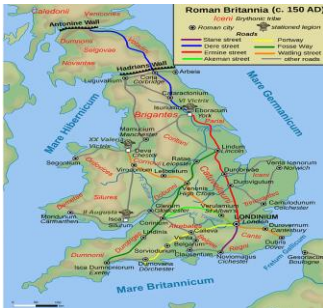


Knowledge organiser Y4 Local Study

The Roman Empire and its impact on the North West.



My Key Learning



Map of Roman Britain

What do I already know?

The Roman invasion of Britain ended the Iron Age era in AD43.

That the Roman's had a large army.

That there is often a hierarchical structure in societies.

Key Vocabulary	Definition
CE	abbreviation for Common Era or Christian era: used when referring to a year after the birth of Jesus Christ when the Christian calendar starts
BCE	abbreviation for Before Common Era or Before Current Era or Before Christian Era: used when referring to a year before the birth of Jesus
hierarchy	a system of organising people into different ranks or levels of importance
conquer	to gain or acquire by force
invasion	an invasion is the movement of an army into a region, usually in a hostile attack that's part of a war or conflict.
legion	a legion was a large unit of men in the army
hypocaust	an open space below a floor that is heated by gases from a fire or furnace below and that allows the passage of hot air to heat the room above.
amphitheatre	a building with seats rising in curved rows around an open space on which games and plays take place



The Roman Emperor Claudius.

In AD 43, the Roman emperor Claudius launched an invasion of Britain, and over the next 45 years the Roman army gradually extended its control over much of present-day England and Wales and ventured into territory now in Scotland.

Claudius invaded for personal motivation (glory) and also to acquire important raw materials such as corn and iron.



Boudica

This is Boudica she was a Celtic Queen who led a rebellion against the Roman Invasion in AD 61.

There are conflicting ways in the way in which she is represented.



This is the Roman Army they maintained control as they were disciplined, well trained, protected by armour and organised in to legions.

The lifestyle for the rich members of Roman society was very sophisticated they had palaces and villas and enjoyed entertainment in amphitheatres, baths and the forum. The poor lived very differently.

