



Philosophers Spring Term 2 – Romans

Overview, Vocabulary and Sticky Knowledge



What do I already know about the Romans?

In Little Explorers, I learned...

- Bridges are used to go over obstacles such as roads, rivers and railways. (Exploring Building) You will now learn that water can go over a bridge. The Romans built aqueducts.

In Explorers, I learned...

- In Medieval times, People thought that insects and bugs would stay away from their clothes because of the awful smell. (Battles, Balls and Banquets). You will now learn that the Romans believed the opposite.

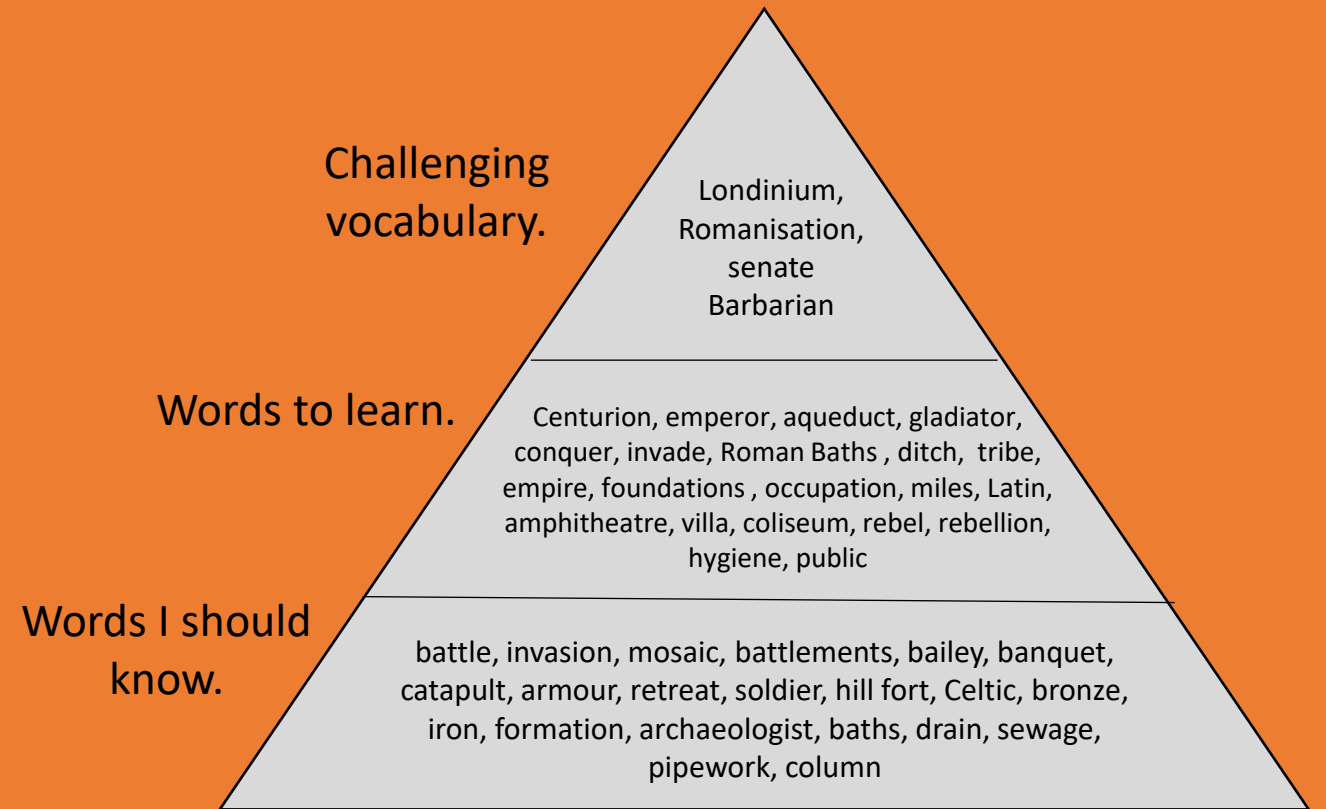
In Philosophers, I learned...

- The invasion of the Romans marked the end of the Iron Age in Britain.

What will we learn in Philosophers?

- Why the Romans invade Britain
- Why the Romans were so powerful
- The reaction of Britons when the Romans invaded
- The legacy that the Romans left in Britain

Key Vocabulary:



Topic Traveller Question:

What did the Romans ever do for me?

Answer this question in a creative way and bring into school at the end of this half term.

Sticky Knowledge

Key sticky facts to remember:

- **The Romans built aqueducts to carry fresh water into towns and cities.**
- **The Romans developed an understanding of hygiene. Specific public buildings were created so people could keep themselves clean and have a bath.**
- Latin was the language spoken by the Romans. It forms part of most modern languages today (etymology).
- Boudicca was a queen of the British Celtic Iceni Tribe who led an uprising against the occupying forces of the Roman Empire.
- **When the Romans came to Britain they helped us by creating roads; a written language (which was Latin); introducing coins and even introducing rabbits to our country.**
- Hadrian's Wall is a long wall built by the Romans across the north of England. It was to keep out the Scots. It is now one of Britain's most famous tourist attractions.
- **The Romans had an organised army of trained soldiers, which enabled them to conquer different countries and build a large empire.**



The Roman Empire

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Julius Caesar



Roman Baths

