

How did the Romans Influence Britain?

We carried out our own research to answer the question: *How did the Romans Influence Britain?*

We used Bloom's Taxonomy to show our progression in knowledge and understanding of the question:

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Knowing	Understanding	Applying	Analysing	Creating	Evaluating
List 5 things the Romans introduced to Britain.	Choose two examples of things the Roman's brought to Britain and explain how they changed the way people lived.	Write a diary entry from the point of view of a Celt explaining how life has changed since the Roman invasion.	Explain why the Romans left Britain. What happened in Britain after they left?	Create a PowerPoint presentation titled "How the Romans Influenced Britain".	Was life in Britain better before or after the Roman invasion? Explain your ideas and provide evidence.



First, we spent time researching the Romans and learned about all the amazing things they introduced to Britain such as fast food, money, roads, towns, sanitation, money and writing! As our knowledge grew, we recorded our findings by creating PowerPoint Presentations.

One aspect we found fascinating was how the Romans were so successful. We learned about the Roman arm, their weapons, armour and training and how disciplined they were. The Celts in Britain put up a good fight but they were no match for the Romans.



We were inspired to design and make our own Roman shields. They took weeks to construct! Testing them out was a great deal of fun and allowed us to evaluate and think of how we could improve our designs.



We also considered the point of view of the Celts living in Britain at the time. We visited a section of Hadrian's Wall and were filmed protesting the Roman invasion. Then, we considered all the amazing things the Romans introduced to Britain and wondered if some of the Celts thought the Roman Invasion was a good thing.

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I can write a diary entry from the point of view of a Celt

Dear Diary,

Today you won't believe what I saw today. Let's start, when I entered the Roman village, I saw about 5000 soldiers! I entered the commander's house. The commander told me that he had 20 rooms. He also showed me how he heated his house. You will never believe what his slaves do. They light a fire underground, they slaves keep it lit all day and night. There are pipes that carry the heating from the fire. Then the pipes lead it to the commander's house. It is the most best thing in the world! His house was so much better than mine. He had under floor heating. Me here just has a fire. He's got bricks. Me, I've only got mud and sticks and straw in my house. I wish I was a Roman command



Finally, we visited Segedunum - a museum at the site of a Roman fort. Here we were able to look at real Roman artefacts and speak to Roman historians. We asked questions to deepen our knowledge and understanding of the Roman Invasion and how it influenced Britain forever.