

# INTRODUCTION

1. What do the "toga" and the "sword" represent in the title of this book?

## I. ROMAN HISTORY IN CONTEXT

1. Put these dates in order from earliest to latest:

753 BC      AD 19      187 BC      9th century BC      27 BC  
AD 182      3rd century AD      AD 476

2. Bronze is an alloy of \_\_\_\_\_ and either \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.

3. List three important developments in civilization that happened during the bronze age.

- a.
- b.
- c.

4. What "age" comes after the bronze age?

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5. What do the following terms mean in terms of academic study?

a. Classical antiquity

b. Classics

6. Rome was founded in the year \_\_\_\_\_.

7. The western Roman empire fell in the year \_\_\_\_\_.

8. What do we call the period of European history that follows the fall of the western empire?

9. What was rediscovered that began the European Renaissance?

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