



History Dudes

*Viking Dudes
& Ancient Egyptian Dudes*

Rich Cando and Bob Harris

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Dudes from the past tell it like it was

Did you know that Ancient Egyptians believed that certain gods lived amongst them in the bodies of animals, and when you died your soul left your body and took a trip to the underworld?

Learn about some of the great VID's (Very Important Dudes) of the past with **History Dudes**, a brand new series from DK. This fun and unique series takes an irreverent romp through the world of history, and a sideways look at the characters that made it happen.

If you like silly facts and quirky graphics, then this hilarious series of history books is perfect for dudes like you. Created by cult graphic artist **Rich Cando**, acclaimed for his illustrated *Star Wars* parody **Star Dudes**, **History Dudes** reinvents children's history books with a humorous and visual twist.

The first two books in the series, **Ancient Egyptian Dudes** and **Viking Dudes** focus on the gorier and naughtier details missed out at school. Funny anecdotes from the hilarious **History Dudes** will have children laughing their way through some of the most important periods of history.

Colourful and funky with a comic-book style layout, these books will appeal to children of all ages. Read about some of the great moments in history such as the story of *Harold the Shaggy* who suffered 3,650 bad hair days when he refused to cut his hair after his father drowned and only promised to cut it when he had conquered all of Norway!

Supporting National Curriculum History Key Stages One and Two, this will provide a fun and valuable teaching aid for both parents and teachers – great for fun summer holiday reading.

About the creator

Rich Cando has been drawing since he was a child. He was first acclaimed for his comic strip **Chaos** published in the US, while studying at UCLA in California. Since then his original and individual illustrations have appeared on t-shirts and in books and magazines worldwide. Following his hit spoof of *Star Wars*, **Star Dudes**, Cando's work has earned him a place in the Museum of Contemporary Art in Taiwan, and the Spielzeug museum in Germany.

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