

Spellings: information, adoration, sensation, preparation, education, location, exaggeration concentration, imagination and organisation.

English: read the text and answer the questions.

The Romans

The Romans were a group of people who were named after the important city of Rome. Rome is the capital city of Italy. It was the city at the centre of the Roman Empire.

However, many soldiers fighting in the Roman army did not come from Rome itself. Instead, they came from one of the many countries which were part of the Roman Empire. It included parts of Europe, North Africa and the Middle East.

The Roman men wore a knee length tunic and a cloak over the tunic. Rich men would wear a toga. Roman women wore an ankle length tunic and a dress over the tunic. Rich women would wear long tunics made from silk and jewellery.

The Romans ate bread, pancakes, dates and honey for breakfast. For lunch, they would eat fish, cold meat, bread and vegetables. Their evening meal consisted of porridge and vegetables. Richer Romans would have a feast and drink wine.

The Romans did not have much free time. However, they enjoyed hunting, chariot races and gladiator fights if they had time.

Which of these items were worn by Roman men?

- Knee length tunic
- Cloak over a tunic
- Dress over a tunic
- Ankle length tunic

What did Romans eat for breakfast? How is that different from your breakfast?

Write the continents that were partly Roman Empire.

Why do you think Romans did not have free time?

Maths: review times tables as we will need to know them all very soon. Challenge yourself to gain speed and know the answers even if they are not asked in order.

Science: think about ice, water and vapor. What needs to happen for ice to change into water and water into gas? And what needs to happen for vapour to change into water and water into gas? Do you think the same is needed for all substances to go from one state to another?