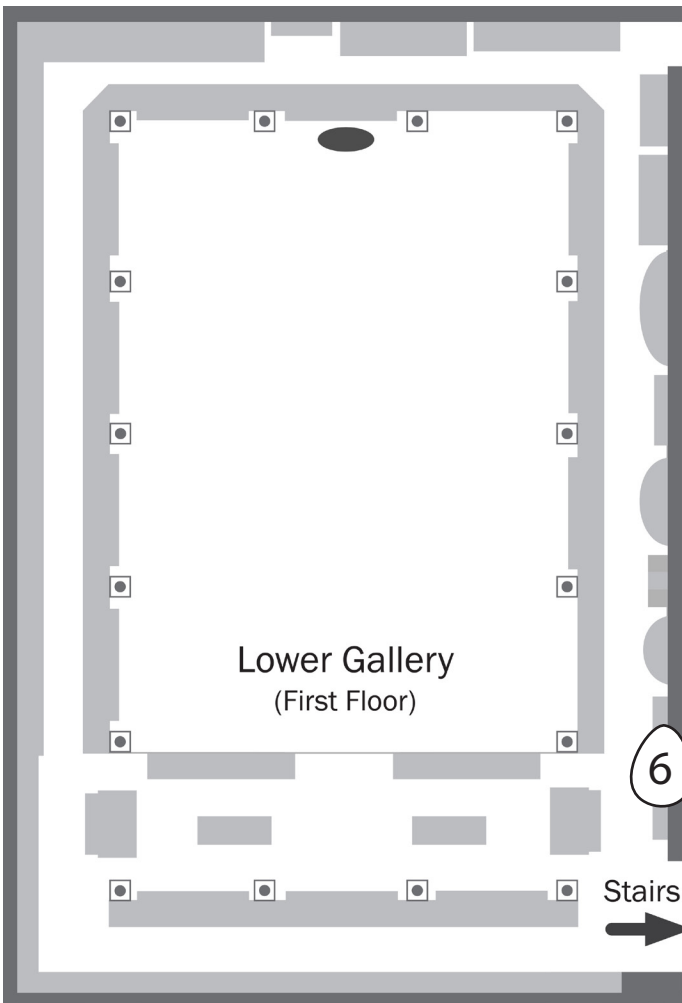
5. HOT CROSS BUN

Open up the top left drawer C.61.1 and find a hot cross bun that has been in the Museum for over 40 years!

What else can you see in this drawer?



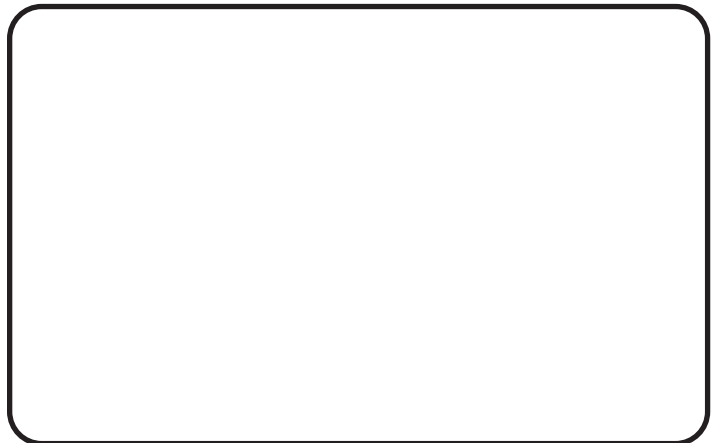
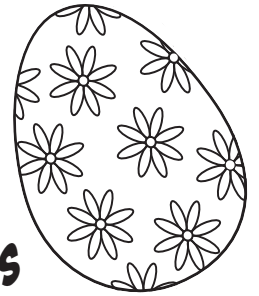
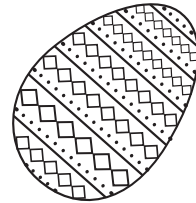
Hop upstairs for more eggcitement!



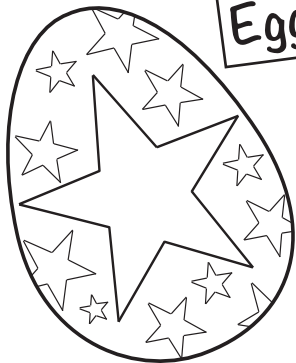
6. PAINTED EASTER EGGS

Which is your favourite pattern?

Draw it in this box



Eggstra Egg Challenge!



The Easter Bunny has hidden an Easter egg on the Lower Gallery (First Floor) of the Museum.

Can you find it in one of the cases?

Hint: Get your skates on!



Well done! You are an eggstraordinary egg detective!
Collect a sticker from the Information Point.