

# LOANS BOXES



**LOCATION**  
In your school



**AVAILABILITY**  
Year round



**TOPICS COVERED**  
Romans  
Archaeology  
Pre-History (expected Jan 2024)



**DURATION**  
1/2 a term



**COST**  
From £75 per box



**PICK UP/DROP OFF**  
Loans boxes must be collected and returned to the Chester House Estate.



**NUMBER OF OBJECTS**  
Typically of 15

## ABOUT THE BOXES

Our loan boxes have been carefully curated to align with the National Curriculum and are a comprehensive resource designed to enrich your history lessons with real archaeological artefacts.

## ARTEFACT SELECTION

Our loan boxes contain a diverse range of original archaeological artefacts. These items offer tangible connections to the past, fostering a deeper understanding of historical concepts. A typical box has at least 10 original objects.

Where utilising real objects is not possible, we have commissioned authentic replicas that have been made using authentic techniques.

## TEACHING SUPPORT

Once booked, you will get access to our Loans box resource pack which contains handling guidance, background information for each object and activity suggestions designed to spark curiosity and invite questions about ancient life, culture, and history.

## WHY BORROW A LOAN BOX?

- Enhances hands-on learning with real historical artefacts.
- Supports the National Curriculum, enriching history lessons.
- Fosters critical thinking and historical inquiry skills.
- Sparks student curiosity and engagement.
- Provides tangible connections to the past.
- Adaptable for various teaching contexts and topics.
- Encourages interactive and memorable history lessons.
- Stimulates classroom discussions and debates.
- Inspires students to become history detectives.
- Promotes a deeper understanding of historical concepts.

## THE LOANS BOX BOOKING PROCESS

1. Use the contact information below to book your loan box and arrange collection and drop-off dates.
2. Collect your loan box. Boxes will be available from the Wednesday before your borrowed period starts
3. A team member will go through the objects you have and you will need to sign a loan agreement and contents list.
4. Enjoy using our objects with your class/school using our loans box resource pack to assist.
5. Return your box on the agreed date (this will be the Friday at the end of the borrow period at the latest).
6. A member of the team will check the condition of the objects with you before you leave.



**Enquire now**

Scan to enquire now using our enquiry form or email us at [LEARNING@CHESTERHOUSEESTATE.ORG](mailto:LEARNING@CHESTERHOUSEESTATE.ORG)