

Year 3 World Heroes: The Romans

Subject Specific Vocabulary			Timeline of events
Celts	The were made up of different tribes and they lived in Britain before the Romans invaded. This period of time was called the Iron Age.		Iron Age 800 BC- 43 AD Julius Caesar
emperor	The Roman emperor was the ruler of the Roman Empire.		tries to invade Britain. 55 AD- 56 AD
empire	A group of countries ruled by one monarch or leader.	Key Knowledge about the Romans	Emperor Claudius invades Britain. 43 AD
gladiator	A gladiator was an armed fighter who entertained audiences.		King Prasutagus dies and Boudica rebels against the
		☐ The Romans invaded Britain in 43 AD.	Romans.
centurion	A commander of a group of 100 Roman soldiers.		60 AD
conquer	To overcome and take control of people or land using force.	☐ The Romans wanted to invade Britain because it had supplies of metal such as iron, gold and silver. They also wanted their empire to grow in power.	The Romans leave Britain. 410 AD
invade	Enter a place or land with the intention of controlling it.	☐ Boudica was a queen of the British Celtic Iceni tribe who fought against the Romans.	Roman Soldier
aqueduct	A large system for carrying water from one place to another is called an aqueduct.	☐ The Roman army was well organised. Invaders in the past would have fought fiercely, using hand to hand combat.	
		☐ The Romans had a big impact on Britain. They created roads, a written language (which was Latin), introduced coins and the calendar.	

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