

Create your own wall frieze!



First, watch the Time Tunnellers video about ancient wall friezes. Then pick an important event in your own life or in British history. It could be a family celebration like a wedding or birthday, a special holiday, or something the whole nation celebrated like the Olympics, the World Cup, or the King's coronation. **Design a wall frieze in the space below to show what happened.** Look at the illustrations on the second page for help.

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for students to draw their own wall frieze.

Extension task: Imagine you are a working in a museum 2,000 years in the future. Your job is to write a description for this wall frieze. On a separate sheet of paper, explain who the people are in your frieze, what they are doing, and why this moment is important.



Detail from the Lachish relief in the British Museum, showing Assyrian soldiers attacking the town of Lachish.



A frieze in the British Museum, showing a battle between Greek and Amazon warriors.



One of the Benin Bronzes from the British Museum, showing a king with his warriors.



Detail from the Bayeux Tapestry, showing the invasion of England by the Norman army in 1066.