

WORD SEARCH

G	U	P	C	O	N	I	A	X	R
O	N	E	O	L	I	T	H	I	C
L	E	N	I	T	O	W	Y	S	R
B	I	Q	N	O	T	B	T	O	O
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G	O	L	D	O	N	B	R	G	S
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P	A	E	A	X	S	O	V	E	F
O	G	G	O	N	A	Z	O	U	J
K	E	V	B	R	O	N	Z	E	C

TORC
IRON AGE
ROMAN
NEOLITHIC
AXE
BRONZE
GOLD
CROSS
GARNET
POTTERY
COIN
FOX

Draw or write about your favourite object here

BENEATH OUR FEET

ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE CAMBRIDGE REGION

maa
museum of archaeology
and anthropology

Family trail



Find this object and pull the same face

Cyril Fox



Cyril Fox was an archaeologist who wrote an important book called *The Archaeology of the Cambridge Region*.

The book was published 100 years ago. There have been lots of interesting discoveries since then, many of which you will find out about in this exhibition.

Q. How did Cyril travel around Cambridge?

A.

Trumpington Cross



This beautiful brooch belonged to a young woman who lived in Trumpington around 1,400 years ago.

Q. What is the brooch made from?

A.....

Design your own brooch here

Iron Age gold coin



This tiny gold coin is around 2000 years old. On one side is the image of a horse and on the other a wheat sheaf.



Design your own Iron Age coin

Neolithic Jadeite Axe



This axe head is made of a type of stone called jadeite which came all the way from Switzerland. It is over 5000 years old.

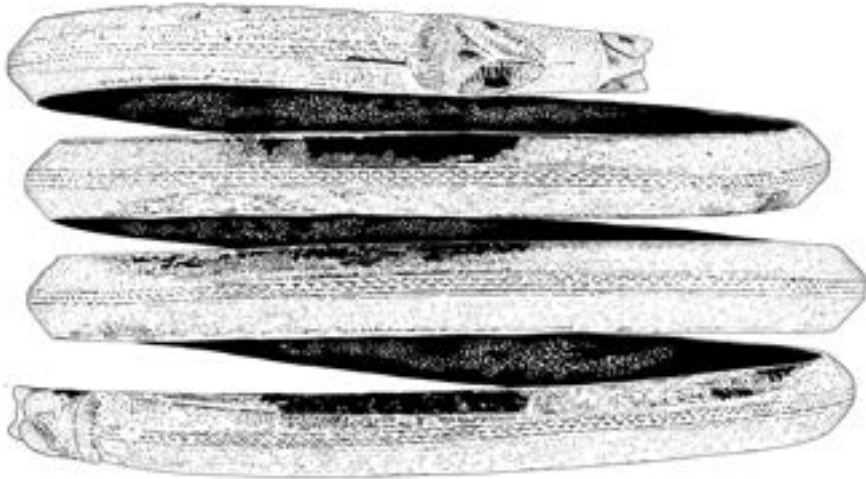
Axes like this were probably not made to be used as tools but to show how well connected their owners were. Can you find a similar axe on display?

When you leave the exhibition, take a look next door and see whether you can find the jadeite axe shown above. It is on display alongside other axes.

Q. What are the other axes made from?

A.....

Iron Age or Early Roman Armlet



Archaeologists think this armlet once belonged to a local Iron Age leader. He was buried with lots of other wonderful objects, many of which are on display.

Q. Which of these objects is your favourite?

A.

Q. Do you have things that say something about what kind of person you are? What are they and why are they important to you?

A

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Iron Age or Roman Figure



This small bronze figure is holding a torc. Torcs were worn around the neck and often made of precious metals such as gold.

Q. If a statue was made of you, what would you be holding?

A.

Draw your statue in the box above.