



Key questions:	
When did the Romans invade and why? How did the native Britons react and why?	
Important dates in history:	
54BC	Julius Caesar led two Roman armies to Britain, but was defeated by Celts both times.
00AD	Christian belief that Jesus Christ was born
AD43	Roman Emperor Claudius orders four legions to conquer Britain
AD48	Romans have now conquered large parts of Britain
AD47	Romans force their allies- Iceni tribe of East Anglia- to give up their weapons
AD 48	Romans made Colchester the capital of Roman Britain.
AD 61	Queen Boudica leads a rebellion of the Iceni against the Romans. After burning down Colchester, London and St Albans, Boudica was eventually defeated.
AD 100	Most of the 8,000 miles of Roman roads in Britain are completed, allowing armies and goods to travel easily across the country.
AD 122	Emperor Hadrian builds a wall across the border of Scotland- the Romans could not conquer the Scots and Picts.
AD 250 - 409	The Picts from Scotland, the Angles, Saxons and Jutes from Germany and Scandinavia start threatening Roman lands.
AD 410	The end of Roman Britain.

Key vocabulary	
<p>Latin- language spoken and written by the Romans. AD- Latin for 'Anno Domini'= 'in the year of our Lord'. After Jesus was born. BC- 'Before Christ' Army - a large body of soldiers trained for land warfare. Emperor- a man who rules an empire. Legion- the main battle unit of the Roman army Celt – people who lived in Europe and Britain who fought Romans. Barbarian- a person who lived outside of the Roman Empire- seen by Romans as violent and uncivilised. Rebellion/revolt – resistance against the established leaders. Roman Empire- the name used for the land that was controlled by the Romans including parts of Europe, Middle East and parts of Africa. Conquer – To take control of a place by fighting. Picts – tribes from northern and eastern Scotland Caledonia - the name used in Roman times for Scotland</p>	



Key Figures:	
	<p>Hadrian – built a wall on the border of Scotland to keep Scots out- the only tribes not defeated by the Romans. Boudica- Queen from Iceni who led revolts against the Romans. Julius Caesar- leader of ancient Rome. He built a mighty empire. Claudius- Roman emperor who conquered Britain in AD 43 with 40,000 troops and many war elephants.</p>

<p>Outputs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To create a poster or timeline to show how the Roman empire spread from 800 BC to AD 305. - To write in a role to show I understand how the Roman empire might have affected different people. - To compare the similarities and differences between Boudicca and Cartimandua
