

Beads, Bawbees and Banknotes – Visiting the Museum on the Mound

We hope the resource will inspire a visit to the Museum itself – it makes a fantastic starting point for a topic on money.

It is a matter of personal taste, or timing, whether you use the resource in advance of a visit. Some teachers like to use elements of the resource to introduce the topic of money and to prepare pupils for their visit. Others like their pupils to experience the surprise and wonder that comes from seeing the material for the first time at the Museum.

Time constraints mean that only three of the four activities can be experienced during a Museum visit. You may therefore want to use the resource to cover one activity in class, then use it to recap on the others, or to stimulate follow-up work.

Please let us know, **at the time of booking**, if you have used or intend to use the resource before your visit. We will then adapt the Museum sessions accordingly.

Please note: we strongly recommend that you **do not** complete the banknote activity sheet before a visit – this is much better done at the Museum!

In time we will be offering new and complementary sessions, so duplication will not be an issue. Please refer to our website for updates.