

Influential Romans

@ Earth Trust

Session details

Developed for Key Stage 2

Capacity: Up to 90 pupils per day

Timings: 10am - 2.30pm

Cost: £11 per child; minimum £250 per session.

Timetable

10:00 Arrive at Earth Trust Centre and settle in

10:30 Roman history walk to Wittenham Clumps

12:00 Lunch

12:45 Roman artefacts, food detectives & Roman games

14:15 Collect bags and depart @ 14.30

Your visit

Escape the classroom and bring history to life at Earth Trust. We have designed a day that will immerse your pupils in local Roman history by exploring a landscape where archaeologists have uncovered a Roman villa, two cemeteries, grain kilns and pottery from across the empire. We will spark pupils' curiosity by giving them an opportunity to connect with history and archaeology in a tangible way. The session begins with your class taking on the Clumps Challenges - will they be good enough to become legionnaires? Fitness, Latin and battle tactics are all necessary skills to defeat the Celts that resisted the Roman invasion of Britain. In the afternoon your pupils will explore the Romano British way of life and handle genuine artefacts over 2000 years old. They will leave Earth Trust inspired and eager to learn more.

Learning Outcomes

In addition to immersing themselves in the history of our unique outdoor classroom, pupils will:

- Gain further knowledge of the Romanisation of Britain, through the spread of Roman technology, culture and beliefs.
- Understand how evidence is used rigorously to make historical claims, using real-life artefacts.
- Learn how their local history fits in with national and international history.

National Curriculum links

Each of our sessions links into the National Curriculum and supports your classroom learning.

Our Influential Romans Day covers:

- The Roman Empire and its impact on Iron Age Britain
- Opportunities for a local history study
- Supports the development of a chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of British, local and world history

About Earth Trust

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