

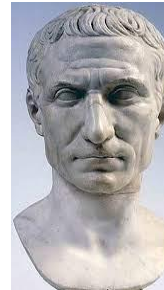
What impact did the Iron Age have on Britain? (Boudicca)

Key Vocabulary

Celt	People living in Britain.
Conquered	When a people or place have been overcome and taken control of by military force
Iceni	A tribe of Celts who lived in the east of Britain.
Picts	Tribes from Caledonia (Scotland).
Tribe	A group of people including many families, clans, or generations
Romans	The Romans originated in the city of Rome in modern-day Italy. However, the Romans ruled countries across the globe - including Great Britain.
Emperor	A sovereign ruler of an empire.
Empire	An extensive group of states or countries ruled over by a single monarch or a sovereign state.
Scholar	A person who is highly educated.

Julius Caesar

Gaius Julius Caesar (12 July 100 BC – 15 March 44 BC) was an important Roman general and politician who played a crucial role in the fall of the Roman Republic and the birth of the Roman Empire. Caesar is one of the most famous and easily recognized names in the history of ancient Rome, both due to his remarkable career, and his shocking assassination in the Roman Senate House on the 15th of March in 44 BC. He invaded Britain twice between 55 BC and 54 BC. He was successful on his second attempt. However, he didn't stay long and retreated to Gaul.



Who was Boudicca?

Boudicca was a British Queen at the end of the Iron Age and fought against the Romans. She was the wife of Prasutagus, the ruler of a Celtic tribe called the Iceni.

We can't know for sure what she looked like but from descriptions written by the Roman scholars she is believed to have been tall with long auburn hair and a fierce nature.

Nobody knows for sure how to pronounce her name, but most people agreed that it should be pronounced as Boo-dih-cah.

She had two daughters, but nobody knows their names. Boudicca and her daughters are portrayed in a sculpture, located near Westminster Bridge, London.



Emperor Claudius

Tiberius Claudius Caesar Augustus Germanicus was the fourth emperor of the Roman Empire. He ruled 41 AD. until his death in 54 AD. Claudius was anointed Roman Emperor after the assassination of Caligula by the Praetorian Guard. Claudius expanded the Roman Empire for the first time since Augustus. Probably the most important expansion was taking over Britannia. In 43 AD., he sent four Roman legions across the English Channel. After the initial battles of the campaign, he joined the troops with reinforcements. Conquering Britannia was huge for the Roman Empire. The new lands were loaded with wealth from mines and slaves to work the fields in Italy.



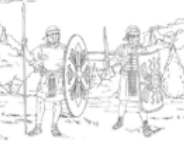





Why is Boudicca a heroine?

Boudicca is a heroine because she fought for her country, for her people and for herself. She inspired courage in the tribes of Britain against a powerful enemy. Although she lost the final battle, she never let the Romans conquer her.

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Roman Britain Timeline

<p>55 BC</p>  <p>Julius Caesar invades Britain but is forced to return to Gaul.</p>	<p>circa AD 1</p>  <p>Jesus is born.</p>	<p>AD 43</p>  <p>The army of Emperor Claudius invades Britain.</p>	<p>AD 60-61</p>  <p>Boudicca leads a rebellion against the Romans.</p>	<p>AD 209</p>  <p>Emperor Septimius Severus tries to conquer Caledonia (Scotland).</p>	<p>AD 410</p>  <p>Roman rule in Britain ends.</p>
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RE: The Easter Story













Easter commemorates the resurrection of Jesus Christ and is the most important Christian Festival.

Christians believe that Jesus died on the cross on Good Friday. Then his body was placed in a cave and covered by a boulder. Later on the following Monday, Jesus rose from the dead.



RE Vocabulary

Cross	The cross is a symbol that reminds Christians that Jesus died on the cross.
Crucifix	Crucifix much like the cross, however depicts Jesus.
Bible	Christian Holy book.
Holy Water Font	Vessel that contains holy water, usually situated near the entrance of a church.
Holy Water	Water that has been blessed by a member of the clergy.
Clergy	People ordained for religious duties.

Map symbols	Meaning
	Information centre
	Picnic Site
	Parking
	Viewpoint
	Campsite/Caravan site
	Church with Tower
	Nature Reserve
	Railway Station
	Level Crossing
	Footpath
	Main Road
	Motorway