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KS2 Quiz

Unit title: Why did the Romans invade and settle in Britain?

1 Who was Romulus? Tick all that apply.

- A** A Roman emperor.
- B** The founder of Rome.
- C** The son of Mars, God of War.
- D** The brother of Remus.

2 In which modern-day country is Rome located?

- A** France.
- B** Britain.
- C** Germany.
- D** Italy.

3 Why did the Romans invade Britain? Tick all that apply.

- A** To help protect the rest of their empire.
- B** To find natural resources.
- C** To build more roads and aqueducts.
- D** To spread their way of living and beliefs.

4 'The process of establishing a community in a new area.' Choose the word that matches this definition.

- A** Conquest.
- B** Empire.
- C** Invasion.
- D** Settlement.

5 Under which emperor did the Romans successfully invade Britain in AD 43?

- A** Claudius.
- B** Nero.
- C** Julius Caesar.
- D** Marcus Aurelius.

6 Why did Boudicca rebel against the Romans?

- A** She was angry that they killed her husband Prasutagus.
- B** She was angry that they took her land.
- C** She was angry that they built roads.
- D** She was angry that they spoke Latin.

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7 Why was the Roman army so effective?
Tick all that apply.

- A** The soldiers did not listen to their leaders.
- B** It was well-organised.
- C** The soldiers were well-equipped.
- D** The soldiers had no free time.

8 Why was there a fort at Vindolanda?

- A** As a place for Britons to live in.
- B** As a palace for the Roman emperor.
- C** To create artefacts for historians.
- D** To house Roman soldiers to live.

9 Why did the Romans leave Britain?

- A** They did not like the cold and rain.
- B** They did not like the food.
- C** They were busy fighting in other parts of their empire.
- D** They had finished building their roads.

10 Which of these words comes from the Latin word for water?

- A** Animal.
- B** Aquatic.
- C** Audio.
- D** Victory.