

## Rome: The City Activity

Objective: in this work you will be learning about the city of Rome. You will be using various videos and the Britannica website in order to accomplish the exercises.

Click on this map to understand where Rome is located in Italy:

<https://school.eb.co.uk/levels/advanced/article/Rome/109501/media>

Then watch this video to see what the city looks like today:

<https://school.eb.co.uk/levels/advanced/article/Rome/109501/media>

Use this article to learn about the city and help you answer the questions which follow:

<https://school.eb.co.uk/levels/advanced/article/Rome/441567>

- 1) Where is the city located? What is the name of the river which runs through the city and what was it built on? 2pts
  
- 2) What is the Colosseum and the Forum? What used to happen in these places?  
Short video here: <https://school.eb.co.uk/levels/advanced/article/Roman-Empire/471348> 3pts
  
- 3) What is the Vatican? Who lives there and what is the name of the region based in this place? 3pts
  
- 4) In what year was the Roman Republic established? What had the city become by the 1<sup>st</sup> century BC? 2pts
  
- 5) Describe two problems with which Rome was confronted at this time. 2pts
  
- 6) What happened to the Roman Empire in 27 BC? 2pt
  
- 7) Who was Augustus and what did he do to the city? 1pt
  
- 8) Who was Constantine and where did he move the capital of the Roman Empire in 330 AD? 2pts
  
- 9) Explain how the area which included Rome came to be known as the Papal States after the Roman Empire in the West ended? 3pts