



**Happy Summer School  
Fifth Grade 2022  
Social Studies Quiz IVPA**



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**I. COMPLETE**

Read the sentences below. Match the words from the right with the meanings from the left. Write the letter that corresponds on the line. (4.5pts. each, total 36%)

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| 1. _____ A group who advised the consuls of ancient Rome.                         |              |
| 2. _____ One of two high-ranking officials who headed the ancient Roman Republic. | a. forum     |
| 3. _____ A citizen of ancient Rome.                                               | b. republic  |
| 4. _____ A person chosen by plebeians to watch over their rights.                 | c. patrician |
| 5. _____ A change in the government.                                              | d. plebeian  |
| 6. _____ A marketplace in ancient Rome.                                           | e. consul    |
| 7. _____ A wealthy landowner in ancient Rome.                                     | f. senate    |
|                                                                                   | g. reform    |
| 8. _____ Any government that is not headed by a king or queen.                    | h. tribunes  |

**II. COMPREHENSION**

Read the questions below carefully. Select the correct answer for each one. (5pts. each, total 40%)

1. Why did the location of Rome make it a good place to settle?
  - ☐ Because they had fertile lands to farm.
  - ☐ Because the village was at the crossroads of every important Italian route.
  - ☐ Because they could get protection from outsiders.
2. What is a Republic?
  - ☐ A government not headed by a king or queen.
  - ☐ A government that establishes equal rights.
  - ☐ A government leaded by the Etruscans.
3. Who were the Etruscans?
  - ☐ A Latin village located in the north of Italy.
  - ☐ A group of tyrants from Rome.
  - ☐ A group of people chosen to defend Italian's rights.

**4. How did the Etruscans changed Rome?**

- They developed the strongest army to protect Italy.
- They built many farmlands.
- They believe medicine and religion were not important.

**5. Why did the plebeians want to reform the Roman government?**

- They didn't have enough farm land.
- They had few rights and were treated unfairly.
- They wanted to conquer other countries.

**6. What victories did the plebeians win in reforming the Republic?**

- Built more farmlands for them to work.
- The power to conquer other lands and expand.
- The right to stop any law or government action.

**7. What was life like for the Romans in the early years of the Republic?**

- Romans lived very simply.
- Romans had a wealthy life.
- Romans were at wars constantly.

**8. What kind of person early Romans admired the most?**

- They admire the wealthy people.
- They admired a leader who fights to protect their cities.
- They admired people who traded goods.

**III. MATCH**

Match the words below to make true sentences.

(4pts. each, 24%)

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| 1. In a democracy                    | top any law or government action.   |
| 2. Latins were never happy           | a king but only for a limited time. |
| 3. Plebeians were expected to        | defend Rome on the battlefield.     |
| 4. Tribunes won the right to         | memorize the Twelve Tables.         |
| 5. Every Roman schoolboy had to      | all citizens have the same rights.  |
| 6. The dictator had all the power of | with Etruscan rule.                 |