

Viking Teachers' Resource Pack – Appendix

This appendix is to be used alongside the Vikings Teachers' Resource Pack and is aimed at making the items on the activity sheets easier to find and more accessible to your class. For each item mentioned in the resource pack and activity sheets there are directions and a picture of it to show what you are looking for.

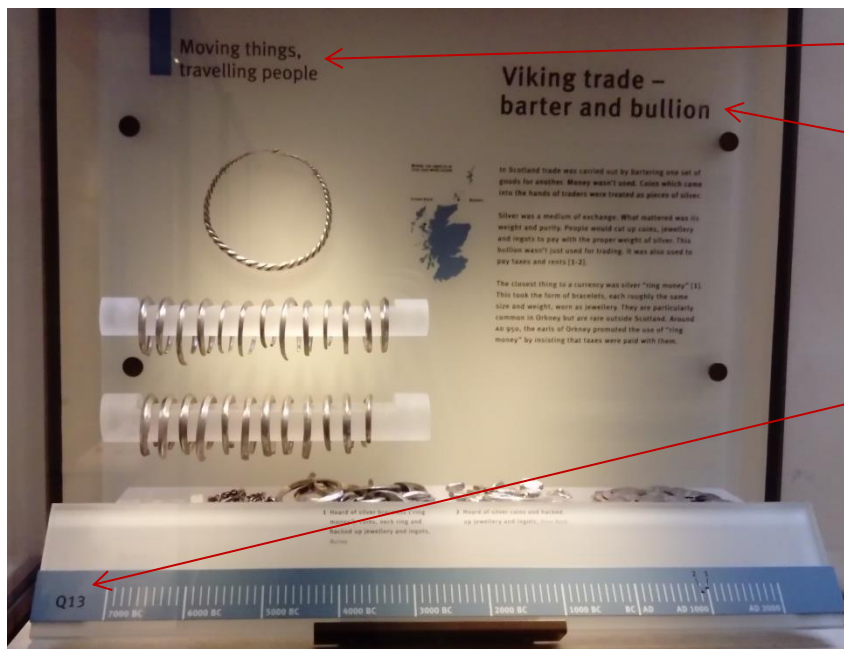
Begin this trail in **Early People Gallery, level minus 1.**

The starting point for the trail is marked on the map on page four of the resource pack. It is down the six stairs from the lifts, next to the iron sculptures of early people.



Here you can do an introduction to the class about Vikings and explain that they are going to see some real items that belonged to and were used by Vikings!

Cases in the gallery look like this



Each case has a theme and a title.

The theme of this case is **'Moving Things, Travelling People'**

The title is **'Viking trade – barter and bullion'**

Each case also has a number. It is in the bottom left hand corner of the case. The number for this case is **Q13.**

Meet The Vikings

Star Object - A Viking Grave

Activity Sheet 1 : A Viking Grave

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For this activity go to case W7.

This case is called 'Dead and Sometimes Buried – A Viking grave'

To get there from the starting point – with the sculptures of the early people on your left, walk forward until you see the Viking Grave on your left.

It looks like this.



Note: The display with the skeleton of a horse (W15) which is mentioned in the 'Did you know Section' on the star objects note for the Viking grave has been removed for conservation reasons.

Activity Sheet 2 : A Viking Woman

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For this activity sheet go to case W14.

This case is called 'Dead and Sometimes Buried – Viking High Status Burials'

To get there, with the Viking grave on your left, walk forward towards the wall then turn left at the lion statue, then turn right. Case W14 is on your left.

Objects 19-27 which are used for the activity sheet are on the right of this case.

The case looks like this.



Raiders and Traders

Star Object – A Viking boat stem

Activity Sheet 1 : A Viking boat

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For this activity go to case P2.

This case is called 'Getting Around – Ships and Boats'

To get there, stand with W14 on your left, walk forward, then turn left. Walk straight towards the wooden log boats at the far side of the gallery. Case P2 is on your right next to the log boats.

It looks like this.



Settlers and Farmers

Star Object – The Quern Stone

Activity Sheet 1 : The Quern Stone

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For this activity go to case Q8 and Q9.

Q8 is called 'Moving things, travelling people - Viking Raiders and Traders'

Q9 is called 'Moving things, travelling people - Viking Trade – North to south'

To get there, stand with P2 on your left, walk forward past the cases on you right. You will see Q8 and 9 in front of you.

They look like this.



Activity Sheet 2: A brooch from Scotland

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We suggest that you may want to do this activity sheet last as this object is on the way out of the gallery.

Warriors and Heroes

Star Object – Sword Hilt

Activity Sheet 1 : Viking Weapons

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For this activity go to case R10.

This case is called 'Bloodshed, weapons and Heroes – Viking Warfare'

To get there stand with your back to Q8 and walk diagonally left through the archway then turn right, you will see case R10 in front of you.

It looks like this.



Activity Sheet 2 : A rich Viking

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For this activity go to the case U1.

This case is called 'Burying treasure, sacrificing wealth – Hoarding wealth'

To get there, stand with your back to R10, take a few steps right, walk forward past the cases on your left, you will see U1 in front of you.

It looks like this.



Activity Sheet 2: A brooch from Scotland **Page 12 of Resource Pack**

For this activity go to case V7.

This case is called ' Burying treasure, sacrificing wealth – Object of desire'

To get there from U1, face U1, take a step to your right and walk forward, you will see the back of case V7 just in front of you.

It looks like this.



To find your way back out of the gallery stand with your back to the case V7 and walk straight forward through the arch. You will find yourselves back at the sculptures of the Iron Age people.



R10 - Viking Warfare



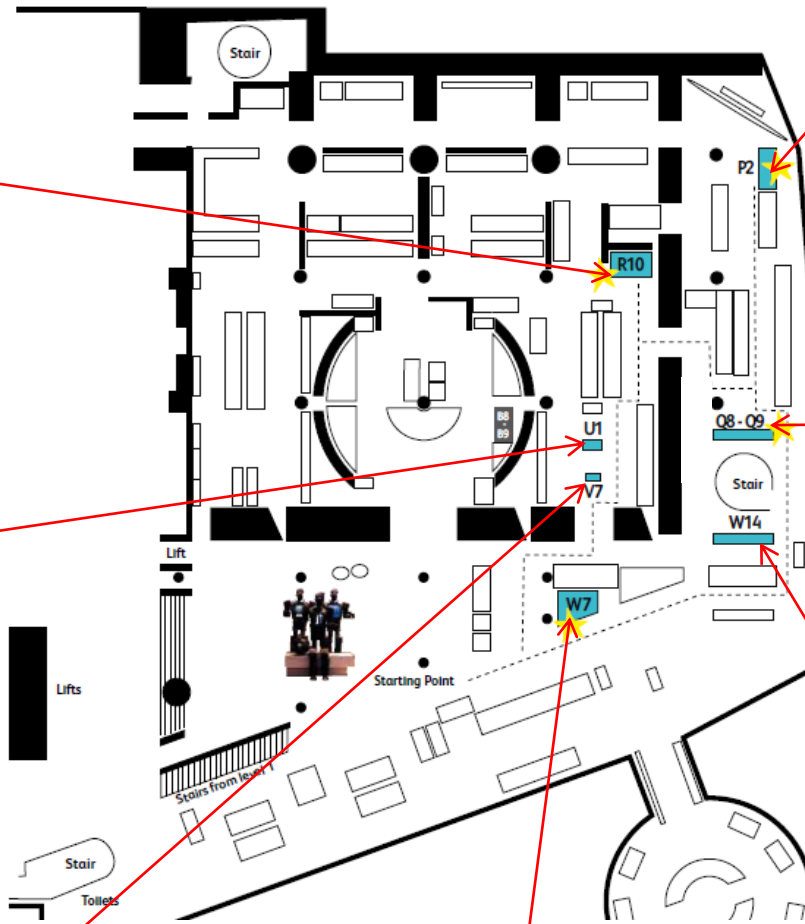
P2 - Ships and Boats



U1 - Hoarding wealth



V7 - Hunterston Brooch



Q8 - Viking Raiders and Traders
Q9 - North to south



W7 - Viking Grave



W14 - Viking High Status Burials