

When did the Romans come to Britain and why did they come here?

How did life change in Britain when it was part of the Roman Empire?

Who was Boudicca and why was she important?



Vocabulary	Definition
auxiliary troops 	soldiers, not Roman citizens, who help the Roman army
citizen 	a person in an empire or country who follows the rules and has the rights of that place too
century 	a division of a Roman army led by a centurion
druid 	wise people in ancient times who knew a lot about nature, following paganism
emperor 	the main ruler who would decide the rules in an empire
Iceni tribe 	a group of people, led by Boudicca, who rebelled against the Romans
legion 	a team of Roman soldiers working together to be a powerful army
Picts 	a tribe that lived in the north of the land (now Scotland)
raid 	a surprise attack
rebel 	to not follow the rules – wanting to do things their own way

The Romans came to Britain for agriculture and materials.

Julius Caesar had led invasions into Britain but these hadn't been successful.

Boudicca led the Iceni tribe.

Hadrian's Wall was built to separate from the barbarians in the northern area.

Emperor Claudius's invasion succeeded.

The Roman Empire spread right across Europe and Africa.

The Roman Army was very powerful – they understood how to fight and defend in different formations.

