

# HISTORY – How the Romans impact Britain?

What I might already know: Tribes of Celts ruled Iron age Britain. They were fierce warriors.



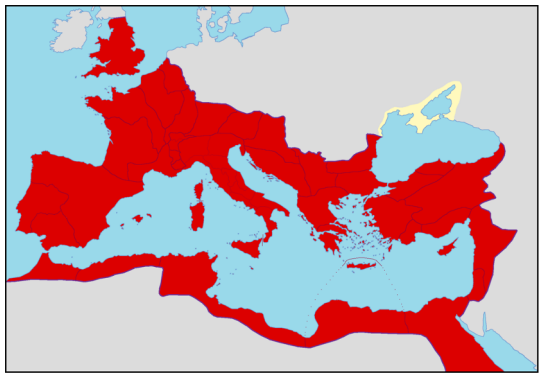
What was the Roman Empire?

How did the Celts react to the Roman invasion?

How did the Romans change life in Britain?

**Key Vocabulary:**  
*Romans, Britain, ancient, AD, BC, Rome, empire, Celts, invade, conquer, chronology, aqueducts, sanitation, primary and secondary sources, legacy,*

**What we will be learning:**



**Roman Empire : 753 BC - 476 AD**  
 Rome was origin and capital of the empire. At the peak of its power, Rome ruled across Europe, North Africa and Asia. Its army was the most powerful in the world.



What does the chronology of Roman Britain look like?

**Key Questions:**

What are the most important Roman achievements?

Why did the Romans leave Britain and what was their legacy?

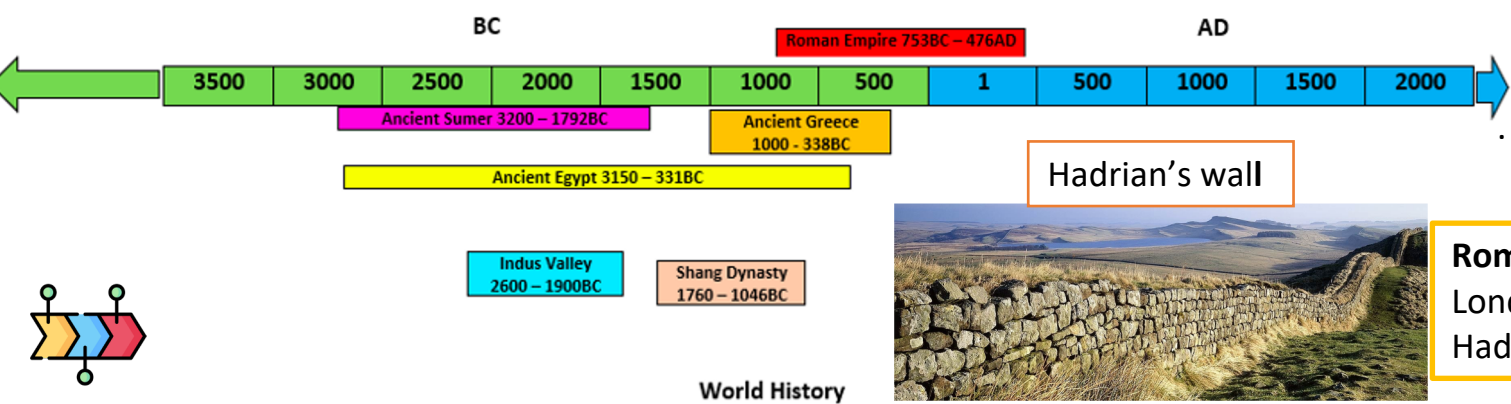


**The Celts reaction to the Roman invasion:**  
 Some Celts made peace with the Romans, they agreed to obey Roman laws and pay taxes. However, some Celtic leaders chose to fight.



**Roman Britain: AD 43 - 410**  
 In 54BC, Julius Caesar tried to invade Britain but failed.  
 In 43AD, a big Roman army successfully conquered Britain.  
 In 122AD, Emperor Hadrian orders Hadrian's wall to be built, marking the northern border of the Roman empire.  
 In 410AD, troops retreat and the Roman rule ends in Britain.

Stone Age to Iron Age 2,500,000BC – 43AD



**Roman achievements :**  
 Straight roads, towns and cities, aqueducts, sanitation including baths and latrines.



**Roman legacy in Britain:**  
 Londinium and other large cities, 10,000 miles of road, Hadrian's wall, Latin, the calendar, Roman numerals, Christianity.

