

on your bowl.

## The Romans

Early People Gallery, Level -1

Name:
Salve, citizen of Rome! I'm Felix, your Centurion. Today you have been chosen to join the Roman army.
First, choose your Roman name: Aquilus Julius Cassius Flavius
To begin your training, find Case C6, 'Tilling the soil, tending the beasts'.
1. Roman farming
To survive in Scotland soldiers need to make sure they have the right equipment to grow and harvest food.
Find the objects below. Match each object to its name:  Rake Hoe Scythe Sickle
Take a step to your right and then march forward until you see Case D7, 'Fruits of the Wild – Hunting – the Romans and after' on your right-hand side.
2. Roman hunting
Roman soldiers enjoyed hunting for fun and food. You can see the animals they hunted on the objects they made and used.
You have been out hunting – draw the animals you hunted

Turn right. March past the large white pillar. Look for a carved stone hanging on the wall on your left (object S4)

## 3. The Antonine Wall

Emperor Antonius Pius ordered a wall to be built in Scotland as a way of controlling local tribes and trade. It was mainly made of turf and wood.



Roman soldiers carved this picture into the stone. What do you think local tribes would have thought of the Roman army?

Circle the words you choose:

The Roman army are...

scary quiet weak important

shy strong friendly

It's pay day! Turn around and march towards Case S1, full of coins, on your left hand side.

## 4. Money, money, money!

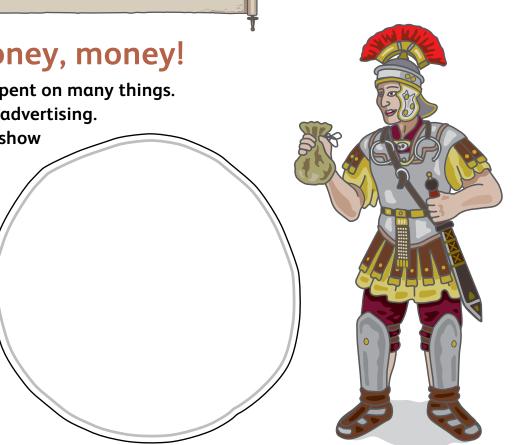
Roman coins could be spent on many things.

They were also used as advertising.

Pictures on coins could show

how important the emperors were.

Choose your favourite coin in the case and copy its design.





It's time to get some rest! Turn right and march forward past the large white column to Case R15

## 5. Life on the move

Romans lived in tents when they were on the march. Once a place was chosen, soldiers made a wall to protect their camp, even if they were just staying for one

or two nights.

Take a close look at the remains of a Roman tent.

What do you think the tent is made from?

What was used to fix the tent to the ground?



Look behind you and march towards Cases R12 and R14

6. Roman armour and weapons

Wake up soldier! You need to make sure you have everything you need to head further north.

Write or draw your answers in the spaces provided. Can you find:

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Something to cook with	Something to wear on your feet	A weαpon	
Something to protect your body	Something to protect your head	A tool for digging and building	

Design your Roman shield.

