

Can't come to us? We can come to you!
 Peterborough Museum Outreach

Roman surgeon (Living History) KS2 Session



This area proved a vital strategic ground for the Roman army at the start of their British occupation from 43 AD where they initially build a fort at Longthorpe. A settlement called Durobrivae later grew which was inhabited until the end of the Roman rule in 410 AD. This activity links well with the study of the impact of Romanisation in the local community.

Duration:	Approx. 45 mins.
What happens:	Pupils will meet a Roman surgeon and will travel back in time to discover what it was like to live in these times. Pupils will take on real-life Roman characters with scenarios, taking on Roman ailments and finding out if and how they will be cured. The surgeon will explain and lead discussions on the connections with the history of medicine throughout the ages to modern times.
Maximum group size:	Up to 35 pupils. We can work with one group at a time and up to four groups in a full day (from 9:45am)
Booking information:	Email: vivacityforschools@vivacity.org Phone: 01733 864 706 / 700 When the activities and date are agreed, a booking form is emailed to you. To confirm the visit we ask that you complete the booking form and email it back to us.
Cost:	£120: one class £200: two classes £270: three classes £320: four classes No additional travel costs to school within Peterborough city council.
You might also be interested in...	... booking the Roman soldier as a second activity for a comprehensive look at Roman life. The Boudica activity also compliments this study. Or you might like to consider our Really Roman Day at Peterborough Museum. For more information visit https://vivacity.org/for-schools/



*"... an engaging activity"
 (teacher at John Harrox Primary)*