

Scope and sequence

Stage 5 Latin - Year 9

Accommodation while travelling, and classes and cultures

- Class and culture while travelling in ancient Italy, including types of accommodation, different social classes, occupations and cultural origins of people
- The concept of *hospitium*
- The Early Republic and legendary heroes



Commemoration of heroes and noble families

- The genre of epic poetry
- Hospitality and refugees in ancient times
- The commemoration of legendary heroes and Roman noble families



The city-state of Rome

- The features of ancient Rome
- Rome's expansion through conquest as an imperial power
- The construction of Roman aqueducts, pedestrian and vehicular traffic, and major landmarks
- Key figures in the First and Second Punic Wars



Visiting the ancient city of Rome

- Life in ancient Rome, for example, urban crime, chariot racing, the Roman toilette and hairstyles
- How Rome became a world leader following the conquest of Carthage and the resulting changes to the Italian economy



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Stage 5 Latin – Year 10

Daily life in ancient Rome

- Daily life in ancient Rome including apartment living, the danger of fires, shopping and the patron-client relationship
- Social reformers in the Roman Republic

Banqueting and letter writing in ancient Rome

- Customs and practices of Roman banqueting, including menus and recipes and the *commissatio*, storytelling, entertainment, excessive lifestyles and the Underworld
- The ancient letter-writing genre
- The life of women and slaves in ancient Rome
- The Late Republic

Education in ancient Rome, and sea travel and piracy

- Roman education, including informal home instruction and formal instruction
- Augustus and the *Pax Romana*
- Sea travel and encounters with pirates

Latin poetry and prose

- Ancient Roman beliefs, values and thoughts
- The conventions of Latin poetry and prose texts
- Word order, enjambment and periodic sentences