

INTRODUCTION

ABOUT THIS RESOURCE PACK

The Romans in the Lake District resource pack is designed to help pupils in Cumbria learn about, visualise and empathise with the people who made up their local communities 2000 years ago – both the Roman invaders and the indigenous Brigante tribes. It will also introduce pupils to the ways in which archaeology can provide a window on the past.

The Key Stage 2 programme of study for History includes both a Local History study and a study of Roman Britain. Using this locally focused resource will allow teachers in Cumbria to make their teaching of Roman Britain specific to the area.

USING THE PACK

- The resource pack consists of this booklet and a CD of supporting material, including photographs and worksheets.
- The seven sessions outlined in the booklet are designed to be used flexibly and can be worked through in order or adapted to suit your individual needs.
- Each session begins with a statement of key aims, curriculum links, and an overview of the proposed activities, fully cross-referenced to the relevant resources on the CD.
- The overview is followed by background information on the topic of the session and detailed guidelines for the more complex activities.
- Where appropriate, two versions of worksheets have been provided to meet the needs of pupils of differing abilities.

THE ACCESS TO ARCHAEOLOGY PROJECT

The Romans in the Lake District is the result of a partnership between the Field Studies Council and the Lake District National Park Authority. Funding for the resource pack came from a Heritage Lottery Fund grant awarded to the Lake District National Park Authority for the implementation of the Access to Archaeology project. The purpose of the project is to make the archaeology of the Lake District National Park more accessible and understandable to a wider audience through a range of media. These include leaflets, a touring exhibition, education resources, online access to the Historic Environment Record, enhanced information on the Lake District National Park Authority's website and an outreach strategy. If you would like further information on the project, please contact the Lake District National Park Authority on 01539 724555 or visit our website www.lake-district.gov.uk.

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CD RESOURCES*

SESSION I: THE THIRTY-YEAR JOURNEY

- Res. 1** Timeline cards
- Res. 2** Session I worksheet
- Res. 3** Celtic Britain map
- Res. 4** Roman Britain map

SESSION II: HISTORY DETECTIVES

- Res. 5** Roman colander
- Res. 6** Roman key
- Res. 7** Roman shoe
- Res. 8** Roman intaglio
- Res. 9** Roman bead
- Res. 10** Roman lamp
- Res. 11** Roman figurine
- Res. 12** Roman coin
- Res. 13** Roman spindle
- Res. 14** Artefact labels
- Res. 15** Session II worksheet
- Res. 16** Celtic hut remains
- Res. 17** Celtic hut remains (labelled)
- Res. 18** Celtic village remains aerial view
- Res. 19** Celtic village remains aerial view (labelled)
- Res. 20** Hardknott Fort remains

SESSION III: WELCOME TO THE LAKE DISTRICT

- Res. 21** Roman boardgame fragment
- Res. 22** Roman boardgame counters
- Res. 23** Roman boardgame from Corbridge
- Res. 24** Boardgame instructions
- Res. 25** Game board
- Res. 26** Game cards
- Res. 27** Session III worksheet
- Res. 28** Session III worksheet with extension activity
- Res. 29** High Street Roman road
- Res. 30** Roman military diploma
- Res. 31** Roman tombstone

SESSION IV: MEET THE LOCAL TRIBE

- Res. 32** Brigantes role-play cards
- Res. 33** Session IV worksheet
- Res. 34** Session IV worksheet with extension activity
- Res. 35** Celtic man and woman
- Res. 36** Celtic man and woman (labelled)
- Res. 37** Celtic village
- Res. 38** Celtic village (labelled)
- Res. 39** The Tale of Cartimandua
- Res. 40** Cartimandua interview activity sheet
- Res. 41** Cartimandua interview activity sheet with extension activity

* The resources on the CD can all be printed out and shared on paper, or projected, if you have the use of a digital projector or interactive white board. All the documents are supplied as A4 PDFs for ease of printing, though a few (the game board for Session III and the maps for use in Session V) are provided in two A4 sections, which can be taped together to provide a larger colour printout.

SESSION V: MEET THE ROMANS

- Res. 42** Romans role-play cards
- Res. 43** Session V worksheet
- Res. 44** Session V worksheet with extension activity
- Res. 45** Ambleside Fort granary remains
- Res. 46** Ravenglass bathhouse remains
- Res. 47** Roman man and woman
- Res. 48** Roman man and woman (labelled)
- Res. 49** Ambleside Fort
- Res. 50** Ambleside Fort (labelled)
- Res. 51** Romans in Cumbria map
(print version and projector version)
- Res. 52** Romans in the Lake District map
(print version and projector version)
- Res. 53** Unlabelled Romans in the
Lake District map
(print version and projector version)
- Res. 54** Map label

SESSION VI: DID THE ROMANS CHANGE THE LAKE DISTRICT?

- Res. 55** Session VI worksheet
- Res. 56** Bryn the Boulder sheet
- Res. 57** Poem sample

SESSION VII: WAS IT ALL WORTH IT?

- Res. 58** Person outline