The Hermitage School – History		
Topic: Under Attack—Romans	Year: 4	Spring 1 (6 weeks)

What should I already know?

- Romans are from Rome in Italy
- The Romans invaded many countries
- The Romans are no longer a superpower

What will I know by the end?

- What it takes to be a Roman soldier
- How the Romans invaded Britain
- Who Boudicca was
- What Romans did for us
- What life was like for rich and poor Romans

Historical Skills and Enquiry

- Noting connections and contrasts (What the Romans did for us, Roman life)
- Using a range of sources (Roman life)
- Establishing clear narratives within history (how the Romans invaded Britain)
- Address and devise questions about history (how the Romans invaded Britain)





Vocabulary

Invade—someone who invades a country to take it by force

Settler—Someone who makes a new life in the invaded country

Invasion—When one country attacks another to take it over

Emperor—The leader of the Roman Empire (not always called Caesar!)

Latin—Romans' language. No longer spoken today

Aqueduct—Roman invention to carry drinking water to cities

Rich and Poor Romans

