

HA Resource Hub Submission Form

Resource Title: Roman Britain

Age Range: 7-11 yrs (KS2)

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Resource Details:

There are 2 categories of resources on the same webpage.

Home Learning Hub (designed for home learning)

Video: Boudicca's revolt story telling P.1

Video: Boudicca's revolt story telling P.2

Video: Boudicca's revolt story telling P.3

Video: Romans

PDF: Roman Rule Home Learners Pack

Learning Resources (designed for classroom and home learning)

Video: A Roman in Britain

Audio file: Time Travel Radio at Hadrian's Wall

Image Bank: Roman artefacts at the Royal Armouries Museum, Leeds

PDF: Teachers Notes

ALL RESOURCES FOUND AT:

<https://royalarmouries.org/learning-resources/home-learning-hub-roman-rule/>

Necessary prior learning to complete this:

None. Only the Boudicca story telling videos must be watched in sequence for the story to make sense. Every other element is 'stand alone' and therefore can be used as and when a teacher sees fit.

What does it lead to next?

- Video: Boudicca's revolt story telling P.1 has a follow up task of writing a persuasive letter (literacy, historical knowledge)
- Video: Boudicca's revolt story telling P.2 has a follow up task of drawing a scene of the rebellion (art, design, historical knowledge)
- Video: Boudicca's revolt story telling P.3 has a follow up task of writing an account of an event (historical knowledge, literacy skills)
- Video: Romans has a follow up task of telling the story of the 2 sword owners. It is not specified how, so can be done in literacy, art, drama, etc.

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| | Using these resources, there is an overall lead into further research around the Romans in Britain, their impact on everyday life, the Roman empire, military history and artwork. |
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Explanation: How should this resource be used?

Home Learning Hub- these resources were created during the first COVID-19 lock down and therefore were designed for home learning. However, they can easily be used in the classroom too.

Taking pupils through the story of Boudicca's revolt, the 3 **Boudicca** videos are a short and snappy way to understand this famous uprising whilst also developing their historical understanding, literacy skills and artistic creativity. The video **Romans** focuses on the Roman sword and scabbard housed at the Royal Armouries Museum in Leeds and the mystery that surrounds the artefacts Roman owners.

Use the short videos as the starting point of a lesson or at home task. Each video has a 'call to action' at the end which will consolidate the historical knowledge that pupils' have just received, but also further their own imagination and critical thinking in a creative way. Each call to action has been designed to be small and something that can be done with minimal adult supervision for high achieving pupils but easy enough for adults at home/in the classroom to assist those younger or lower achieving pupils without specialist knowledge. Each task has an element of literacy challenge and creativity to ensure continued learning without the loss of fun and engagement.

The activity PDF is designed to further the historical knowledge delivered in the videos as well as more specific information about the arms and armour that the Romans would have used by using artefacts housed at the Royal Armouries Museum, Leeds. It does not have to be used in conjunction with the videos, but does complement the content and therefore will help with attaining knowledge. The PDF contains 3 tasks that use historical knowledge as a base and then focus on literacy and art skills. Each task could take between 10-60 mins to complete depending on the task and the pupil level.

Learning Resources- These resources focus on bringing more of the Royal Armouries collection to pupils via digital means and ensuring their accessibility and relatability with multi-media interpretation.

The video **A Roman in Britain** builds a view of what a typical foot (infantry) soldier may have experienced in their deployment to Britain prior to the revolt of Boudicca. Use it as a starting point of a lesson to hear the historical information and the human story that is behind the objects in the Royal Armouries collection. This account is fictional and so can be used as inspiration for pupils to create their own stories, diary entries, poetry, drama etc. on what life is like for a soldier/Roman in Britain. It can also be used to inspire art and design projects such as shield making, scene creation, etc.

The **image bank** can be used for research into historical objects or as a visual queue within a lesson plan. They are free to use in educational settings.

The **Time Travel Radio: Hadrian's wall** audio file contains historical knowledge of the site and the life of people that lived in the area. Use it in a similar way to the video, as a focus point of inspiration for English, art, drama etc. lessons as you see fit.

The **Teachers Notes PDF** is there for teacher assistance, especially if you are new to the role or the topic.