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**Chap 7 & 8**

**Due DOT – 10.14.16**

How did the geography of Italy impact the development of Rome? Consider the Mediterranean, Alps, etc.

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How did the Greeks impact the formation of Roman society?

Explain the development of democratic-republican government in classical Rome.

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Define the following terms:

Plebians -

Patricians -

Tribunes –

Describe the Law of the Twelve Tables -

Describe Roman checks on the power of government

How did Roman government influence on U.S. Constitution?

Describe Roman society.

Family structure/authority

Changing role of women

Roman Religion

**From Republic to Empire**

Identify reasons for Rome’s ability to win an empire.

What were the causes of the Punic Wars, and who was Rome fighting?

What were the social and economic effects of these wars?

What were the reasons for the decline of the Roman **republic**?

Describe ways the Roman emperors promoted peace and stability in the Empire

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What was the Pax Romana, and how long did it last?

**Roman Achievement**

Who was Juilus Caesar and how did he come to power?

How did the assassination of Caesar impact Roman government?

List and describe 3 features of Roman architecture and technology and their impact on the Empire.

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Roman Art and architecture were most strongly influenced by what culture?

What are the key characteristics of Roman art?

How does this differ from Greek art?

**The Long Decline**

What were the attempts by Roman emperors to end the crisis in the Empire?

Why did Rome split into 2 empires?

Who was Constantine and why did he move the Roman capitol?

What was the Edict of Milan?

What were the major social, economic, and political **causes** of decline of Rome?

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What were the major social, economic, and political **effects** of decline of Rome?

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**Holy Roman Empire**

How did Clovis gain the support of his people?

How did Charlemagne briefly unite much of Western Europe?

Who were the missi dominici?

What were the achievements of the Carolingian Empire?

What led to the Downfall of Charlemagne?

What was Justinian’s Code of law?

What religion did the Byzantine Empire follow?

Who was St. Benedict, and what did he do for the monastery?

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What is the Hagia Sophia, and why is it significant?

Describe the conflict that arose over icons.

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What were the struggles facing the Byzantine empire in the 11th century?

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