

Culture/history topics:

**1. BRITAIN, CELTS AND ROMANIZATION**

- Britain before and after Romanization
- Roman attitudes toward Celts in Britain
- Julius Caesar, Claudius, Boudica, Cartimandua, Cogidubnus, Agricola

**2. EGYPT AND ALEXANDRIA**

- Alexander the Great, Ptolemy, Cleopatra, Augustus, Marc Antony
- Pharos, Caesareum
- Benefits of Alexandria's position and colonizing

**3. ISIS**

- Mystery cult; how to get in and why
- Attributes of Isis
- **Isiaci**, Isis parade, etc.

**4. NUMBERS**

- Know the rules for Roman numerals
- Be able to turn Arabic numerals into Roman numerals and vice versa

**5. RELIGION**

- Aquae Sulis
- Superstitions/curses (**defixiones**)
- Olympian gods and goddesses
- Roman religious beliefs and practices

**6. TRAVEL**

- Roads: who built them, how, and why
- Methods of travel in the ancient world, their positives and negatives

**7. OVID**

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| - Deucalion and Pyrrha                      | - Orpheus and Eurydice                    |
| - Apollo and Daphne                         | - Daedalus and Icarus                     |
| - Io  | - Meleager                                |
| - Phaethon                                  | - Baucis and Philemon                     |
| - Actaeon                                   | - Arachne                                 |
| - Echo and Narcissus                        | - Niobe                                   |
| - Pyramus and Thisbe                        | - Mars and Venus                          |
| - Perseus and Medusa; Perseus and Andromeda | - Pentheus and Bacchus                    |
| - Nisus                                     | - Underworld punishments                  |
| - Ages of Man                               | - Tereus, Procne, and Philomela           |
| - Pygmalion                                 | - Medea (and Jason and the Golden Fleece) |