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ANCIENT ROME WEBQUEST

Purpose: You will be able to identify **Cultural Universals** and background information about Rome. You will practice reading informational text and using technology to locate information.

Instructions:

* **Step 1:** Make sure your computer's volume is **muted**.

* **Step 2:** Open an internet browser. Go to: www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/romans/

* **Step 3:** Explore the timeline at the top of the page. Click on the yellow diamonds to see information for each event on the timeline. Choose **3** events and list them below:

1. _____ Date: _____

2. _____ Date: _____

3. _____ Date: _____

* **Step 4:** Go back to the "Romans Index" and click "**City of Rome**." Using the information in this section, answer these questions about **Government & Social Structure** in Rome. Use **complete sentences**:

- What is an **empire**? _____

- What is a **republic**? _____

- What is a **citizen**? _____

* **Step 5:** Go back to the "Romans Index" and click on "**Religion**." Use the information in this section to answer these questions about **Religion & Belief Systems** in **complete sentences**:

- What is a **myth**? _____

- Click on one of the pictures on the right side of the screen. Describe what you see in the picture: _____

* **Step 6:** Go back to the "Romans Index" and click "**Technology**." Using this section, list **3** facts about **Science, Technology, & Communication** in Rome. Use **complete sentences**:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

* **Step 7:** Go back to the "Romans Index" and click on "**Family and Children.**" Use the information in this section to answer these questions about **Daily Life** in **complete sentences**:

- What is a **slave**? _____

- Did Romans go to school? _____

- What did Romans eat? _____

* **Step 8:** Go back to the "Romans Index" and click "**Leisure.**" Using this section, list **3** facts about **Art** in Rome (you may include descriptions of pictures). Use **complete sentences**:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

* **Step 9:** Go back to the "Romans Index" and click on "**Roads and Places.**" Use the information in this section to answer these questions about **Architecture** in **complete sentences**:

- What building materials were used in Rome (give at least **3** examples): _____

- What is a **mosaic**? _____

- Click on one of the pictures on the right side of the screen. Describe what you see in the picture: _____

* **Step 10:** For **EXTRA CREDIT**, find **3** facts about **Economics** in Rome. Use **complete sentences**. Try searching in the following sections: The Roman army, Roads and places, Family and children.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____