

Parent Guide



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We're excited to share this activity with you. If you are interested in finding more engaging, fun and interesting activities for you and your children, then check out these links to different areas of the [Twinkl Parents](#) website.

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experiments



word searches



What is this resource and how do I use it?

Learn more about the weapons and armour used by the Roman army with this fun, illustrated code breaker activity. Ideal as an introduction to the Roman army, this activity includes many of the keywords associated with this topic and will spark your child's curiosity.

What skills does this practise?

Historical Knowledge

Reading

Problem-Solving

Further Activity Ideas and Suggestions

Use this handy [Roman Soldiers Worksheet](#) to discover more about legionaries in the Roman army. There are many other activities themed around ancient Rome at the [Parents' Hub](#). Your child could have a go at making this [Roman Baked Custard Recipe](#) or see how they get on with these [Gladiators Puzzles](#).

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Roman Army

Code

Breaker

Challenge

Can you crack the code? Use the code to help you discover the names of the weapons and armour used by the Roman army.

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XII	XXI	VI	XIX	V	XVIII	I

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IV	VII	VI	V	XVI	XXIII	VI	V	XXI



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XI	V	XXI	XVIII	XXIII



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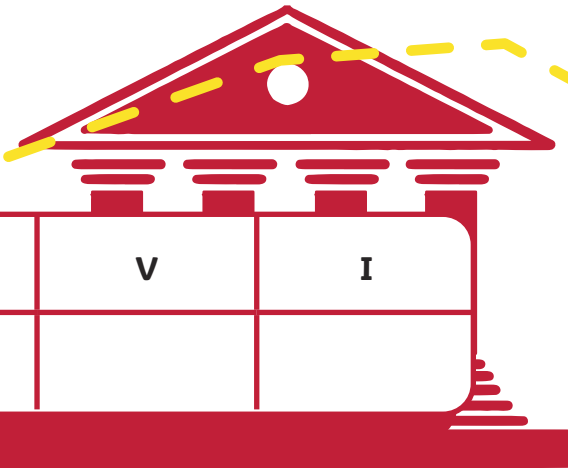
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Answers

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XI	XVIII	XII	V	XIV
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XII	XXI	VI	XIX	V	XVIII	I
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