

Bell Ringer

Greece was the first place to rule by a _____

What word means "love of wisdom"

In what ways were Athens and Sparta similar? different?



Rome



Where in the world is Rome?



Google
Earth

Rome



The Roman Empire: pg. 142



Rome started as a Monarchy - Which is...?





Rome was a republic - people chose their leaders

People chosen to represent the citizens were on a **consul**.

The consul reported to the **Senate**. (Members of Senate were rich landowners who served for all of life.)

Rome was NOT a democracy - only the senate members would vote.

Roman Senate Simulation

Senate: 3 - 5 Students (depending on class size)

Members of society (class) pick two representatives.
(One from left side of room and one from right).
Remember, these people will represent you!

Debatable topics:

Best NFL team

Field Trip Reward choices

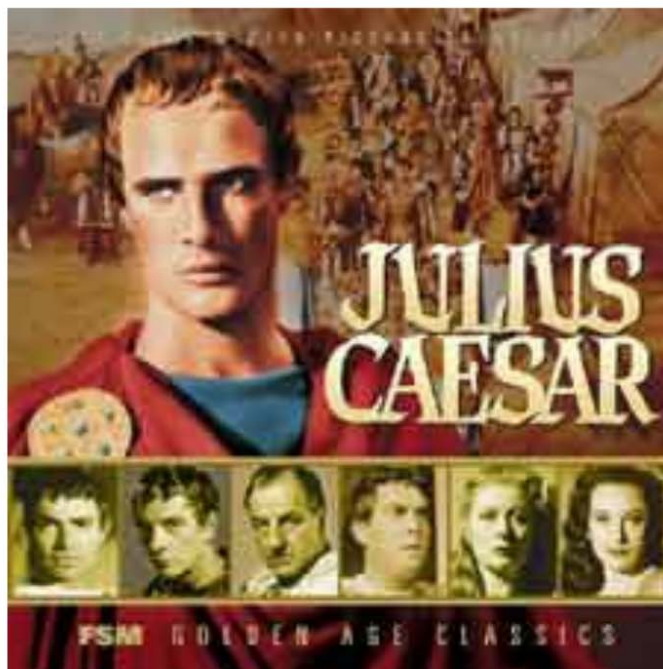
Best place to go for vacation

What color of shirt should Mr. Cerully wear tomorrow?

From a Republic to an Empire

Look at page 142 - Map Skills questions 1 and 2

"Rome was not built in a day"



Julius Caesar tried to become the first emperor, but was not.

However, his nephew, **Caesar Augustus** **DID** become the first emperor of Rome.



He initiated a period known as **Pax Romana** - peace and prosperity. It was during this time that Roman art grew and Christianity became the official religion of the Roman Empire.

The Decline of the Empire pg. 143

"Rome didn't fall in a day either."

What are some major contributions to the fall of Rome?



Check for Understanding...

1. Democracy was born in

- A. Rome B. Greece C. Egypt D. England

2. Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle were

- A. Roman Philosophers B. Greek Philosophers
C. Greek Warriors D. Roman Emperors

3. During the Romans republic, laws were made by

- A. Lords B. Emperors C. Senators D. Philosophers

4. The first Emperor of Rome was

- A. Alexander the Great B. Charlemagne
C. Caesar Augustus D. Nero

Check for Understanding...

5. The period of peace and prosperity initiated by Caesar Augustus was the

- A. Pax Romana
- B. Middle Ages
- C. Renaissance
- D. Protestant Reformation

6. When Constantine I divided the Roman Empire into East and West, the capital of the Eastern Empire was

- A. Jerusalem
- B. Constantinople
- C. Rome
- D. Paris