

Interpretation Project - Annex E to Guidance on research and assembling interpretative material

Glossary of key words and style in interpretative text

This Annex lists words and style to be used in interpretative text on the digital labels where the Museum & Art Gallery seeks to follow a standard. In general, the principal requirement is simply for easy-to-digest language!

- **Place names** Follow the Welsh Language Commissioner's official spelling of place-names in English as given in the "[List of Standardised Welsh Place-names](#)"
- **Brecknockshire** The geographical area covered by Museum & Art Gallery is referred to as 'Brecknockshire', not 'Breconshire' or 'Brecknock', unless there is a strong reason otherwise.
- **Roman fort** To avoid confusion with the new 'y Gaer' in Brecon, refer to the Roman fort of a similar name as 'Brecon Gaer - the Roman fort at Aberyscir'
- **Dates** - For centuries, use numerals up to 9, thereafter words. e.g. 3rd century, eleventh century
- Refer to decades thus: in the 1880s