

Phoenicians, Carthaginians and Romans

1. Read and choose the right word.

The Phoenicians colonised the **southern / northern** Iberian Peninsula about 2,600 years ago to **trade / talk**. They settled on the coast and founded **polis / colonies**. They were excellent **sailors / cooks**.

The Carthaginians come from north **Africa / Europe**. They founded new **colonies / forts** and traded metals. The Carthaginians fought against the **Romans / Greeks**, but the **Romans / Greeks** won.

2. Write Carthaginians and Romans.

- A. They came from Carthage in North Africa.
- B. They invaded the Iberian Peninsula in 218 BC.
- C. They founded *Cartago Nova* and *Ebusus*.
- D. They were traders and warriors.
- E. Their soldiers were called the legionnaires.
