

# The Museum of Harlow

# The Romans

For: KS 2 (Yr 3 / 4)

Time: Approx 2 hours.

This visit can also  
be offered in school.

This visit provides a chance to look at a wide range of real and replica Roman objects and to find out about Roman daily life in Britain and particularly Roman Harlow.

1. Introduction and discussion about archaeology and how objects have come to be in the museum
2. Class divides into two groups.
  - Half of the group use worksheets to look around the museum galleries, at the Iron Age and Roman collections, concentrating on daily life, industry, religion, building materials and personal items. They will handle objects, talk to staff and record objects in various ways.
  - Half of the class remain in the education room and, with the Education Officer. They will get the chance to try on replica military equipment, handle building materials and pottery and investigate a collection of real and replica personal items. They will also write on a replica wax tablet and look at a model of Harlow Roman temple.
3. The two groups swap over after about an hour.

For more information please contact the Museum of Harlow

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