

# Year 4 – Spring – How did the Roman occupation change Britain?

## What I need to know by the end of this unit:

- The Roman Empire expanded from Rome across Europe.
- The Roman Empire expanded in order to occupy land, trade and utilise resources.
- The Romans wanted to invade Britain because of the supply of resources, especially tin.
- Boudica was a warrior queen of a Celt tribe, who led a rebellion against the Romans.
- Roman towns were more advanced than those of Iron Age settlements.
- The Romans had their own Gods and Goddesses which they worshipped.
- The Julian Calendar used today is named after Emperor Ceasar.



fortified  
settlement



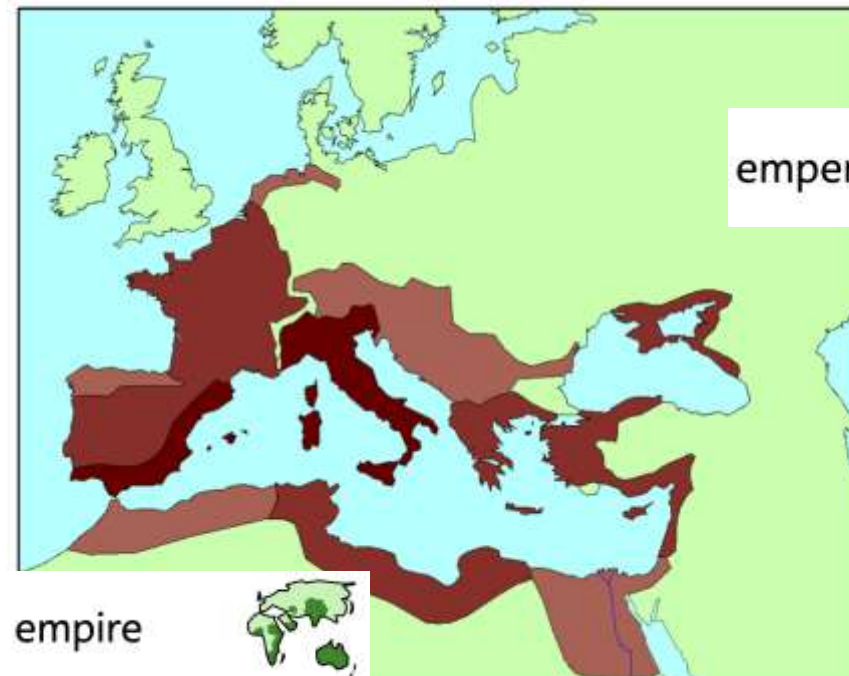
## Key Vocabulary – Top 5!

- **empire** – multiple lands or countries that are all ruled by one leader.
- **invade** – to enter another place with an army to try to take control of it.
- **rebellion** – fighting against rules or leaders, usually due to them being unfair.
- **fortified settlement** – a town or village with walls, fences or towers to protect the people inside from attacks.
- **occupy** – to take up space. To live in or use a place.

cause



consequence



emperor



empire

