

# Holly Park Learning Organiser

# Y3 The Romans (Emperors & Empires)

The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain

How Did The Arrival Of The Romans Change Britain?

<u>Vocabulary</u>				
Pagan	A person, outside of accepted western religions, who practices a religion that worships many gods			
legion	A division of 3,000–6,000 men in the ancient Roman army.			
Emperor	A sovereign ruler of an empire.			
Sacrifice	The gift of something to a god as an act of worship.			
Sanitation	The study and practice of keeping the public healthy by providing clean living conditions.			
Temple	A building devoted to the worship of a god or gods.			
Aqueduct	A structure like a bridge for carrying a waterway or pipe across a river or valley.			
Settlements	A place where people have recently settled			
Empire	A group of different countries with one leader			
Mosaic	A picture or pattern made by putting together small pieces of stone, tile, glass, etc.			
Centurion	The commander of a century in the ancient Roman army.			
Invasion	Invading a country or region with an armed force.			
Shield	A broad piece of material, used as a protection against blows			
Conquer	Overcome and take control of (a place or people) by military force.			

#### What will I know at the end of this unit? (Substantive Knowledge)

#### Who were the Romans?

Rome was founded in Italy by Romulus in 753 BC following a fight with his twin brother Remus.

The Roman Empire spread across Europe, Parts of Asia and North Africa

The Roman army was successful because it was well-equipped, well organised and inspired great loyalty Pompeii andVesuvius

#### **Empire and Invasion**

The Romans were keen to invade Britain because of the fertile lands, the valuable natural resources and to increase their power.

Julius Caesar led an unsuccessful invasion of Britain in 55BC

Emperor Claudius commanded a second invasion in 43AD

Roman Britain was a province of the Roman Empire from 43 to 410AD

#### In 60BC, Boudicca, Queen of the Iceni tribe, led a rebellion against Roman rule

The Romans built Hadrian's Wall to keep the Scottish tribes out of England

There was a significant African-Roman settlement in York, under the rule of Emperor Septimus Severus

#### What did the Romans do for us?

**Religion:** Under the Romans, Britain moved away from polytheistic paganism towards Christianity. **Engineering:** The Romans introduced the use of bricks and concrete. This enabled them to build Britain's first towns and linked them by a network of roads. They introduced the hypocaust system, sewers, aqueducts and toilets and public baths.

Language, numbers and laws: The Romans introduced a written legal system. Many of our words, such as some days of the week and months of the year, come from Latin.

Culture: The Romans introduced amphitheaters and public baths

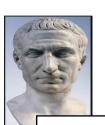
#### **Everyday Life**

**Homes:** People mainly lived in small villages of wooden houses with thatched roofs, much as they had before the Romans arrived. However, some wealthy Romans lived in villas and palaces.

**Food**: Breakfast was bread, dates & honey. Lunch was a light meal – fish, bread, fruit and vegetables. Dinner was vegetables and porridge for the poor. A feast and wine for the rich – lying on cushions on the floor.

Clothes: Men: short tunics & cloaks, togas Women: long tunic and stola with brooches. Soldiers: body armour, helmet (cassis) shield (scutum) sandals (caligae)

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	55BC	43AD	49AD	60AD	I00AD	122—128AD	200AD	401—410AD	793 AD
	Julius Caesar leads two	Romans invade	Romans make	Rebellion led by	More than 8,000 miles of	Emperor Hadrian	Christianity introduced	Romans withdraw	Vikings invade
	Roman military	Britain. It becomes	Colchester the	Boudicca, queen of	Roman roads in Britain are	builds a wall on the	to Britain	from Britain. Anglo	Britain
	expeditions to Britain but	part of the Roman	capital of Roman	the Iceni	completed. Troops and goods	Scottish border.		Saxons migrants	
	are driven back by the	Empire.	Britain.		travel easily across the country.			begin to settle.	
	Celts.								



Julius Caesar



#### Boudicca

### The Tortoise



#### How do we know?

We know about life in Roman Britain through archaeological discoveries and writings from Roman historians such as Tacitus

# What should I already know?

An awareness of the Britain that the Romans conquered as a result of having studied the — Stone, Bronze and Iron Ages.

# History Skill Progression Year 3 (Disciplinary Knowledge)

Chronological	Can place the time studied on a timeline			
understanding	Can use dates and terms related to the study unit and passing of time			
	Can sequence several events or artefacts			
Range and depth of	Can find out about everyday lives of people in time studied			
historical knowledge	Can compare with our life today			
An overview of world	Can identify reasons for and results of people's actions			
history	Can understand why people may have wanted to do something			
Investigation and	Can identify and give reasons for different ways in which the past is represented			
Interpretations of	Can distinguish between different sources – compare different versions of the same story			
history	Can look at representations of the period – museum, cartoons etc			
Historical enquiry	Can use a range of sources to find out about a period			
	Can observe small details – artefacts, pictures			
Can select and record information relevant to the study  Can begin to use the library and internet for research				
communication	Can communicate their knowledge and understanding - Discussion Drawing pictures Drama/role play Making models Writing Using ICT			

## SEND core skills

# Being a Historian

Historians are people who:

- Have an excellent knowledge and understanding of people, events, and contexts from a range of historical periods and of historical concepts and processes.
- Demonstrate the ability to think critically about history and communicate ideas very confidently in styles appropriate to a range of audiences.
- Have the ability to consistently support, evaluate and challenge their own and others' views using detailed, appropriate and accurate historical evidence derived from a range of sources.
- Are able to think, reflect, debate, discuss and evaluate the past, formulating and refining questions and lines of enquiry.
- Have a passion for history and an enthusiastic engagement in learning, which develops their sense of curiosity about the past and their understanding of how and why people interpret the past in different ways.
- Understand and respect historical evidence and have the ability to make robust and critical use of it to support their explanations and judgments.
  - Demonstrate a desire to embrace challenging activities, including opportunities to undertake high-quality research across a range of history topics.

## Possible Adapted learning for SEND & EAL

Watch Go Jetters in Rome https://www.bbc.co.uk/ iplayer/episode/ b0759xn7/go-jetters-series-I-I4-thecolosseum-italy?seriesId=b06IIw5z&page=I Look at a picture of a Roman Soldier. Who is this? What is he wearing? Why is he wearing those clothes? Is he a soldier now? When did he live?

Do a Roman Soldier Hunt around the school using pictures.

Make some Roman bread with this recipe. Ancient roman flat bread |Lunchbox

Make a coil pot like the Romans. Make some sausages with clay and coil them up to make a pot.

Look at the different Roman Gods. What is special about each of them. Print and Play... I Spy Lotto Matching Pick a Pair

Look at a picture of a Roman kitchen. Look at pictures of modern day kitchen objects. Can you see how things have changed or stayed the same?

Look at a picture of a soldier that you might see in London outside Buckingham Palace. Draw and cut out a soldier. Attach the arms and legs with split pins so it moves.

# **End Points and Assessment Of Core learning**

Question 1: Place these in order of chronology using the numbers 1-4.	Start of unit	End of unit
Iron Age		
Bronze Age		
Roman Britain		
Stone Age		

Question 3: Which year did the Romans successfully invade Britain?	Start of unit	End of unit
2, 500 BC		
54 BC		
AD 43		
AD 410		

Question 2: Why did the	Start of unit	End of unit
Romans leave Britain?		
Rome was under attack so		
they went back to defend it		
The Picts, Scots and Jutes		
led a successful invasion		
They went back to help		
build the Colosseum		
They didn't want to be		
settled		

Question 4: Somebody	Start of unit	End of unit
who rules an empire is		
called		
an archaeologist		
a settler		
a Roman		
an emperor		

Question 5: Which word is closest to the meaning of the word 'invade'?	Start of unit	End of unit
trade		
empire		
retreat		
raid		

Question 7: One way in which the Romans protected their towns was by:	Start	of unit	End of unit

Question 6: Match these words to their definitions:		Start of unit	End of unit
Settle			
	To take over a place by		
	force or means of attack		
Invasion			
	Movement from one place to another		
Migration	To stay in one place		

<b>Question 8:</b> Name one consequence of the Romans building paved roads in Britain.	Start of unit	End of unit

<b>Question 9:</b> Name four things that the Romans influenced during their time in Britain.	Start of unit	End of unit

