

Unit 3 Home Learning Week 10

Thursday - Reading

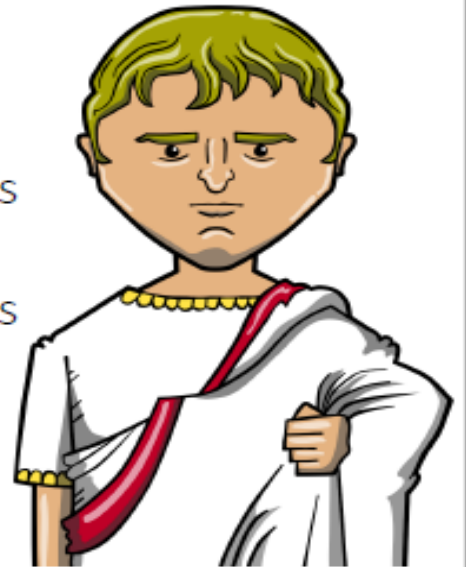
Ancient Rome

Ancient Rome began with the founding of the city of Rome in 753 BC. It grew to become one of the largest empires in the world and controlled around 20% of the world's population. At its height it controlled parts of North Africa, most of Europe and some of the Middle East.



Throughout that time, famous leaders included Julius Caesar, Augustus and Claudius. Most of the Roman Empire came to an end in 476 AD but parts of the eastern empire, known as the Byzantine Empire, remained in power until 1453 AD.

Ancient Rome has influenced many things such as modern language, religion, technology, law and art. Rome's system of government was also the inspiration for modern countries such as the United States and France. Huge advances were made such as the construction of roads, monuments and palaces, and a system of water supply.



Bronze

Ancient Rome

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Grammar

Grammar Reminder

Proper nouns are nouns that are specific; they can be the names of people and places. They always begin with a capital letter no matter where they are in the sentence!

9 - Copy down all of the proper nouns from the first paragraph: (1)

Ancient, North, Europe, Middle East

Extension

10 – Write four detailed facts about Ancient Rome. Remember to use the correct punctuation in your sentences! (4)

1. Rome was founded in 753 AD.
2. Roman legend says that Romulus had a twin brother.
3. The Romans built a huge empire.
4. A Roman army can walk 40km a day!

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- 10 – One mark for each fact, as long as they are punctuated correctly