



Our historical gallery walk

On these pages you can find more ideas and information for your presentation of a historical object.

Possible characters

Celtic Britain

Boudicca, a famous Celt ▶

a druid

- Druids were religious leaders.
- They were responsible for rites and sacrifices.

Boudicca

- She was the leader of the Iceni tribe and fought against the Romans.
- She died in the year 60 AD or 61 AD.



Roman Britain

a soldier

- Only men over 20 could become Roman soldiers.
- They were very tough and their leaders were very strict.

a child

- Rich families sent their boys to school or had a private teacher.
- Girls could get married from the age of 12 and boys from age 14.



Norman Britain

William the Conqueror ▶

a rich person

- The Norman lords didn't speak English.
- They lived in castles and often had huge feasts there.

a poor person

- Most people in Norman Britain were poor.
- They lived in simple huts and worked very hard for their lords.



Tudor Britain

a sailor

- Life at sea was exciting, but also very dangerous and tough.
- Usually there wasn't any fresh food on the ships, so many sailors didn't get enough vitamins and became sick.

a farmer

- Most people were farmers in small villages.
- The work was hard and started very early in the morning.



Victorian Britain

A Victorian lady and her butler ▶

a servant

- Rich Victorian families often had a number of servants like cooks, nannies or butlers.

a factory worker

- Victorian factories were loud, dark and dirty. People had to work long hours and child labour was very common.

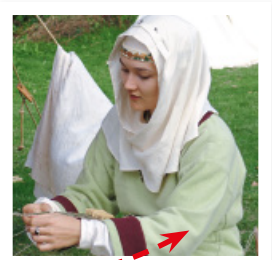


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Possible objects

Clothing

bonnet ['bɒnɪt]	Haube
cloak [kləʊk]	Umhang; Mantel
ruff [rʌf]	Halskrause
shawl [ʃɔ:l]	Schultertuch
top hat ['tɒp hæʔ]	Zylinder
tunic ['tju:nɪk]	Tunika



Weapons

armour ['ɑ:mə]	Rüstung
dagger ['dægə]	Dolch
helmet ['helmet]	Helm
sabre ['seɪbə]	Säbel
shield [ʃi:l]	Schutzschild
sword [sɔ:d]	Schwert



Jewellery

brooch [brʊtʃ]	Brosche
buckle ['bʌkl]	Schnalle, Spange
headband ['hed bænd]	Haarreif
pendant ['pendənt]	Anhänger
torc [tɔ:k]	Torques; Halsring



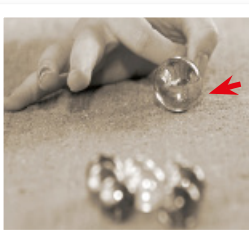
Tools

anvil ['ænvɪl]	Amboss
chisel ['tʃɪzəl]	Meißel
loom [lu:m]	Webstuhl
quern [kwɜ:n]	Mahlstein
tongs [tɒŋz]	Zange



Other objects

cane [keɪn]	Spazierstock
comb [kəʊm]	Kamm
compass ['kʌmpəs]	Kompass
leather pouch ['leðə paʊtʃ]	Lederbeutel
game of marbles [geɪm_əv 'mɑ:blz]	Murmelspiel
pocket watch ['pɒkɪt wɒtʃ]	Taschenuhr



Useful phrases

It's made of metal / wood / linen / lace / ... (Er / Sie / Es ist aus Metall / Holz / Leinen / Spitze / ...) | It's sturdy / elegant / valuable ... (Er / Sie / Es ist stabil / elegant / wertvoll / ...) | If you look closely, you'll see ... | It's a piece of clothing / a weapon / a piece of jewellery / a tool / ... which ... | It had been given to me because ... | It's my favourite ... | It's worth ... | It always helped me to ... | I got it when ...