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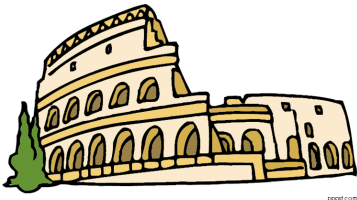
Grade 6 Social Studies Extension Menu

Ancient Rome



Choose a learning activity from one square to complete. If you choose the square, “Write your idea here,” please see the teacher with your idea first. **Circle** the number of the learning activity you choose.

Turn in this paper with your work.

<p>1. Review the Twelve Tables of Roman Law. Compare these laws to the U.S. Constitution. Create a graphic organizer that shows similarities and differences. Write a four paragraph essay comparing the two legal systems. Share your research and graphic organizer with your class.</p> 	<p>2. Select a partner or small group. Research Roman theater. Select a historical event from the Roman Era and create a play about this historical event.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Write a script• Locate or create costumes and props• Rehearse your skit.• Present your research• Present your 3 – 5 minute skit to the class 	<p>3. Research Roman mosaics, including their construction, artistic requirements, purposes and where they can be found. Create a mosaic in the Roman style. Share your research with your classmates in a 3 – 5 minute presentation, using your mosaic as a visual aid.</p> 
<p>4. Investigate Roman achievements in science, technology, architecture, and/or engineering. Create a PowerPoint or other presentation that explains how at least five Roman achievements have been incorporated into modern life and their impact on the world. Present your findings to the class.</p> 	<p>5. Write your idea here:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Teacher Initials for Approval: _____</p>	<p>6. Create the front page of a newspaper to report the fall of the Roman Empire. Write at least four articles with illustrations that summarize the factors that led to the decline of the Roman Empire and the impact this event had on the rest of the world. Remember, the headline article should reflect the <u>most important information</u>. Articles must be typed or neatly handwritten in blue or black ink. Illustrations must be neat, colorful, attractive and historically accurate.</p> 