The Romans



1 Complete the table with the words in the box.

massages bronze brooches traders generals banquets

Coins	Treasure	Ports	Legions	Feasts	Baths
1 <u>bronze</u>	rings	ships	soldiers	5	6
gold	2	3	4	wine	steam
					rooms

- Choose the correct word in the brackets to complete the sentences.
 - 1 Today in Rome people still find old <u>pottery</u>. (thunderbolts / pottery)
 - 2 Mount Vesuvius _____ in 79AD. (conquered / erupted)
 - We can see the ruins of the Roman _____ where businessmen met. (forum / Pompeii)
 - 4 Each Roman had its own number and badge. (villa / legion)
 - 5 Some villas had _____ on the floor. (myths / mosaics)
 - 6 In the Colosseum, _____ fought slaves until one was dead. (gladiators / gods)

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- Read the sentences. Write T (true) or F (false).
 - 1 The Romans sent armies to conquer other lands which became the Roman Empire.

2 Romulus and Remus were the first kings of Rome.

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3 Roman soldiers were tunics and helmets and fought with daggers and spears.

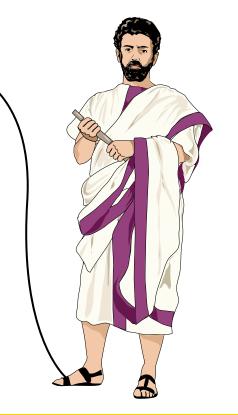
4 Julius Caesar, one of the best Roman generals, became very powerful.

5 Romans believed in many gods but Juno was the most important god.

- 6 Roman myths are full of monsters, such as Cerberus, who stopped dead people entering the world of the living.
- 4 Match the words to the pictures.



- 1 sandals -
- 2 sword
- 3 toga
- 4 tunic
- 5 helmet
- 6 spear



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5	W	rite the past tense of the verb in brackets.		
	1	The town <u>grew</u> (grow) until Rome was the biggest city in the world.		
	2	Romans (build) roads all over the empire.		
	3	The Romans (catch) many pirates.		
	4	Some men (murder) Julius Caesar in 44BC.		
	5	People believed Jupiter (punish) them with a thunderbolt.		
	6	For the festival of Saturn, people lit candles and (give) presents.		
6	Oı	der the words to complete the sentences.		
	1	In Pompeii today, we can see <u>how the Romans lived</u> . (lived / how / the Romans)		
	2			
	2	Most soldiers fought on foot, (some / fought / but / on horses)		
	3	Romans believed that (their homes / protected / gods and spirits)		
	4	Some rich people held banquets (ate / everyone / where / too much)		
	5	A Roman lady wore necklaces, and then		
		(looked / in the / at herself / mirror)		
	6	Romans put oil on their bodies and then		
		(clean / scraped / their skin)		