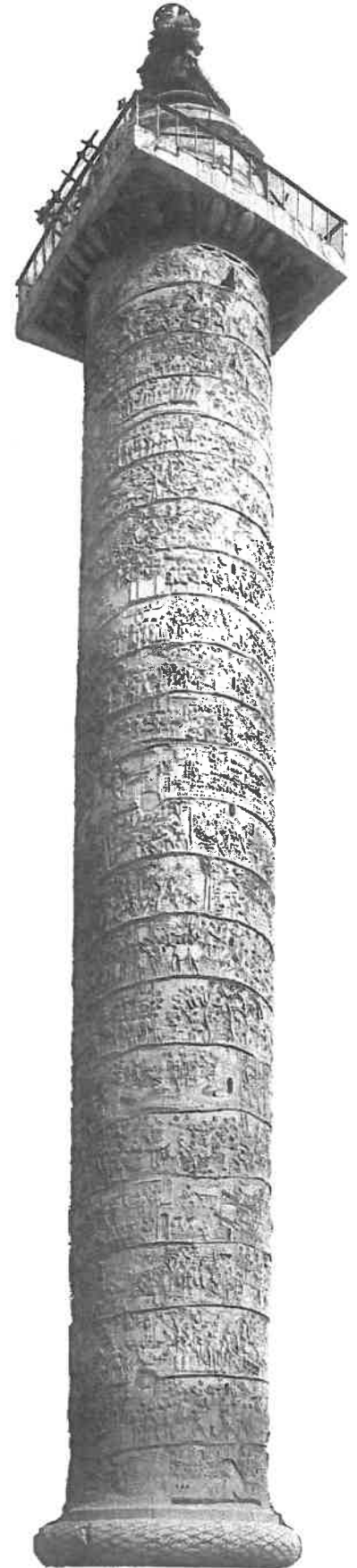
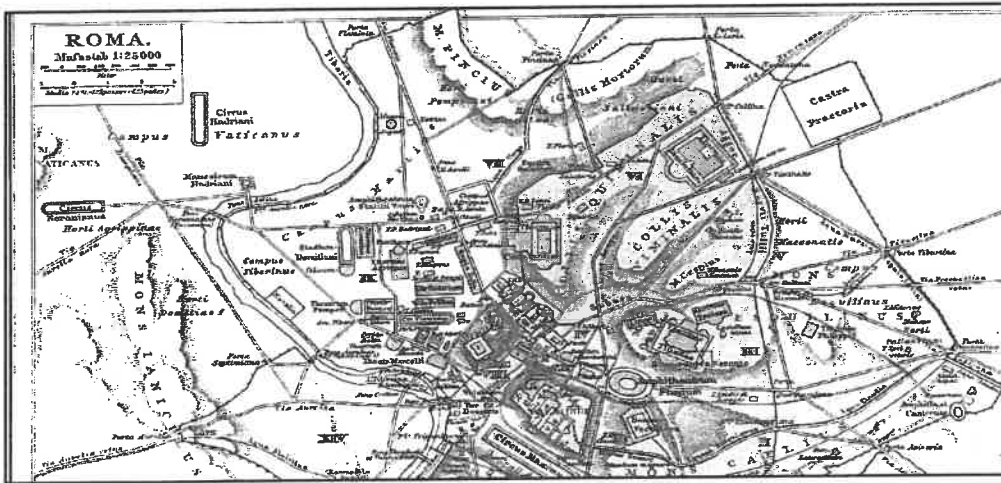


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Do as Romans Do

Now that you've learned all about Roman numerals, let's go back to the days of Ancient Rome and check out this impressive monument. When you see a number in the paragraph below, convert it to the correct Roman numeral.



The Trajan column was built just after 100 _____ AD to remind the people of Rome about the Roman Emperor Trajan's victories in war.

The structure is about 35 _____ meters in height or about 11 _____ stories tall.

The main base of the column weighs just over 53 _____ tons.

That's about the weight of 9 _____ African elephants.

And all around the outside of the column there are carvings of Roman soldiers fighting the war.

Inside the column, a spiral staircase of 185 _____ stairs leads to a viewing platform at the top.

Would you climb that many stairs to see the view of Rome from the top?

ROMAN NUMERAL HIDDEN MESSAGE

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
910	150	120	12	14	1006	555	7	4	73	99	74	883	19	45	31	3	601	52	25	93	28	456	44	200	65

Use the table above and the questions below to find the hidden message.

For example CC = 200 , this would turn into the letter Y

Roman Numeral Table

1	I	11	XI	21	XXI	31	XXXI	200	CC
2	II	12	XII	22	XXII	40	XL	300	CCC
3	III	13	XIII	23	XXIII	50	L	400	CD
4	IV	14	XIV	24	XXIV	60	LX	500	D
5	V	15	XV	25	XXV	70	LXX	600	DC
6	VI	16	XVI	26	XXVI	80	LXXX	700	DCC
7	VII	17	XVII	27	XXVII	90	XC	800	DCCC
8	VIII	18	XVIII	28	XXVIII	100	C	900	CM
9	IX	19	XIX	29	XXIX	101	CI	1000	M
10	X	20	XX	30	XXX	150	CL		

Not all the numbers are in the table, can you work out how the roman numbers work to crack the mystery quote from Julius Caesar.

IV XXV IV LII CL XIV XXV XXV XIV DCI XXV XLV

CXX DCI XIV CMX XXV XIV XXV VII CMX XIX XXV XLV

LXXIV XIV CMX DCI XIX CXX DCI XIV CMX XXV IV XIX DLV

IV LII XXV VII XIV XIV LII LII XIV XIX CXX XIV

XLV MVI LXXIV IV MVI XIV . Quote by Julius Caesar

Do you agree with this quote? _____

What do you think it means? _____

Roman Numerals

Read each question and circle the correct answer.

1. Which letter represents 1,000 in Roman numerals?

- A. L
- B. C
- C. D
- D. M

2. What number does the Roman numeral L represent?

- A. 10
- B. 50
- C. 100
- D. 500

3. How would you figure out the value of the Roman numeral XIII?

- A. subtract 3 from 10
- B. add 3 to 10
- C. multiply 10 by 3
- D. divide 10 by 3

4. How would you figure out the value of the Roman numeral LM?

- A. add 1000 to 50
- B. subtract 1000 from 50
- C. subtract 50 from 1000
- D. multiply 50 by 1000

5. What number does the Roman numeral C represent?

- A. 50
- B. 100
- C. 500
- D. 1,000

6. What number is XXIV?

- A. 24
- B. 25
- C. 54
- D. 55

7. How do you write 53 in Roman numerals?

A. LIII

B. LX

C. CIII

D. CIV

8. What number is DLVII?

A. 157

B. 153

C. 553

D. 557

9. How do you write 165 in Roman numerals?

A. CLXV

B. CXXXXXXV

C. CLXI

D. LCXV

10. What number is MIV?

A. 54

B. 104

C. 14

D. 1,004