

RESOURCE LOANS BOXES



Our loans boxes are available for schools to hire for **£15** per half term. They contain a mix of real and replica objects, books, costumes and activities.
Email us to book - learningteam@hartlepool.gov.uk

Ancient Egyptians

Discover the world of Ancient Egypt through replica objects and costumes. Explore what objects they used in everyday life, what they wore and more.

Ancient Egypt - Activity box

This box contains a mummification kit complete with replica canopic jars to perform this sacred ritual with your class.

Ancient Greeks

Learn about life in Ancient Greece. Handle replica objects from daily life, try on costumes and read about myths.

The Romans

This box offers the chance to explore Roman daily life through replica Roman household objects and activities.

Anglo Saxons

Look at how the Anglo Saxons lived and what objects they used in every day life.

Local Maritime History

Learn about the local maritime history of Hartlepool with objects, photographs and activities.

Lindisfarne Gospels

A cross-curricular approach to the study of the Anglo Saxon world. This box uses images, objects and books inspired by Lindisfarne Gospels to bring Anglo Saxons to life.

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Tudor Lives

This box explores life in the times of the Tudors through games and household objects. Discover what it was like during a Tudor Banquet or writing with a quill.

Victorian Childhood

Explore what life was like for a child in Victorian Times. Dress up in replica costumes of both rich and poor Victorian children and find out what it was like to go to school in the nineteenth century.

Victorian Everyday Life

Handle real Victorian artefacts. Explore what life was like during the Victorian period with household objects and everyday items.

Seaside Holidays from the Past

This box combines objects, images and books to provide an in-depth comparison of seaside holidays from the past with children's experience of modern holidays.

Toys and Games from the Past

Experience Victorian and Edwardian style toys and games in the classroom. Have a go at the cup and ball, a Jacob's ladder and more!

Victorian Costumes

This box contains thirty replica costumes for the whole class to dress up in clothing to become rich and poor ladies and gentlemen of the Victorian era. Also included is a resource pack of images from the time. Can you recreate one of the images with your class?

WWI - Homefront OR A Soldier's Life

Choose between two boxes exploring different aspects of life during The Great War. Discover what life like in Britain at the time or the experiences of a soldier fighting abroad with real and replica objects, costumes and activities.

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WW2 - The Home Front

This box offers the opportunity to explore life on the Home Front during World War Two through replica objects and activities

Homes From the Past - 1950's

Explore what everyday life was like in the 1950's with real objects, games and activities.

Significant People - Queen Elizabeth II

Celebrate the life and times of Queen Elizabeth II with this box. Containing objects from Her Majesty's Coronation and various Jubilee celebrations, books and activities.

Introduction to Portraits

This box contain examples of many different styles of portraits, ways to understand them and use them for inspiration for art and literacy work.

Japan

Learn about Japanese culture with this box. Find out about the Tea Ceremony, clothing, religion, festival and art with real objects to handle.

Floss - Farmyard Stories

Explore the work of children's author Kim Lewis using the books and objects as basis for literacy, imaginative play and drawing. Suitable for Nursery and Reception.

FREE WORKSHOPS

2023-2024

Key Stage 1

Toys and Games (1 hour 30mins)

What did children play with in the past? Where did toys come from? Experience Victorian and Edwardian style toys and games and make your own toy to take home.

My First Visit to the Museum OR Gallery (1 hour 30mins)

An introduction to what a Museum or Gallery does with a chance to explore displays, take part in activities based on our exhibitions and make some art to take home.

Key Stage 2

Roman Remains at the Museum (2 hours)

Become an archaeologist and discover the world of the Romans. Handle real Roman artefacts and learn about the different materials and objects used by the Romans in Hartlepool.

Portraits and Art at the Gallery (2 hours)

What better way to explore what makes you, you than through self portraits? In this session children explore art and learn step-by-step techniques for making their own.

Still Life and Art at the Gallery (2 hours)

In this session children find out what a still-life is, explore different art materials and create their own still-life masterpiece artwork.

Local History - Church Street at the Gallery and self-led in Church Street (2 hours)

This workshop is part of the Church Street Revival Project exploring the history of the area. Children will learn about some of the people and places involved in the development of Church Street and West Hartlepool with a one hour led workshop inside the Gallery then one hour of activities in Church Street itself with our activity backpacks.

Free | Booking essential | To book please email learningteam@hartlepool.gov.uk