



# Cycle B Summer Term Year 3 /4 Geography Knowledge Organiser.

## Key Vocabulary

Celts	People living in Britain in <b>tribes</b> , including the Iceni, Brigantes and Catuvellauni.
legion	A large section of the Roman army, made up of around 5000 soldiers.
Roman Empire	The name used for the land that was controlled by the Romans, including large parts of Europe plus parts of North Africa and West Asia.
groma	Used to survey straight lines and right angles.
amphitheatre	An open air arena for entertainment often outside the city walls.

## Main Learning

How did the Romans change the Geography of England? **Legacy, Invasion, Settlement,**



\*The Roman army are famous for building long, straight roads. Special engineers planned these roads and they criss-crossed the whole **Roman Empire**. They boosted trade, communication with the **Emperor** and helped the **legions** to keep control of all the different provinces.

\*Roman soldiers were responsible for building these new roads. The military had trained experts and they used special equipment like the **groma** to prepare the route before construction.

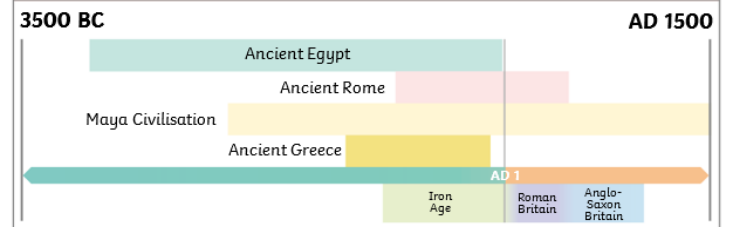
\*The Romans built new towns all over Britain. Each one had a marketplace, town hall, shops, temples and homes; larger towns had an amphitheatre. Bath houses were elaborately designed and were popular places to relax and meet friends.



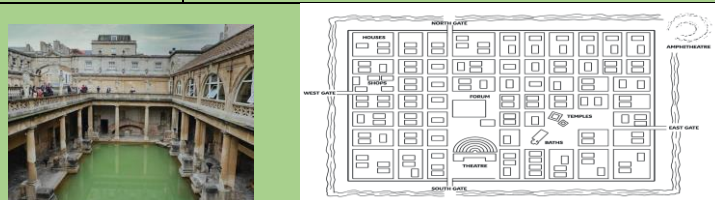
## (Sticky) Knowledge & Skills that I need to remember

- I can explain why roads were so important to Roman Britain and their towns.
- I can say what impact the Romans had on the way Britons lived
- I can use sources of information to investigate Hadrian's Wall and say why the Roman Empire stopped here.
- I can name and locate on a UK map Roman cities.
- I know how the Romans travelled quickly across Roman Britain.

## Timeline

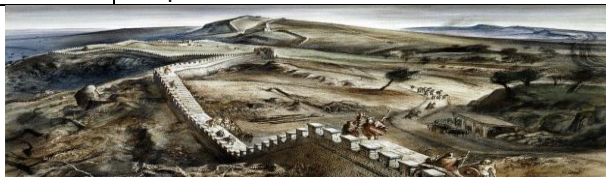


**baths** A public bath house with pools for bathing, exercising and socialising.

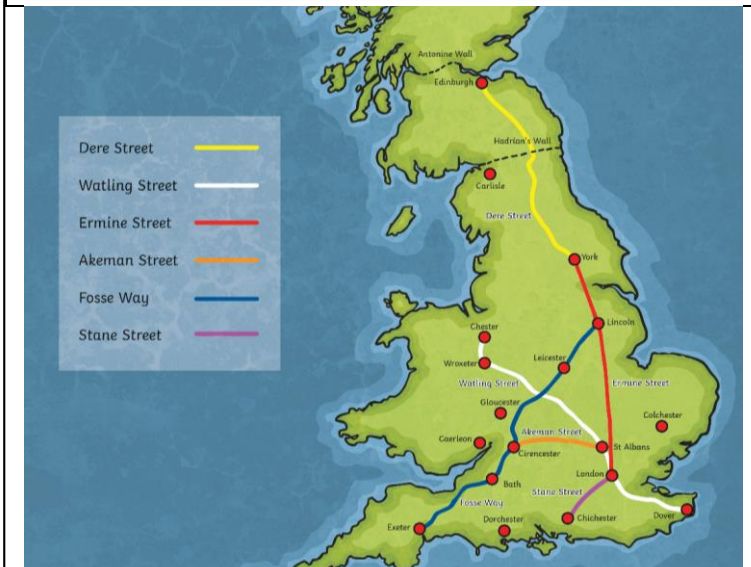


**basilica** A place where the town council met on one side of the forum.

**forums** The town's main square and meeting place with shops all around.



Hadrian's Wall





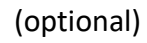
# Geography Quiz 3

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	Question	A	B	C
1	Why do think the Romans wanted new roads?	Supplies and trade goods could be sent to different areas of the country more easily. Troops could be quickly moved from one place to another.	To keep the army busy.	They needed to be re-built.
2	Where is Hadrian's Wall?	Between Wales and England	Between Wales and Scotland	Between England and Scotland
3	What letters do lots of Roman towns end with?	-um and -ester	-by and -ton	-um and -ton
4	What is the name of the piece of equipment Romans used to make sure the roads were straight?	compass	groma	protractor
5	What was the name for London? (Roman's largest town in Britain)	Londonester	London-ton	Londinium
	Out of 10 how much have you enjoyed your learning	1-4	5-8	9-10

Total

Prior knowledge	%	1 <sup>st</sup> Attempt	%	2 <sup>nd</sup> attempt	%	3 <sup>rd</sup> Attempt	%



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