



Roman Around

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KS2: History



Roman Around

In A.D. 78 the Romans completed their conquest of Wales. They brought with them a new way of life, and this 'Romanitas' is the focus of our workshop.

Roman Around is a full day of hands-on activity that develops a greater understanding of life in Roman Wales.

March in formation, try on armour, get washed and dressed for dinner, serve a feast to your Roman masters and much more...

Roman Around is led for you by our two real Romans.

They will help your group to investigate military and civilian life through replica objects, costume and role play.

The afternoon session is 'Pots & Potions' and takes place in one of our museum galleries. The children take part in practical and role play activities to explore the themes of Roman pottery and medicine. Clay pots made in the session can be taken home by the children.

Curriculum links:

Historical range

Roman Around looks at people's daily lives in the Roman period. Pupils will investigate the experience of men, women and children in this time, comparing and contrasting with today.

Historical skills

Pupils will be given opportunities to:

1. Develop their historical enquiry skills by asking questions and using a range of sources and drawing conclusions.
2. Identify the ways in which the past is represented and interpreted.
3. Develop skills in chronological awareness.

How many groups can visit?

A maximum of one group can visit per day. The maximum number per group is 30.

What's the plan for the day?

An example timetable is shown below:

Time	Activity
10:00	Roman Around Workshop
12:00	Lunch
12:30	Pots & Potions Workshop
14:00	Collect belongings, shop, departure

How much?

£120 per group per day – to be paid on arrival at the Winding House.

Booking

To book a visit contact:
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