

# Curious Cumbria

SUPPORTING LEARNING TO INSPIRE PUPILS



# Explore Cumbria's MUSEUMS & GALLERIES

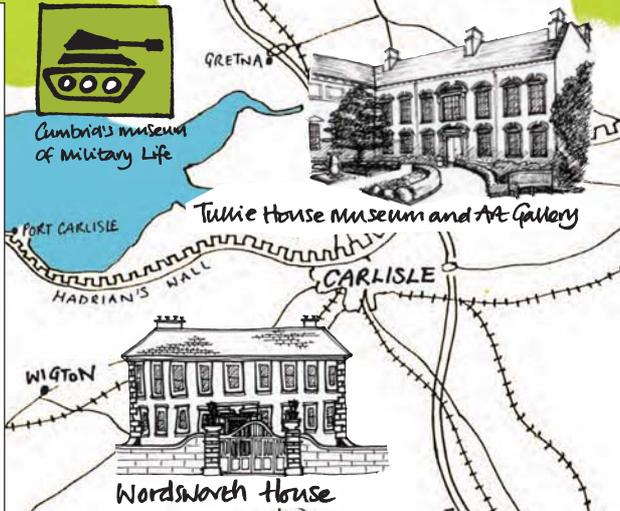
**Senhouse Roman Museum, Maryport**  
Pupils interrogate the relationship between invaders and native communities in the Romans v Celts session, together with craft activities and loan boxes.  
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**Wordsworth House, Cockermouth**  
What was it like growing up 250 years ago? Pupils immerse themselves in distinctive period rooms and gardens.  
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**Helena Thomson Museum Workington**  
Explore the industrial heritage of Workington in the Victorian era through hands-on learning sessions with role play, artefacts and activities.  
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**The Beacon Museum, Whitehaven**  
Copeland's heritage is revealed through fun role-play activities featuring local heroes and pirates.  
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**Haig Pit, Whitehaven**  
The team works directly with schools and children with additional needs to create bespoke educational sessions.  
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**Cumbria's Museum of Military Life, Carlisle**  
Hands-on interactive sessions using military objects and photographs to understand history and conflict.  
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**Tullie House Museum and Art Gallery, Carlisle**  
Explore life in Roman Carlisle with five mystery characters using Roman artefacts and costumes to bring history to life.  
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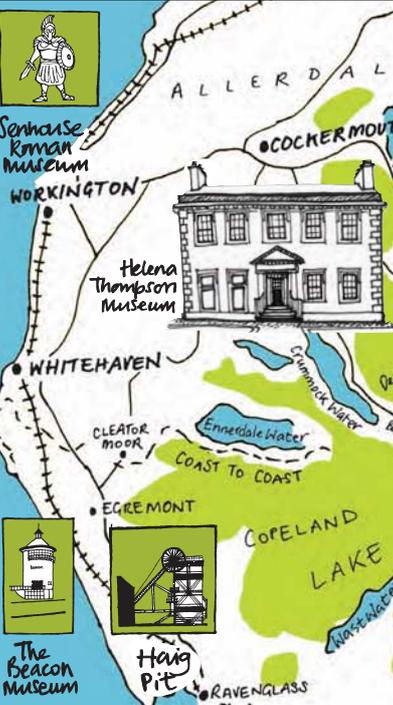
**Penrith and Eden Museum**  
Ignite pupil's interest in Stone and Iron Age civilizations with artefacts and art, together with a visit to Long Meg stone circle.  
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**Keswick Museum and Art Gallery**  
Pupils use compasses, grid references and key symbols to learn about maps, relief models and the Lake District.  
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**Wordsworth Trust, Grasmere**  
Illuminating literature and history and exploring Wordsworth's life and poetry through creative writing, object-handling and story-telling.  
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**Windermere Jetty, Museum of Boats, Steam and Stories**  
Gain hands-on experience in model-boat-making inspired by this internationally important boat collection. Open to schools in 2017.  
info@steamboats.org.uk



**Ruskin Museum, Coniston**  
Pupils take pride in local heroes Donald Campbell and John Ruskin, and explore the geology and art collections in a spectacular setting.  
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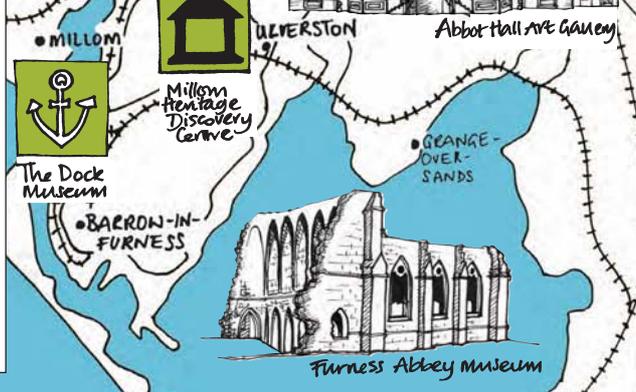
**Brantwood, Coniston**  
Explore geology, geography, and music in a tactile and multi-sensory encounter with a slate lithophone.  
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**Blackwell Arts and Crafts House, Bowness**  
Pupils try their hand at printmaking and create wallpaper inspired by nature, geometry and history.  
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**Millom Heritage Discovery Centre**  
Uncover the industrial heritage of Millom through activities and object handling and explore how this relates to life in Cumbria today.  
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**The Dock Museum, Barrow**  
WWII multi-sensory experience of a Blitz-era air raid in a real Anderson Shelter.  
01229 876400

**Furness Abbey Museum, Barrow**  
Discover history and architecture within the impressive remains of the abbey, chapter house and cloister buildings.  
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**Kendal Museum**  
Travel the globe and experience the natural and man-made world - from Egyptian mummies to polar bears.  
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**Abbot Hall Art Gallery, Kendal**  
How does an artist create a work of art? Pupils investigate artists' ideas and concepts using a sketchbook to capture the creative process.  
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**Museum of Lakeland Life and Industry, Kendal**  
Scour the archives and make crafted textiles to learn how Kendal became a thriving wool town.  
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**Quaker Tapestry Museum, Kendal**  
Investigate history, art and design through drama, drawing and stitching to bring Quaker stories to life.  
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